

#### Herne View Church of England Primary School including Apple Orchard Pre-School

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#### End of our first year as Herne View

This year has certainly been unique as we have spent our first year as Herne View Primary. Thank you to everyone in our school community who has supported in too many ways to mention in this newsletter; your help has been much appreciated and it is hard to quantify the wealth of impact this has had for the pupils. We couldn't manage without the support of everyone in the community and I hope you share with us the pride in the school we have all created.

We give special wishes to our Y6 who leave us on the next stage of their education journey, you have been an amazing cohort with so many talents and we hope you all shine in your new schools.

We are also saying goodbye to some staff as well. We wish Miss Robson, Miss Holloway and Mr Driver every success as they embark on teacher training courses; to Miss Woodley on her promotion; Miss Bullen and Mrs Monk who are moving schools and Mr Broom and Miss Barrett as they embark on new future careers. We would especially like to mention Mr Broom who has supported the schools for the last 23 years and will be much missed as caretaker and school crossing patrol. We thank them all for how much they have given to children, families and colleagues and wish them much future happiness.

We wish everyone a happy and relaxing Summer and look forward to welcoming the children in next year's Y1 to Y6 on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> September and our new Reception children on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> September.



#### School crossing patrol

Please be aware from September we will now have no crossing patrol on Ditton St. We have had no applicants for the role and Somerset Council are aware. We are asking families to take extra care and talk to children who may be walking to school on their own.



#### **Library Summer Challenge**

The children enjoyed an assembly this week with the school library service about the Summer Reading Challenge. Do try to take part and use this as an opportunity to visit Ilminster Library as we are very lucky to have this resource in the town.



#### Gates in September

Due to the access to Silver Street via Wharf Lane being closed until the 12<sup>th</sup> September by National Grid, we are going to open the gate by Wharf Lane car park as well as the double gates on the 6<sup>th</sup> to the 11<sup>th</sup> September, as we are aware more children may be accessing this way. From the 12<sup>th</sup> September it will just be the double gates and front gate.

We would also like to ask that for September 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> that your children enter school via the double gates or back gate on Wharf Lane. This is because our Reception children will be using the front gate (opposite the church). We would like to keep these first few days as quiet as possible while they get used to coming into school and finding their classrooms. If you have a Reception child and they have a sibling they are welcome to come into school with your Reception (via the gate opposite the church).



#### **Tesco tokens**

If you are shopping in Tesco this Summer please make sure you collect your blue tokens and post them in the box to support Herne View. We want to develop our pond at Ditton St to create an ecology area that can be used by classes for Forest School and Science lessons.



#### **Sports**

The Summer term has been a very successful sporting term at Herne View and congratulations to the pupils and thanks to our sports team led by Sian Sainsbury. The following is a summary of all the events entered and clearly shows our commitment to developing sport at Herne View.

14/3 Tag Rugby Holyrood Yr 5/6

17/3 CISP football festival Y5/6 - winners

21/3 SASP Fortnite festival encouraging activity for Y5

23/3 SASP girls football at Huish Park with YTFC Y3/4

30/3 SASP girls football at Huish Park with YTFC Y5/6 (2nd)

16/5 Y4 All stars cricket at the County Ground

8/6 Boys district cricket finals Y5/6 - winners

8/6 CISP cricket at Wadham Y4 - winners

13/6 Rounders at Holyrood y6

14/6 Quad Kids - winners

14/6 SASP tennis at Ilminster tennis club Y3/4 - winners

19/6 CISP tennis Y6 - winners

20/6 District cricket finals y5/6 girls - winners

20/6 boys county finals cricket y5/6 - 5th

27/6 girls county finals cricket y5/6 - 8th

2 school Sports Days

CISP Multi skills KS1 13/7

CISP Netball Y3/4 - winners 6/7

Gymnastics Y3/4 - no overall winners 10/7



#### **Book fairs**

A HUGE thank you to everyone who bought books from our Book Fairs in June. We are delighted to report that we made £1824.87 in total and, because we did so well, Scholastic has awarded us 50% of that value to spend on books for Herne View. What a fantastic result!

We also raised £508 in our Readathon which goes to the Read for Good charity to buy books for children in hospital, and we will receive 20% of this in book vouchers.



#### Whats New at Herne View

Do look out for our 3<sup>rd</sup> edition, a leavers' special which is coming out soon. Very well done to this year's reporters and editors who have made this new school newspaper a great success with Miss Carver.



#### **Cottage Flowers**

Cottage Flowers would like to let Herne View families know about a free children's miniature gardens workshop they are running at Cottage Gardens, Jordan's Courtyard, on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> August between 10.00am and 12 noon. Children between the ages of 6 and 10 are welcome to come, accompanied by an adult. All materials will be supplied, so children just need to bring a tray or plate to put their garden on. Refreshments will be supplied. If you would like to attend with your child, please contact Cottage Flowers on 01460 53020 by 12th August.





#### **Apple Orchard Pre-School**

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#### End of year

It is hard to believe that the time has come for Apple Orchard Pre-school to say 'goodbye' to our older children who are moving up to reception classes in September. We cannot believe how fast the time has flown – and we have enjoyed being part of their learning journey and now they are moving on to the next chapter.

We are very proud of all of their achievements, we wish you all the very best for the future.

Congratulations! Today is your day.
You're off to Great Places! You're off and away...
You have brains in your head.
You have feet in your shoes...
OH, The Places You'll GO! (Dr.Seuss)



#### **Tapestry**

Our school leavers learning journals will be available soon for download. You will receive an email from Tapestry giving you details on how to download the journal. It's a lovely way to share those moments they had at Pre-School.

We would also like to invite our children who are staying to post onto Tapestry their summer adventures. It will be lovely to share these in September.

#### Sessions

Don't forget our sessions for September are available. Please email preschool@herneviewschool.co.uk for further details.



#### Facebook

Please like and share our Facebook page where you will find updates, messages and pictures of the wonderful activities we have been doing.



#### Thank you

We want to say thank you to our parents for your kind words and messages received.

We also want to thank all the staff at Apple Orchard for their continued support and all the exciting activities they do for the children. We hope they all enjoy their well-deserved Summer Break.

We wish you a wonderful break and wish all our school leavers the very best for September at school.



#### **Congratulations**

We would like to say a big congratulations to Kelly at Ditton Street who has completed and passed her Level 3 training in childcare. Well done Kelly from us all.



#### Dates for your Diary

Friday 21st July – End of summer Term

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> & Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September Inset Days – Preschool will be closed Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> September – Start of Autumn Term

£22.00 all day

### PREMIER EDUCATION HOLIDAY CAMPS

Monday 24th to Friday 28th July - 5 days Monday 31st July - Friday 4th August - 5 days Tuesday 29th, Wednesday 30th & Thursday 31st August - 3 days

Venue: Herne View PS, Silver Street Campus Ilminster TA19 0DS



# MULTI-SPORTS AC



#### What we will be up too:

Summer Games-Capture The Flag, Cricket, Dartmoor 3 Ball, Rounders, Athletics, Soft Archery & more; these are just a few of the summer games we will be playing!!

Dodgeball- Working as a team, children will work together to try and hit the other team with their dodgeballs!

Nerf Games- Children will be split into teams where they will build unbreakable forts to take cover from the other teams!

















#### Other activities :

Gymnastics- Children will get to express movement and their strength through our gym sessions!

Arts and crafts- A chance for children to take a break from all the running around and relax! A time to meet new friends.

Football- One of the more classic sports we run. Children will be put in team to play a 5aside games.

Hot school lunch provided, please bring your own soft drinks! Please wear sports/casual clothes.

Childcare vouchers accepted!

#### How to book:

Online- www.premier-education.com Call Andrew- 07776 108281







#### Be sure to:

Like and follow our Premier Education Taunton Instagram and facebook page!









# BAM FM is recruiting a Catering Assistant on a temporary basis based at Herne View Primary School

# Working 25 hours per week 9am-2pm Monday to Friday Term Time Only

# To enquire please email louise.spiller@bam.com

#### What's in it for you?

A challenging and continuously changing environment in a forward thinking organisation. We support further personal growth and development.

#### Your work environment

People are at the heart of what we do at BAM. We recognise that creating a diverse and inclusive environment that nurtures our employees and encourages them to bring their best and whole self to work is crucial. We're on an exciting journey to get us there by recruiting the very best talent to join us regardless of race, colour, religion, national or ethnic origin, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, age, disability or other characteristics.

Be you! Join us today, so we can achieve amazing things together and build a sustainable tomorrow.

#### Who are we?

BAM has been delivering Facilities Management (FM) services to customers throughout the UK for over 20 years. We directly employ over 900 staff across the UK, delivering bespoke support services to our customers in the education, healthcare, retail and commercial sectors.







FROM MONDAY 24TH JULY,
WE WOULD WELCOME
YOUR DONATIONS OF
GOOD QUALITY USED
UNIFORMS FOR:

APPLE ORCHARD PRE-SCHOOL,
HERNE VIEW, NEROCHE,
WADHAM, HOLYROOD &
HUISH EPISCOPI

DROP OFF/PICK UP POINT:

THE MINSTER CHURCH,

COURT BARTON,

ILMINSTER TA19 ODU

LEAVE YOUR DONATIONS IN THE
LABELLED BOX AT THE BACK
OF CHURCH.....AND/OR
BROWSE THE RAIL
FOR ITEMS

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE
GONTACT NATALIE 07746 727002

PLEASE TAKE WHAT YOU NEED,
BUT DONATIONS TOWARDS OUR
PARISH EMERGENCY FUND
WOULD BE WELCOME

Items Including:

shirts
coats
skirts
trousers
cardigans
polo shirts
jackets
socks/tights
dresses
shoes
trainers
sports kits
vests
...any school items