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Sound-Alike Words 4

Words which sound the same as each other but have different spellings and meanings are called **homophones**. Read the sentences below. Underline the incorrect word in each sentence and write a sound-alike word (a word that sounds the same but which fits the sentence) in the space provided:

1. At first we road our bikes side by side, then Kay went in front. _____
2. For sail: portable colour TV – £45 o.n.o. _____
3. We sore Westlife in concert last summer in Dublin. _____
4. I might be late for dinner; I'll be tide up until about half past six. _____
5. Caitlin was looking for a good novel to reed on holiday. _____
6. After lunch Mikhail and his grandson went for a walk by the see. _____
7. Make us a nice cup of tee, will you? _____
8. You've really caught the son, haven't you? _____
9. Your daft dog never stops chasing his tale, does he? _____
10. Everybody at the office Christmas party had a wail of a time. _____
11. Their's something I've been meaning to tell you. _____
12. Some people are never satisfied with they're jobs. _____
13. The Japanese flag is white with a read circle in the middle. _____
14. It's to late to say you're sorry. The whole wedding's ruined! _____
15. My brother's too children are coming to stay for the weekend. _____

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Answers:

1. At first we road our bikes side by side, then Kay went in front. rode
2. For sail: portable colour TV – £45 o.n.o. sale
3. We sore Westlife in concert last summer in Dublin. saw
4. I might be late for dinner; I'll be tide up until about half past six. tied
5. Caitlin was looking for a good novel to reed on holiday. read
6. After lunch Mikhail and his grandson went for a walk by the see. sea
7. Make us a nice cup of tee, will you? tea
8. You've really caught the son, haven't you? sun
9. Your daft dog never stops chasing his tale, does he? tail
10. Everybody at the office Christmas party had a wail of a time. whale
11. Their's something I've been meaning to tell you. there
12. Some people are never satisfied with they're jobs. their
13. The Japanese flag is white with a read circle in the middle. red
14. It's to late to say you're sorry. The whole wedding's ruined! too
15. My brother's too children are coming to stay for the weekend. two

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