



Hughenden Primary School

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Newsletter – June 2022 SCHOOL NEWS

Dear Parents / Carers,

Welcome back to the final half term of this academic year. This year has certainly flown by and it is hard to believe we only have 28 school days left until the end of the school year. I know we have a lot planned in that short time including our sports day, an open evening for all families, new Reception children visits and transition days. Please see the dates at the bottom of this newsletter for more information relating to the sporting and other events also planned.

Year 6 are currently in the Isle of Wight on their residential and having an amazing time in the sea and zip lining through the grounds. I am sure they will be tired when they return later today! We have reserved dates for next year too and our current Y5s will find out more in due course.

We would like to extend a warm welcome to our new families and children who have joined Hughenden Primary School this term: Elijah Year 1, Isla and Aaradhya Year 2, Oleksii Year 4 and Anjeneyan Year 5. We have 4 more children starting next week who we are looking forward to welcoming too.

Secondary School Transfer Test

Please see separate letter sent to year 5 families yesterday.

Urgent Health & Safety Issue

Yesterday afternoon I witnessed a near miss on the turning circle where a group of children were playing football on the mound by the roundabout. The football rolled down the hill closely followed by a child who was narrowly missed by a car. I am sure I do not need to tell you how serious this could have been and once again, I am writing to tell you that once children have been dismissed at the end of the day they are your responsibility. From today, no pupils should be playing or walking/running on the mound at any time.

We take your children's safety very seriously and do our best to keep them safe and I'm sure you would want to do the same.

Secondly, please can we all be mindful and respectful to our neighbour's properties and gardens when arriving and leaving school.

Staffing

I am really pleased to be able to let you know that we have successfully recruited all our teaching staff for September 2022. I am now in the process of working out the practical arrangements for next year and will update you in due course but can let you know that all classes will be fully staffed from September 2022 which I know will be reassuring for you given the turbulence of the recent 15 months.

We welcome Mrs E Horrocks, EYFS/KS1 Lead/Class Teacher, Mr T Wyatt, Class Teacher and Miss E Mallandain-Lyall, Class Teacher to our friendly team.

I particularly wish to extend my thanks to Mr Churchill who has been teaching Year 3 since January this year; for his enthusiasm and commitment to ensuring the pupils have been well supported.

Kind regards
J E Garlick
Interim Headteacher

SEND Consultation

As you may know the government has published a green paper on the future of the special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) and alternative provision (AP) system and is undertaking a public consultation on the green paper's proposals.

The government is committed to improving outcomes for children and young people with SEND and those in alternative provision. We want to work with children, young people, parents, carers and those who advocate and work with them, as well as local and national system leaders, to achieve this ambition.

We encourage you to reflect on the proposals set out in this green paper and respond to the consultation.

The link can be found below

<https://consult.education.gov.uk/send-review-division/send-review-2022/consultation/subpage.2022-02-02.7538639008/>

Tempest Photographs – Deadline

The deadline for returning your orders to school is Monday 20th June 2022. Orders returned after this date will have to be made directly to Tempest which will incur a p/p charge. The proofs for Year 6 will be sent home on Monday 13th June.

Crossing Patroller update

Our School Crossing Patroller, Mario, has agreed to cover the crossing full time up to the 8th July after which he will be travelling to visit his family and not returning until mid-September so there may be a period of time where the crossing is unmanned.

Good news, however, they have met a potential new patroller for the school who is currently going through the recruitment process. If there is a gap in covering the crossing, we will email to notify you of this.

Hughenden Hoppers Preschool

We have a few spaces remaining in our Hughenden Hoppers Preschool for the Summer Term and are now taking bookings for the Autumn Term 2022 and beyond. If you are interested in confirming a booking, please head over to our school website for the booking and funding forms. These can all be found under the Hughenden Hoppers tab. If you have any queries, or wish to book a visit, please call us on the school number to arrange this.

If parents wish to increase the hours their child currently attends, please contact Mrs Brinkworth to discuss further.

Travelling Book Fair

We have scheduled our book fair offering "3 books for the price of 2" books for week commencing 27th June 2022. Further details to follow soon.

Bucks County Show

The Bucks County Show, which is one of the biggest one day agricultural shows in the Country, will be held at Weedon Park, three miles north of Aylesbury on Thursday 1st September 2022.

The main attractions this year will be The Bolddog Lings Freestyle Motorcycle Display Team, Military Band, The Sheep Show, Vintage Tractors, Countryside Area and much more. This is a fantastic fun and educational day out for all the family.

This year we are offering up to 3 FREE Child tickets (up to the age of 16) with a full paying Adult or Over 65 ticket when purchased online. To take advantage of this offer please click the link below and follow the instructions. This offer ends at midnight on 31st August 2022.

<https://buckscountyshow.ticketsrv.co.uk/schoolbookings>

Please add the required tickets to your basket

Click 'Checkout'

Enter SCHOOL22 into the promotion code box and click redeem and continue with your purchase.

Bucks County Show

Thursday 1st September 2022

No. 5 Lilies, High Street, Weedon, Buckinghamshire HP22 4NS.

01296 680 400

info@buckscountyshow.co.uk

iRock

Information was sent out on the 25th May regarding the iRock Club – in order for this to be viable, they need more take-up. Please refer to the information that was sent and book up should you be interested.

FRIENDS UPDATE



JUNE ISSUE 2022

Fundraising Events

Platinum Jubilee Picnic



I think we can all agree, collaboration of Staff and Friends of HPS resulted in a thoroughly enjoyable afternoon for all! It was fantastic to finally be able to come together and celebrate as a community, see the children's work and watch the children sing and have so much fun.

The stalls, cake sale and raffle made an incredible profit of £591.89

Thank you to all the parents, families and local businesses for supporting the Platinum Jubilee Picnic with such generous donations.

Local Businesses: The Harrow, Hughenden Village Store, Christina Bohane Fitness, Zumba with HMC Fitness, Community Champions at Morrisons, Expect Amazing Books.

Platinum Jubilee Keepsakes

Thank you to everyone who purchased a Jubilee Keepsake with their child's amazing drawing immortalised onto a mug, tea towel etc. **Profit made: £98**

Wycombe Wanderers Wear **Blue** Mufti Day



This was a fun event, to show support for our local Football Clubs play-off for promotion, and an opportunity for an easy fundraiser. Sadly, Wycombe Wanderers were defeated by Sunderland but we tried to send them positive vibes! **Profit made: £128.00.**

Easter Egg Hunt



It was wonderful to be able to host our 1st event back in the school grounds since COVID. it was a well-supported event and great to see parents and children haring around the field following the trail and performing the challenges.

Profit made: £ TBC

Fundraising Project/s



The last project we funded was a set of RWI Phonics Books to enable children to take home a book that directly linked to their phonics level.

At our next open meeting (23rd June 2022) we need to agree our next project. Some suggestions from school and parents are: Sports equipment and storage for ride on toys for EYFS.



Get involved!



- All parents are welcome and wanted
- All parents have skills that can help
- We are grateful for anytime you can contribute - even if it's only 20 minutes a year

UPCOMING EVENTS:

24th JUNE
Pre Loved Uniform
Sale

24th JUNE
Doughnut Sale

13th JULY
End of Term Discos

20th JULY
Stay & Play

FUNDRAISING UPDATE:

JUBILEE PICNIC £591.89

JUBILEE KEEPSAKES £98

WYCOMBE WANDERERS
MUFTI £128

EASTER EGG HUNT
£TBC

MOTHERS DAY £145.10

JOIN US AT OUR NEXT MEETING:

Tuesday 21st June

CONTACT US:

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SPRING TERM 2022 DIARY DATES

8/7/2022, 02/09/2022, 21/10/2022, 19/12/2022, 20/12/2022, 07/07/2023	INSET DAYS remainder of 2022 INSET days 22/23 academic year
13 th June 2022	Year 5 Visit to WISE Mosque High Wycombe
16 th June 2022	Year 5 Secondary School Transfer Test Presentation, 9am
18 th -25 th June 2022	Drowning Prevention Week
23 rd June 2022	Sports Festival Year 6 @ The Misbourne
w/c 27 th June 2022	Travelling Book Fair – details to follow
29 th & 30 th June 2022	Year 6 Production – details to follow
5 th & 6 th July 2022	Transition Days
7 th July 2022	Sports Day – further details to follow
11 th July 2022	School Reports to be sent home
12 th July 2022	Sports Day – (reserve date for inclement weather) Foundation trip to Pizza Express, Marlow – details to follow
13 th July 2022	New Entrants visiting (September 2022) 9.30-11am (parents and children) Sports Festival Year 1 @ The Misbourne
14 th July 2022	School Nursing Team – Foundation Class– Vision screening Open Evening, 5pm
15 th July 2022	New Entrants visiting (September 2022) 9.30-11am (children only)
16 th July 2022	Village Day – Heroes and Heroines Past & Present more information to follow
19 th July 2022	Year 6 Leavers Service, 2.30pm
20 th July 2022	Last Day of Term, 1.30pm finish