

### Hunters Hall Primary School Stay at home Snippets

Issue: 6 April 2020

#### Earth Day Winners



### Congratulations to:

Maryam RM
Sophia 2A
Paisy 2K
Piary 2T
Liyana 36
Ariana 3R
Blagovesta 3R
Anca 4N
Charlie 4N
Henry 4N
Jai 4N
Millie 4N
Sean 5S

Winners of our first annual Earth Day competition.
Well done to everyone for bringing awareness to climate change and helping our environment!

Dear pupils, parents & carers,

I hope this edition of Snippets finds you all well and coping with our restricted social opportunities.

I have been very excited to see your pictures and videos of Teeny. Mrs Allen has even knitted a duck and sent it into school. It features in our staff video, which will soon be posted for you all to enjoy. We may not meet with you each day but we wanted to show you that we are still here and thinking of you all. I hope our video brings a smile to your faces as we enjoyed participating in it.

Your teachers are posting new work on a regular basis and we have set up year group emails for you to send any queries or comments to the staff about the work. Please see the box to the bottom left of this page for further information.

The school is open every weekday to provide childcare for critical workers' children, so should you have any queries or problems, please give us a phone call or write an email and we will get back to you as soon as we can.

As time goes on it is easy to forget the main ways to stay safe, so please continue with frequent 20 second handwashing, keeping a social distance and staying home until the time comes for us all to be together again.

Keep safe and well, Selina Frazer, Headteacher.

#### Communication

We continue to use our Parenthub and/or Twitter feed <a href="https://twitter.com/Huntershallps">https://twitter.com/Huntershallps</a> to communicate messages during the time that the school is closed to most pupils in order to provide childcare to critical workers' children. Home Learning activities, which are updated regularly, can be located here: <a href="http://www.huntershallprimary.org.uk/home-learning/489.html">http://www.huntershallprimary.org.uk/home-learning/489.html</a>

Remember that each year group has an email address:
Reception@hunters-hall.bardaglea.org.uk
Yone@hunters-hall.bardaglea.org.uk
Ytwo@hunters-hall.bardaglea.org.uk
Ythree@hunters-hall.bardaglea.org.uk
Yfour@hunters-hall.bardaglea.org.uk
Yfive@hunters-hall.bardaglea.org.uk
Ysix@hunters-hall.bardaglea.org.uk

You can send questions or work to the relevant year group. (Responses will be given during working hours Monday to Friday)

#### Quackerteeny

Take Teeny on an Adventure

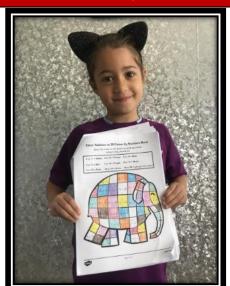
Did you see the latest
Hunters Hall pupil?
Our school duck,
Quackerteeny, or Teeny for
short, has been roaming
round the school and
getting a little bit bored.
Could you take Teeny on
an adventure at your
home? Maybe Teeny could
take you on an adventure?
You could jump on Teeny's
back or under Teeny's wing
and fly wherever you would
love to go.



#### Maths Work

#### Science Experiment

#### Learning About Planets







Henry 4N



Shekinah 1H

#### Bird House

### Mini Piñatas



Teodora 3R recycled a milk bottle and made this lovely birdhouse to hang in her garden.



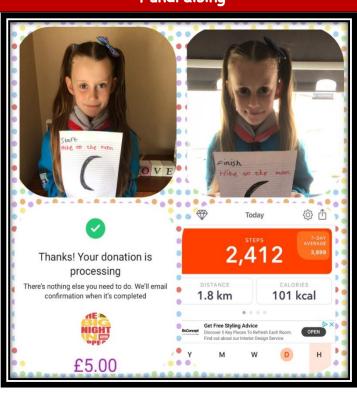
Courtney, Daniel, Demi and their little brother Nathan making mini piñatas.

#### Teeny

#### **Fundraising**



The children had a go at drawing Teeny and made him some HH friends to play with - Snow the Polar Bear and Max the Wolf!



Lois took part in a Scouts' Fundraiser Hike to the Moon and we donated cash to help people in this crisis

#### VE Day 8th May 2020

When VE Day dawns on 8th May 2020 it will be 75 years since the guns fell silent at the end of the war in Europe.

The 75th anniversary will provide our nation, and our friends around the world, with an opportunity to reflect on the enormous sacrifice, courage and determination of people from all walks of life who saw us through this dark and terrifying period. It will be an opportunity for us all to remember the enormous sacrifices that were made at home and abroad and to joyously celebrate as people did 75 years ago, the arrival of peace in Europe.

We would like to mark this day with our own Make Do and Mend Celebration during this difficult time. We would like the children and our families to take part in one or all of the following activities and we will then put together a special 75th VE Day Anniversary Stay at Home Snippets.

#### What is VE day? Why is it important?

https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/48201749 https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/history-ks2-ve-day/z7xtmfr https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbbc/watch/horrible-histories-songs-ve-day-song

- Write words of thanks on the British Legion message board https://www.britishlegion.org.uk/get-involved/ways-togive/march-poppy-press/leave-your-ve-da y-message
- Learn the Lindy Hop <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6fDIPCuGpjE">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6fDIPCuGpjE</a> <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r5DWLZGQOoE">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r5DWLZGQOoE</a>
- Decorate and create bunting





- Learn War time songs <a href="https://www.britishlegion.org.uk/stories/ve-day-singalong">https://www.britishlegion.org.uk/stories/ve-day-singalong</a>Join us at 9pm on Friday 8 May for a UK-wide rendition of Dame Vera Lynn's 'We'll Meet Again' to mark the 75th anniversary of VE Day.
- Follow War time recipes and create your own street party indoors <a href="https://the1940sexperiment.com/100-wartime-recipes/">https://the1940sexperiment.com/100-wartime-recipes/</a>
- Hold your own indoors 'street party' to celebrate VE day
- Research VE Day
  <a href="https://www.britishlegion.org.uk/get-involved/remembrance/remembrance-events/ve-day-75">https://www.britishlegion.org.uk/get-involved/remembrance/remembrance-events/ve-day-75</a>
  <a href="https://www.english-heritage.org.uk/visit/inspire-me/ve-day/">https://www.english-heritage.org.uk/visit/inspire-me/ve-day/</a>
  <a href="https://www.veday75.org">https://www.veday75.org</a>

**VE Day 75th Anniversary Celebrations** 

# STAY AT HOME STREET PARTY!

Friday 8th May 2020

# AND BLUE AND ENJOY A PICNIC IN YOUR FRONT GARDEN

Commemorate the end of WW2 by celebrating with your family, friends and neighbours!

