



26th January 2018

“Learning Together for Life”

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week we officially celebrated the opening of our school refurbishment and extension. Four ex-students, Dame Alison Peacock, our Director of Children’s Services (Mark Parkinson), Rev Mike Smith, Governors and ex staff joined us for the celebration. Part of our celebration included preparing a time capsule to be opened in 2043. Some of the children have written a letter to their future selves and we are collecting small artefacts that are relevant to 2018. If you have any ideas please get in touch. I have set a reminder on my google calendar and hope to see many of you back at the Manor in 25 years’ time.

I would like to thank Friends of Hartford Manor for providing refreshments and also everyone who made the event possible.

Simon Kidwell
Headteacher

School Dinners

Week commencing 29th January 2018, we will be on Menu 1. The [full menu choices](#) are available on our website. Please pay online via [ParentPay](#). The cost of lunch for this half term is £2.25 per day / £67.50 (8th January to 16th February 2018).

Please note that we will not be providing a school lunch from January if you owe for 5 meals - £11.25 - or more. Please remember that it is your responsibility to keep your account in balance.

Nursery Open Morning

On **Saturday 10th February** we will be having our Nursery Open Morning from 10.00 am until 11.30am. If you or anyone you know is interested in a place at our Nursery, please do come along.

SATs workbooks – Year 2 and Year 6

Yesterday we sent an email to all Year 2 parents regarding SATs workbooks. If you would like to order these, please pay for them on ParentPay by **Monday 5th February**.

Year 6 parents have also been given the opportunity to purchase SATs books and the order has now been placed. If you missed the order deadline and would still like to purchase books, we will be doing a further order in the next week or two – please make your payment on ParentPay as soon as possible.

Toy Donations

Do you have any toys that you no longer need? If so, we would really welcome toy donations for Breakfast and After School Club.

World Book Day

On **Thursday 1st March** we will be celebrating World Book Day by dressing up as our favourite book characters (no football kits please).

Welcome to the FOHM News Update

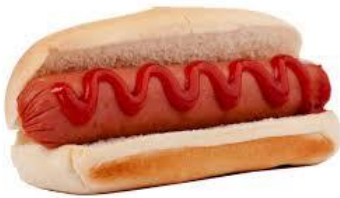


This week we were invited to serve refreshments at the school's new build official opening ceremony. It was a wonderful occasion and lovely to catch up with former FOHM chair, Lucinda Verma who was also in attendance and recently retired teachers.

Today, the Christmas performance DVDs have been delivered into school and will be sent home with the children. Please check your child's school bag if you have ordered a copy. Please accept our sincere apologies for the delay in issuing these DVDs and thank you for your patience. We know how keen you are to receive them and watch those wonderful performances all over again. FOHM would like to thank Natalie Warren for all of her hard work in looking after these orders and her diligent work in quality checking them all before they are sent home. We would also like to thank Cath Yevseyev for producing all of the DVDs.

Hot Dog Treat Night

Our Hot Dog Treat Night will take place on Friday 9th February 2018.



- KS1 (Reception, Years 1 & 2) – 3.20pm – 5.30pm (approx.). Boss Baby (U).

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- KS2 (Years 3 - 6) – 5.30pm – 7.30pm (approx.) . The Emoji Movie

Tickets are priced £3.00 each and includes entry, hot dog, initial drink and treat bag.

Please purchase tickets via ParentPay by Friday 2nd February 2018.

New for this year, we are inviting the children to bring along their own pillows, blankets and cuddly toys so they can snuggle down and enjoy the movie.

For more information, please [click here](#) to download a copy of the letter that was emailed to you this week (Forms are located at the bottom of this page).

Pre-Loved Uniform

We are once again selling pre-loved school uniform items. If you are interested in buying any items, please email Petra Hadingham and Helen Ghagan at hartfordmanorpreloveduniform@gmail.com .

Upcoming Events

- Hot Dog Treat Night – February 2018 Friday 9th February 2018 KS1 3.20pm – 5.30pm / KS2 5.30pm – 7.30pm
- Hartford Parish Council Fun Run - Sunday 22nd April 2018 (Time TBC)
- Spring Disco – Friday 20th April 2018 KS1 disco from 6pm – 7pm followed by KS2 at 7.15pm – 8.30pm.
- Summer Fair – Saturday 16th June 2018 12noon – 3pm

- Hartford Parish Council Picnic in the Park - Sunday 8th July 2018
- FOHM Committee Meeting - Tuesday, 13th February 2018 at 7.30pm Hartford Hall Hotel

Thank you for your continued support. Have a lovely weekend!

Michelle Bebbington, FOHM Chair

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Stay in Touch

For more information about upcoming FOHM events or to get in touch:

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- Email us on contactFOHM@gmail.com

Diary Dates**Please note that this list is subject to change during the year****Spring Term:**

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| Wed/Thurs | 31 Jan - 1 Feb | Year 2 Burwardsley visit |
| Tuesday | 13 February | FOHM committee meeting - 7.30pm Hartford Hall Hotel |
| Saturday | 10 February | Nursery Open Morning |
| Friday | 16 February | Last day of half term |
| Monday | 26 February | INSET Day – school closed for pupils |
| Tuesday | 27 February | School reopens after half term |
| Thursday | 1 March | World Book Day |
| Wed-Fri | 14 -16 March | Year 5 Lakeside visit |
| Thursday | 29 March | Last day of Spring Term |

Summer Term:

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| Monday | 16 April | School re-opens |
| Friday | 20 April | FOHM Spring Disco KS1 6-7pm; KS2 7.15-8.30pm |
| Sunday | 22 April | Hartford Parish Council Fun Run |
| Monday | 7 May | May Day (School closed) |
| Friday | 25 May | Last day of half term |
| Monday | 4 June | School reopens after half term |
| Mon-Wed | 11-13 June | Year 6 visit to London |
| Tues-Fri | 12-15 June | Year 4 visit to Pettypool |
| Saturday | 16 June | FOHM Summer Fair 12noon – 3pm |
| Tues-Wed | 26-27 June | Year 3 Forest Camp |
| Sunday | 8 July | Hartford Parish Council Picnic in the Park |
| Friday | 20 July | Last day of Summer Term |