

Hawkinge Primary School

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Dear Parents,

It was wonderful to see so many children wearing red, white and blue yesterday and celebrating the 80th Anniversary of VE Day. There has been so much in the media over the last couple of weeks about schools not teaching the children of the importance of days like today and about British History – at Hawkinge Primary School we love to get the bunting and bubble machines out to have a celebration to mark key dates in British History and to teach the children about why these days are special – from VE day to the Coronations and Jubilees! The children spent time yesterday hearing from people who were in London celebrating VE Day, looking at archived news clips and using the Royal British Legion website to learn more about VE Day. It was also great to see so many children and families taking selfies with Winston Churchill too! 😊 I overheard many conversations at ‘drop off time’ between parents and children about who Winston Churchill was. Thank you for all your support with the event. We raised £330.00 which we will be donating to the Royal British Legion – thank you!

Last Friday our Boys Football Team played our Herald Cup quarter-final match against Christ Church. The team played some good football, creating a number of chances. Joshua put us ahead in the first half before Lewis scored a penalty to make it 2-0 at half-time. Lewis scored twice more in the second half to complete his hat-trick. It was another good team performance that takes us through to the semi-finals of the competition! The team that played was: Joseph, Carter, Micah, Lewis, Reggie, Ole, Joshua, Charlie, Roman, Theo, Cameron and Lenny.

Next week is SATs week for our Year 6 pupils – they are all prepared and ready to get them started!!

On Thursday we have another Census Day. As you know we give every child a free school lunch on Census Day as this helps with our school funding! Lunch will be sausages (with a veggie option) herby cubed potatoes and chocolate cake, please take advantage of a free lunch! 😊

Don't forget to book your place on the Friendship First Aid course for parents next Friday too – we still have spaces!

On the reverse of this week's newsletter is an invitation for you to join with our Parent Consultation about our Relationships and Sex Education curriculum – if you are available we would love for you to get involved.

Have a lovely weekend

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Invites you to our

Parent Consultation Session: Relationships & Sex Education

Thursday 22nd May 2025

1:30pm – 3:00pm

Following the success of our "How We Teach Relationships & Sex Education" workshop last term, we are now seeking your views as part of our ongoing efforts to develop our provision at Hawkinge Primary School.

Later this term, we are offering a Relationships & Sex Education Parent Consultation session for us to look at how we can further improve our RSE curriculum.

During the session, we will be looking at:

- Current RSE provision & feedback from the parent workshop
- Reflecting on how well our RSE provision enabled children's learning in Term 4
- Reviewing our current RSE Policy
- Creating a list of proposals to consider for the next academic year

We'd love to have you join us for these discussions - Please complete the reply slip below to book your place. Thank you.

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☐ I/we would like to attend the **Parent Consultation for Relationships & Sex Education** session on Thursday 22nd May, 1:30pm – 3:00pm

Name/s:

Child/ren at Hawkinge Primary School: