

Hartshorne C of E



Primary School

# November 2023 Updates

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*Friday 10 November 2023*

## *Online Safety*

### *Resource - Primary and Parents - Lego Build and Talk*

*Lego, makers of those plastic bricks that really hurt when you step on them, have created some wonderful activities for children aged 6-9 years which I think would be very useful for parents and the classroom. There are six different topics which are designed to help children navigate the online world safely, including conversation starters. The topics include cyber bullying, screen time, false information and others. All the activities and resources are free. See [HERE](#) for further information.*

Courtesy of Alan Mackenzie

### *Christian Vision and Values*

*Our Christian value this half term is: Nurture*

### *Vision*

Our vision and values are born out of God's love and nurture of all creation. Together we work as a family to see one another grow and flourish: Knowing that we are precious and unique to God.

We aim to live out our values in our school and the world around us: as we play our part in God's wonderful creation story

### *Motto*

*God's family, growing together, inspiring our world*

### **Safeguarding**

*Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility. If you are worried or concerned for the welfare of a child please call 01629 533190.*

### **Nursery Rhyme Week**

*Next week is Nursery rhyme week. Nursery rhymes are important for early language development, literacy and numeracy skills, as well as develop social and emotional skills. Take a look at [Home - World Nursery Rhyme Week](#) for song ideas you can sing with your children*

### **Beech Class Phonics Workshop**

*Phonics workshop with parents for Reception children.*

*Thursday 23rd Nov 9-9.30 in the school hall.*

*Come along and join in a phonics session with your child. It's great fun.*

### **PSHE & RSE Consultation**

<https://primarysite-prod-sorted.s3.amazonaws.com/hartshorne/UploadedDocument/16166160-33d9-4260-895c-9815019b2cf5/pshe-policy-feb-2022.pdf>

*This is the current policy for relationships and sex education. Please have a read and let Mrs Mellor know your thoughts.*

### **Anti-Bullying Week**

*Next week we will be involved in lots of anti -bullying activities. We will commence awareness by wearing odd socks on Monday. The anti-bullying ambassadors will present an assembly to the school on Wednesday.*

### **Oak Class Violins**

*Just a reminder that violins go home on Tuesday and should return to school on Friday. Thank you*

**Parent View - What do you think?**

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=IPH46ISFrEuVd5Cm0I5QQ1TmJjzf6pdJlyWFQVLNouNURtdOUki3Rks3VINFMDCySORHWEtRTVdKMi4u>

***Dates For Your Diary***

<https://hartshorne.secure-primariesite.net/term-dates-1/> Term dates for next academic year

<https://hartshorne.secure-primariesite.net/letters-to-parents/> Swimming dates for Pine Class

*13 Nov Governor visits in school*

*17 November Bag 2 School <https://bag2school.com/what-we-collect>*

*22 Nov Pine and Oak Into Film Festival*

*1 Dec Pine & Oak The Snowman Performance Visit to Derby (more information to follow)*

*8 Dec Beech Class Experience Christmas at Church*

*15 Dec Pine and Oak Christmas Carol Service at Church 2.15pm start all welcome*

*18 Dec Christmas lunch and jumper day*

*20 Dec Willow and Beech Nativity at Church 2.30pm - Ticket information to follow*

*21 Dec Willow and Beech Nativity at Church 2.30pm - Ticket information to follow*

*22 Dec Holiday - School Closed*

*6 Feb Safer Internet Day*

***Have a lovely weekend***

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