



The Old School Henstead

Newsletter

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Calendar for next week

Wednesday 6 July
Thursday 7 July

Summer Shows: 2.00pm *Bugsy Malone*
9.00 Leavers' Assembly

6.30pm *Peter Pan*

Friday 8 July
Saturday 9 July

Summer Shows: 2.00pm *Peter Pan*
Speech Day
Trinity College Music Examinations
Henstock Festival

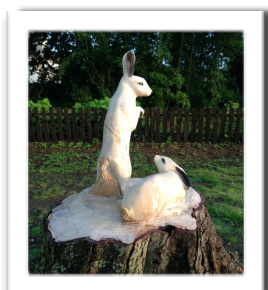
7.00pm *Bugsy Malone*

Dates for your diary

Monday 11 - Friday 22 July
Wednesday 7 September
Saturday 15 October

Summer School (bookable via the office)
Autumn Term Begins
Open Morning (save the date)

Message from the Headmaster



It seems no time ago that we were welcoming our children back to school at the beginning of another school year - yet in the blink of an eye we are celebrating the achievements of the year. The funds raised in aid of the *East Anglian Air Ambulance* have gone to an entirely worthy cause and one that reflects our locality so well also. We much enjoyed the Assembly led by EAAA paramedic Jemma on Tuesday, learning more about the service. We were happy to present a cheque for £3,068.55 plus a further £100 which was donated later, making a grand total of £3,168.55 which represents a great deal of determined effort from our boys and girls. Well done to all. We were also delighted to see our school values - Confidence, Resilience, Empathy, Adventure, Teamwork and Excellence - so well demonstrated in both the Sports Days, from Nursery through to Year Six. The pupils' determination to give of their best was a credit to their parents and teachers alike. We look ahead now to the Summer Shows and the celebration of success and achievements at Speech Day.

Mr McKinney

Cheque Presentation to East Anglian Air Ambulance.





Nursery News.



Beebops.

Nursery enjoyed their end of year treat today. Beckie from Beebops visited us for a fun dance, music and singing session with a *London Town* theme.



We sang lots of songs, danced to lots of music and most of all...made lots of noise! To end, Beckie put out lots of toys and put on some lovely sensory lights for us to enjoy. We were amazed to discover that the play sand was edible!



Thank you for a wonderful and engaging session to end a busy school year! Thanks Beebops!

Miss O'Mara and Miss Butcher



Nursery Star of the Year! ★

Dotty has decided who will receive her Nursery Star of the Year Award and the honour goes to...Spencer! Spencer has been a happy, kind and caring friend all year round and Dotty, Miss O'Mara and Miss Butcher feel that Spencer thoroughly deserves the award. Dotty is very excited to go and live at Spencer's house permanently and Spencer can't wait either! We hope you have lots of fantastic times together and take care of Dotty for us.

SPORTS ROUND UP

Nursery Sports Day



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Rounders, Trampolining & Hockey



ROUNDERS

We enjoyed two excellent afternoons of rounders as the children participated in the junior and senior inter-house competitions. Each match was extremely close, with the places being decided by only half a rounder.

Junior Rounders

1st Deben
2nd Orwell
3rd Yare
4th Waveney

Senior Rounders

1st Waveney
2nd Deben
3rd Yare
4th Orwell

With all the points contributing to the inter-house sports competition, who is going to win the coveted trophy on Speech Day?

Miss Goddard

TRAMPOLINING

After Speech Day next Friday, Charlotte W will be heading off to the National Trampolining finals in Telford. We will be cheering for you Charlotte and await the results with bated breath. We are so proud of your achievements in this sport.

CHAMPIONS TROPHY HOCKEY

Last Saturday Tilly and Lily were honoured with the role of ball carriers for the international Olympic warm up hockey match between the Netherlands and Argentina in London. The match was broadcast live on BT Sport. The girls walked on to the pitch with the referees, where they shook hands with the players. Afterwards they were able to get their autographs (including those of the New Zealand Black Sticks) and received commemorative Ball Carrier t-shirts. An unforgettable day - well done girls.



SPORTS ROUND UP

Sports Day



The sun shone as events started in the morning with a number of athletics competitions: long jump, high jump and ball throw. After lunch the track events began, with various races, relays, hurdles and fun races to end the afternoon. The house results for the day are tabled below, with Deben winning the trophy.

Place	House	Points
1	Deben	78
2	Yare	64
3	Waveney	59
4	Orwell	49





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Summer Fayre

A huge thank you to our wonderful PTFA for all the planning and hard work that created another successful Summer Fayre this week. We are most grateful to everyone in The Old School Henstead community for supporting this annual event. The final sum raised will be revealed soon.





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Mini Produce Show at the Summer Fayre



The Results

	Miniature Garden
1st	Emily B
2nd	Tilly
3rd	Alex H



	Baking (7 yrs & under)
1st	Caleb
2nd	Immy
3rd	Jack D
Highly Commended	Francis

	Best Group of Fruit or Veg
1st	Daisy W
2nd	George D
3rd	Bertie B
Highly Commended	Alex H



	Baking (over 7 yrs)
1st	Isabelle R
2nd	Bethany
3rd	Honor
Highly Commended	Kate B

	Most Unusual Fruit or Veg
1st	Skye

	Decorated Flower Pot
1st	Tilly
2nd	George D
3rd	Addison



Summer Showstoppers.



Don't forget to order your tickets for the Summer Shows - *Bugsy Malone* and *Peter Pan*. Always a highlight of the school calendar, there will be a matinée and evening performance of each show, to enable family and friends to come along.

Performances:

Wednesday 6 July	2.00pm Bugsy Malone 6.30pm Peter Pan
Thursday 7 July	2.00pm Peter Pan 7.00pm Bugsy Malone

We look forward to seeing you there.



Mascots



The mascots are off on their spa break - to spruce up and rejuvenate ahead of Speech Day, when they will be awarded to the pupil in each year who has best demonstrated the school's six values throughout the year. The recipients will keep their mascots. New mascots, as chosen recently by each year group, will be arriving in time for the start of the new academic year.

UNIFORM SHOP

Opening Times
(term time)

Tuesdays 8.30-9.30

Thursdays 3.15-4.15

Summer School



Our Summer School will run from Monday 11 July – Friday 22 July (Monday – Friday 9.30am – 3.30pm) and is open to pupils from Reception to Year 6.

Week 1

Monday	Olympic Day
Tuesday	Olympic Day
Wednesday	Crabbing at Walberswick
Thursday	Music, Art and Drama
Friday	Splash and BBQ

Week 2

Monday	Olympic Day
Tuesday	Olympic Day
Wednesday	Trip to the Maize Maze
Thursday	Bouncy Castle & Obstacle Course
Friday	Splash and BBQ

Children may attend the full two weeks, one week or individual days.
Mr Hunter

Sports & Shows



Additional photographs of the Sports Days can be found on our twitter page:
<https://twitter.com/OldSchoolHstead>

Photographs of the Summer Shows will also be posted there, so please keep a look out.

PTFA News Extra

Henstock Festival Saturday 9 July. A mini festival of live music and children's entertainment. Tickets: £25 Adult £10 Child, including BBQ. No extra for camping. See posters for details of the entertainment and activities.

Next PTFA Meeting Thursday 15 September (evening)



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