

Newsletter 14 - Thursday 28th March 2024

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Year 5 Easter assembly

This week Year 5 parents have enjoyed a fabulous Easter Assembly. All 3 classes combined to present an assembly which was both informative and very uplifting. It was a delightful end to the Spring term and a wonderful way to mark the celebration of Easter.

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Summer Uniform

A reminder that after the Easter holiday we move to our summer uniform:

Grey trousers/shorts/skirt/pinafore dress or Short sleeve dress in red and white check White school polo shirt with school logo* Red school sweatshirt or sweatshirt cardigan with school logo* Black, grey or white socks Black school shoes NOT trainers *Only available from School Uniform Direct

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We are hiring!

Are you looking for a local term time job? We are hiring!

For further information and to apply please follow the link(s) below:

<u>Assistant Teacher https://www.eteach.com/jobs?empNo=7333</u>

<u>Lunchtime Playleader https://www.eteach.com/job/lunchtime-play-leader-1412520</u>

School Office Assistant https://www.eteach.com/job/school-office-assistant-1412505

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Exciting news - Joe Wick's AKA The Body Coach

On Tuesday 16th April, **Joe Wicks** will be coming to <u>NEW HAW COMMUNITY SCHOOL</u> along with a film crew as part of BBC's Children in Need's mental health campaign! He will be working with years 5 and 6 on mental health and mood boosting as well as his well-known physical activities! <u>Please see the letter sent to all Year 5 and 6 parents with a consent form attached that MUST be completed and returned to us no later than 12 noon on Monday 15th April if you wish your child to participate.</u>

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E-Safety Evening - Thursday 6th June 2024

Keeping our children safe using the internet both at home and at school is a priority for parents and educators alike. One major difficulty is keeping abreast of the rapid developments in technology and the consequent new threats posed to our children. We are therefore delighted to welcome Sharon Girling OBE to lead our E-Safety Day on Thursday 6th June.

Parents are invited to attend an evening session online. More details to follow next half term

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SORA - E-library including ebooks!

At New Haw Community School, we have signed up to an exciting venture with Hampshire Library Service which has expanded our library services we can offer to our children. In addition to a wider variety of the latest fiction, Dewey organised non-fiction and Meet The Author events, we are now able to offer access to a wide e-book library.

Pupil's will be able to access an e-Library system to browse, borrow and reserve eBook / Audiobook titles from the digital collection.

All children have been given a log-in which they can use to find a book they would like to enjoy. Books can be downloaded onto tablets or e-readers and there are even audiobooks for everyone to share!

As part of this exciting subscription, we are also delighted to include access to The Day Explorer which is a child-friendly online newspaper. This includes fascinating articles about a variety of topics, with key vocabulary explained helpfully in a way most children will be able to understand.

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Comic Relief



Thank you so much to everyone who kindly donated to the recent Comic Relief fundraiser. We are delighted to advise we have made the payment of £263 to them. Many thanks.

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Saying Farewell

Shortly after the Easter holidays we will be saying farewell to Mrs Gentile. Mrs Gentile is a great professional and a valued team member of the New Haw team - she will be greatly missed. We wish her well in her new role beyond education.

Headteacher Awards

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Congratulations to the following children who have been awarded a Headteacher Award for progress, improvement or academic excellence. These awards are made at the end of each half term and can be awarded for improvements in behaviour/attitude or for academic excellence.

3Q	3V	3G	4D	4R	4A
Hollie Salmon	Betsie Elliott	Thomas Gibson	Laura Eufrasio-Stokes	Chloe Wong	Henry Thomas
Axel Callaway	Max Evans	Eva-May Walker	Joey Pipe	Fletcher Nash	Effy Osborne
5 S	5C	5J	6G	6M	6S
5S Lewis Slade	5C Ruben Steeden	5J Mohammad Aryan Wajid	6G Harry Sparshatt	6M Perseus Lai	6S Rehan Riaz

Art Club

Year 5 and 6 Art club held a gallery this week to showcase some of the wonderful artwork they have produced this term.









New Walking Instructors needed

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Surrey County Council are hiring new Walking Instructors to join their Safer Travel team to help train Year 3 primary aged pupils across Surrey.

What is the Feet First: Walking Training Programme?

Feet First is a road safety and active travel skills awareness course that is aimed at Year 3 pupils (aged 7-8 years old). It will provide pupils with road safety awareness skills, providing them with a key life skill that prepares them for travelling independently in the future.

What is a Walking Instructor?

We would like to hear from people who want to make a difference for primary school-age pupils, by encouraging them to feel more confident walking to school by equipping them with the necessary road safety knowledge and awareness skills. You will be directly leading the on-road training sessions with small groups of trainees, so you will feel confident engaging children of 7-8 years old both in the classroom and during the on-road training elements of the course. You will also be confident working on your own, managing your own workload and timings, as although you may be attending schools with other Instructors, you will be expected to lead your own groups.

Full training provided.

So, if you are looking for a rewarding new role that is term time only and flexible around school drop-off and pick-up times, please apply using the following link: https://www.surreycc.gov.uk/jobs/search/details?id=563

Family First magazine

Please click on the link below for the latest edition of Family First magazine:

https://familyfirst.co.uk/issue2-24

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Attendance matters!

We know that a child's attendance has a direct impact on their learning. Those children who are regularly absent from school and regularly late do not achieve their potential and do fall behind in class. As well as this, going to school helps to develop friendships and social skills.

Parents who take their children out of school without authority for 5 or more days (which do not have to be consecutive), will be liable to receive a penalty notice. Currently, the amount payable under a penalty notice is £60.00 per parent/carer per child if paid within 21 days (This is due to increase to £80 from September). Thereafter the amount increases to £120.00 (£160 from September) if paid between 21 and 28 days. If the penalty notice remains unpaid after 28 days, the Local Authority will consider a prosecution in the Magistrates Court. Please note that penalty notices are issued per parent/carer per child so a family of two parents and two children will receive 4 penalty notices.

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School Diary

Monday 15th April	School resumes		
Thursday 25th April	3V Class assembly		
Friday 3rd May	Show & Share		
Friday 10th May	Class photos		
13th - 16th May	Y6 SATs		
Monday 20th May	Y6 residential trip *pls do not park on The Avenue from 08:30am		
Friday 24th May	Y6 residential return - update via SMS re ETA.		
Wednesday 5th June	3Q Class assembly		
Thursday 6th June	Sharon Girling - Online Safety. Details to follow.		
Friday 21st June	Additional training day - school closed.		
Thursday 27th June	Celebration Evening 4:30pm - 6:30pm		
Friday 28th June	Sports Day		









Learn how to cook and eat healthily on a budget

Learn new skills - cooking from scratch, meal planning and budgeting. Recipes from soup to cookies - for free!



Join us on Thursdays from 9th May 10am

- 12.30pm

For 6 weeks with a break for half term on 30th May
The Beacon, 94 Guildford Street
Chertsey, KT16 9AS

Contact Helen Bunclark
Eatwellspendless@runnymede.foodbank.org.uk
or Runnymede foodbank 01932 943056
for more details and to book a place



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2024/25 OPEN TRIALS

ALL TRIALS HELD AT WOKING COLLEGE (WC) OR ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST SCHOOL (SJB)

MONDAY 29TH APRIL 6:30 - 8PM, U10 @ WC 6:30 - 8PM, U12 BOYS @ SJB 8 - 9:30PM, U16 BOYS @ SJB

TUESDAY 30TH APRIL

6:30 - 8PM, U16 GIRLS @ WC 6:30 - 8PM, U14 BOYS @ SJB 8 - 9:30PM, U18 MEN @ SJB

WEDNESDAY 1ST MAY

6:30 - 8PM, U18 MEN @ WC 6:30 - 8PM, U14 & U18 GIRLS @ SJB 8 - 9:30PM, U14 BOYS @ SJB

THURSDAY 2ND MAY

6:30 - 8PM, U16 GIRLS @ WC 6:30 - 8PM, U16 BOYS @ SJB 8 - 9:30PM, U14 & U18 GIRLS @ SJB



REGISTER FOR TRIALS ON BLACKHAWKS.MYCLUBHOUSE.CO.UK/EVENTS/CALENDAR EMAIL: WOKINGBLACKHAWKSBB@GMAIL.COM

Dance Classes in Woking and Addlestone FRIDAY 3RD MAY 6:30 - 8PM, U10 @ WC 6:30 - 8PM, U12 BOYS @ SJB Wednesdays / Fridays / Saturday Come along and join us on to learn Irish dancing taught by Danielle Gale Classes for Boys and Girls age 4+ Kick start your 2024 with a New Hobby Teaching all important skills of teamwork, dedication, Self Confidence Helping to boast flexibility, Balance, Muscle strength and Cardio Sign up By emailing dgeliteschool@gmail.com Contact Danielle 07794893276





