

'Learning together, loving others, guided by God'

Heene Church of England (Aided) Primary School

Dear Parents and Carers, 21st July 2022

Welcome to our final Newsletter of our school year 2021/2022, and what a year it has been!

I want to focus this final newsletter on thanking you all for the support, honesty, challenge, emails, phone calls and words of encouragement you have shared with us, throughout this rollercoaster of a journey. We are both so very grateful for this.

We have to say that the Summer Fair was one of the many high points of the year, because to Julia and me, it showed the absolute potential which Heene has. This is because the community of the school has the potential to become life-changing for the children who attend. With each member of the school community playing its part in the improvement of the school, it will not be long before that true potential becomes the reality at Heene.

This week the Year 6 End of Year Show demonstrated more of that potential, as did the wonderful church services this morning – just a beautiful end to the school year and our time as Co-Headteachers at Heene.

We have many great memories to take with us into retirement and it has been an absolute privilege to serve at Heene during this final year. We both wish Mr Trahern every happiness and limitless success, as he takes over the leadership of Heene with Miss Beer in September.

Ofsted Meeting:

Apologies for the delay in getting the information regarding the outcome of the Parents' Meeting which was held a couple of weeks ago. This will be sent to you today, separately from this Newsletter. Please do read it carefully and then you should feel fully up to date with all that was discussed at that meeting.

The winning House of the Summer Term:

It has been a very close contest all term but the final scores are in and this term's winners are Sycamore House. Well done to all of you!

Sycamore	Willow	Elm	Oak
1756	1224	1291	1745

















Pupils of the Year: This week, we have asked the teachers to undertake the impossible task and to select their 'Pupil of the Year'.

They have been asked to select just one child who, day in and day out, has shown 'The Heene Way', in all their actions, their kindness, their bravery and their absolute effort to be the best they can be'. These achievements have been celebrated in Church this morning. We have listed the award winners names below. A superb effort from all of them and much deserved – congratulations to all.

Gruffalo	Alex	
Elmer	Cleo	
Funnybones	Charlie Bacon	
Paddington	Mahika	
Gravett	Sebastian	
Jeffers	Tanatswa	
Pichon	Martha	
Stanton	Flynn	
Hardy	Cyril	
Rundell	Monica	
Morpurgo	Felix	
Blackman	Callie	
Horowitz	Lynn	
Almond	Lucas	

And finally – Have a wonderful summer break! School returns for the children on Monday 5th September at 8.40am.

With warmest regards and thank you again,

Joy Waelend and Julia Sherlock Co-Headteachers