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Hainford Newsletter

Merryn's Charity Cycling Challenge



During the end of the summer term Merryn decided to take on the challenge of cycling to all six Nebula schools to raise money for both the school and the charity The FEED. Merryn battled through summer downpours to successfully complete the 19.75 miles which was a tremendous achievement and clearly demonstrated the school's core values of hope and responsibility.

She started at Hainford, then onto Horsford, St Faiths, White Woman Lane, Old Catton Junior, Frettenham and finally returned to Hainford School. If you would like to contribute to Merryn's great cause then please send your child in with any spare change next week.

Karl Nova Visit



Today saw the poet Karl Nova return to Hainford Primary School to perform poems and raps from his many collections. He spoke at length about what inspired him to start recording his ideas and some of the stories behind his poems. Classes 2 and 3 were enthralled by the workshop and returned to class to share some of their own. If you would like to purchase a copy of Karl's poetry, then please see the attached flyer.

Staffing

We would like to welcome Mrs Gemma Brown to Hainford as our new teaching assistant for class 2. Mrs Brown has quickly found her feet and has even begun to teach the school sign language for one of our collective worship hymns. Mr Stephen Newell has joined the Nebula as a caretaker across some of our schools including Hainford. We would also like to welcome our new school cook Elizabeth (Libby) Bidewell to our newly opened school kitchen.

Uniform / Jewellery

The only earrings that are permitted are studs and children should not come to school wearing any other jewellery

School Kitchen Reopening

This week saw the successful reopening of Hainford's kitchen. The full Norse menu has been emailed to you and is also available on our website. It has been lovely to see the children eating freshly prepared food back in our lunchroom.

School Website

Our school website <http://www.harnserfed.co.uk/> contains a huge amount of advice, documents and information for parents such as our curriculum, transition documents and staying safe-online. I would urge all parents/carers to regularly visit our website.

Church Fencing

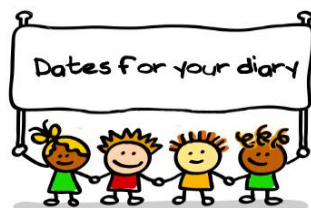
As many of you have probably noticed, the church's metal railing fence was damaged over the summer holidays. Please be aware that due to the damage the area is unsafe for children due to uncovered broken metal work. Please take extra care until this has been fixed.

Individual Sibling School photographs - postponed

These were scheduled to take place on Thursday 23rd September and have unfortunately been postponed

Let's Celebrate!

September 17th	Star Award Winners	Values Award Compassion, Hope and Responsibility
Class 1	Isaac – <i>Amazing handwriting in phonics</i>	Olive – <i>being responsible for her own and others' behaviour</i>
Class 2	Sophia – <i>for fantastic work in place value (maths)</i>	Mackenzie – <i>taking responsibility for his own learning</i>
Class 3	Amelia – <i>for being a fantastic role model when learning and demonstrating our new sign language song</i> Sienna – <i>improved presentation and care in all of her work</i>	Rupert – <i>showing responsibility by volunteering for roles</i>



Alterations/Updates in blue

Autumn Term

Swimming to start (13.09.21) for selected pupils from class 3 every Monday afternoon for the rest of the term

September

17th Poet visit (Karl Nova) Special Assembly

23rd Individual and sibling photos (pm) - [postponed](#)

October

6th NHS Year 6 measurements

Half term break (Mon 25th to Fri 29th October)

November

1st First day back after half term

12th Flu Vaccinations (email sent 09.09.21)

December

17th (Fri) Final day of Autumn Term

Christmas Holidays (20th December to 4th January)

January 2022

5th (Wed) First day of the Spring Term

Thank you for all of your support