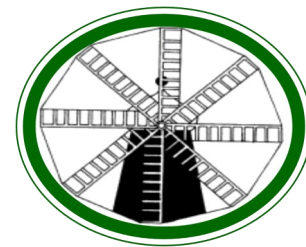


# Heckington St Andrew's Church of England Primary School Newsletter

4<sup>th</sup> June 2020



Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to everyone for your ongoing support with the wider re-opening of school; this has gone very well with everyone working together to follow our plans to ensure the safety of children, staff and parents. I would just ask, though, that parents do not congregate and chat on the playground or outside of school in order to maintain social distance and to ensure that children and parents can enter and leave the premises safely.

There is an irony that your children may meet other children outside of school but in school we are not to allow this to happen beyond their bubble. Could I therefore please ask that you consider this when socialising with friends outside of school as the lockdown lifts. We are putting in a great deal of effort into keeping your child and others safe for it only to be potentially undermined by regular friend visits. I do need to make you aware that, if we are concerned that children have significantly broken current social distancing rules - e.g. sleepovers, parties, gatherings of more than the permitted number - then we will withdraw our offer of a school place in order to maintain the safety of our whole school community.

Warmest wishes,  
Mrs Bentley



When consumed too often and in large quantities, sugar can have a devastating impact. It can increase the risk of obesity, diabetes and heart disease. It is also responsible for tooth decay.

For National Smile Month we are challenging you to cut your added sugar intake for **ONE WEEK** in a bid to achieve better oral health and general wellbeing. Let us know your most unusual sugar swap! How many grams of sugar have you saved?

Visit <http://www.nationalsmilemonth.org/> for further information on the Sugar Swap challenge.

If you haven't already done, so please could you return your completed home/school agreement by **tomorrow** as these are needed to show your commitment to our wider re-opening plan.

A copy can be found on the website here:

<http://www.heckington.lincs.sch.uk/COVID-19.asp>

Thank you!

## Times Tables Rockstar Battle Results!

Well done to everyone who took part in our Times Tables Rockstar Battle which ended on 15th May. It was great to see how many of you took part. Here are the results:

	Home	Away
<input type="checkbox"/> Chestnut Class	2,471,678	Rowan 2019-2020 15 May
<input type="checkbox"/> Maple Class	349,123	Year 2 15 May
<input type="checkbox"/> Year 5	2,249,337	Hazel 15 May



Well done to Chestnut, Willow and Hazel classes.

"Everyone is a bit scared,"  
said the horse.



"But we are less scared  
together."

# Virtual Heckington Show 2020

I am sure you have heard that, very sadly, the Heckington Show has had to be cancelled for this year. However they are running some Classes online - our 2020 Virtual Heckington Show.

The classes the children could take part in include those for their age group and any older age group or adult Classes they would like to have a go at.

## Art and Craft

### ANY AGE

- My Lock-down Craft Project- A photo of your Craft project, knitting, sewing, painting, etc done during lock-down.
- A Poem - "Village Life"

### CHILDREN

- Age 5 and Under-Colouring Competition (download picture from website)
- Age 8 and Under-Decorated Sunglasses- A photo of your decorated sunglasses using any medium you like
- Age 12 and Under-My Daily Walk - A photo taken on your daily walk, flowers, animals, birds or views that you see
- Age 16 and Under - 4 Decorated Cup Cakes. A photo of your decorated cup cake
- Age 16 and Under - A Poem-"The Best Things in Life"

## Art and Allotments

- *Open to all ages*
- MY 2020 GARDEN - A Photo of Your Garden
- MY 2020 ALLOTMENT - A Photo of Your Allotment or Vegetable Patch

The decorated house competition will also be running for those living in Heckington and Heckington Fen.

All the information, entry form and deadlines can be found at:

<https://www.2020virtualheckingtonshow.org/>

All entries will be uploaded for everyone to see.

We look forward to a fabulous 2021 Heckington Show.

