



# THE OLD SCHOOL HENSTEAD

INDEPENDENT PREPARATORY SCHOOL



School Newsletter  
Summer Term  
14th June 2024





Hard to believe we are in the Summer Term. What happened to the sun? Monday morning, day of departure for the Year 5 residential trip to the Wardens Centre and it was pouring with rain!

Spirits far from dampened, the intrepid Year 5 team set off on their adventure and did they have a good time? They most certainly did! What a wonderful testament to our boys and girls, determination, teamwork and a zest for life. A portrayal of everything Henstead. Well done to all!

- Miss Clifton



## Key Dates:

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**Weds 19th June - Sports Day & Summer Fair** EYFS - 1.10pm  
School - 1.30pm

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**Thursday 20th June - Parent/Governor Meeting - 4.15pm - 5pm**

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**Thursday 20th June - Non-Uniform Day - Euros Football**

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**Friday 21st June - Parent/Teacher Meetings - from 1.30pm**

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**Monday 24th June - Pupil Transition Morning**

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**Tuesday 25th June - Music Concert - 9am**

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**Weds 26th June - Parent Transition Meeting - 3.35pm - 3.50pm**

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**Thursday 27th June – Year 3 & 4 Trip to Whitlingham**

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**Thursday 27th June – Year 3, 4 & 5 Camp Out**

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**Tuesday 2nd July - EYFS Show & Graduation - 8.50am - 9.20am**

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**Weds 3rd & Thursday 4th July - Summer Show - 6.30pm**

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**Friday 5th July - Speech Day / Picnic - 12.00pm - Speech Day - 2.00pm**

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Full details regarding each of these events will be provided nearer the time and more dates will be added weekly.





JOIN US FOR OUR

# *Sports Day & Summer Fair*

WEDNESDAY 19TH JUNE



Sports day  
starting at 1.30pm  
(EYFS 1.10pm),  
followed by our  
Summer Fair!

GAMES  
&  
STALLS

BOUNCY  
CASTLE

Join us for lots of fun including:

- Face painting • Cake sale
- Ball throw • Bouncy castle
- Sponge the teacher & more!



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# SUMMER Holiday Club

**MONDAY 8TH TO FRIDAY 12TH JULY**  
**9AM – 3.30PM**

## MONDAY

### ARTS & CRAFTS

EGG CARTON CORAL REEF  
SEA GLASS PRINT

For Children in Reception Onwards

## THURSDAY

### BIKE & SCOOTERS

FUN, GAMES, CHALLENGES &  
COMPETITIONS

## TUESDAY

### BAKING

COOKIES &  
CUPCAKES

## FRIDAY

### WET & WILD DAY

SLIP & SLIDE, WATER FIGHT,  
WATER OBSTACLE COURSE

## WEDNESDAY

### OUTDOOR DAY

DENS, CAMP SETUP,  
BONFIRE & SMORES, GAMES

with Miss Bennie & Mrs Solomon

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to book

**£40 Per Day**

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# Reception

The Reception children have been busy tackling their maths assessments this week and all are doing so well! We even moved on to some Y1 maths in between tests and they've all taken it in their stride. Well done reception, you're maths superstars!

- Miss Doughty







## Year Two

In maths this week we have been working on capacity. We were looking at measuring in millilitres (ml) and then investigated how many millilitres some small containers held, using a 5ml teaspoon. Some held more than we expected!

- Mrs Solomon







## Year 5

Year Five headed off to the Wardens Centre for their residential trip, 2 nights camping and lots of activities were in store.

The trip started with us heading to the local supermarket to buy our food and drinks. The children had organised and planned their meals, a successful trip with 8 bags of shopping! We headed to the bus to make our way to Kenton Hills woods, in these woods was an orienteering task, both groups had to work as quickly as they could to find the 11 hidden letters and work out the jumbled up word. Next up was a short hike back to camp. Tents were erected and the children had a chance to explore the Wardens centre itself. Dinner was cooked by Mrs Sonn, a swim in the sea was followed by roasting marshmallows over the fire and bed time.







Day two, was a morning a Thorpeness where we took a rowing boat to explore the meare, having a look at each island and the children showing who could be future Olympics rowers! An ice cream to build up the energy to walk back was in order.

Once back we got on our bikes and biked around the local byways, stumbling across some Ponies on our adventures. Another swim and bonfire, followed by an earlier night where much needed sleep was had.

The boys and girls really done themselves proud, lots of team work and working out obstacles put before them but they all excelled. Well done Year 5.

- Mr Hunter











# School Mascots & Achievements

Well done to all of our mascot winners this week:

Reception - Halle  
Year One - Grace  
Year Two - Freddie

Year Three - Jonah  
Year Four - Minty  
Year Five - James



Congratulations to Max, who was awarded the player's player trophy by his team mates at Waveney Panthers Football Club.





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**PRESENTS**

**THE HENSTEAD  
ROYAL VARIETY**



**SHOW**

**FEATURING  
OUR STARS, THE OLD  
SCHOOL HENSTEAD  
CHILDREN**

**WEDNESDAY 3RD &  
THURSDAY 4TH JULY**

**SHOW STARTS 6.30PM**

**(REFRESHMENTS FROM 6PM /  
DOORS OPEN 6.15PM)**

**POPCORN, ICE  
CREAM &  
REFRESHMENTS  
AVAILABLE**

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HERE:**



**TICKETS  
£8 PP**

**SINGING,  
DANCING, DRAMA  
PERFORMANCES,  
MUSICAL  
PERFORMANCES &  
MORE!**





## Lunch Menu - w/c 17th June

MONDAY	Chicken Korma Served with Rice and Naan Bread & Salad Bar (a,b,d,e,g,i)
TUESDAY	Tomato and Roasted Vegetable Pasta Bake with Garlic Bread and Salad Bar (a,b,d,g,i)
WEDNESDAY	Sausage Roll with Chips, Beans and Salad Bar (a,b,d,g,i)
THURSDAY	Toad in the Hole served with Seasonal Vegetables (a,b,d,e,g,i,m,n)
FRIDAY	Breaded Cod served with Chips, Garden Peas or Baked Beans and Salad Bar (a,b,d,e,g,i)

Daily - Selection of Fresh Fruit, Yoghurts, Cheese and Biscuits with a Sweet Treat on a Friday

(g,b)

*Alternatives for vegetarian, vegans and food intolerances.*

(a=celery, b=gluten, c=crustaceans, d=eggs, e=fish, f=lupin, g=milk, h=molluscs, i=mustard, j=nuts, k=peanuts, l=sesame seeds, m=soya, n=sulphur dioxide)





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