



## Newsletter 29

### Blogs:

Don't forget to check your child's Seesaw account for a blog post from the class teacher about their learning at school this week.



Friday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2022

Dear Families,

Wow – what a busy week at Harnham Infants!

This week, in our professional development meeting, the teachers went to visit Wyndham Park Infant School to meet with other infant colleagues to moderate children's work and to have a look at their learning environment. This was part of a reciprocal visit where they visited our school during the previous week. We have thoroughly enjoyed this experience and it has been so beneficial to develop community links and share ideas.

We have also met with the junior school and Puddleducks to cement our plans for celebrating the Queen's platinum jubilee – please see the next page for details.

We look forward to seeing you on Monday, have a lovely weekend,

The Harnham Infant School Team

### Clubs - Update:

Please note that there will **no jewellery club on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May**. Thank you.

### Reminder Saturday Sweep Up:

We will be hosting a Saturday Sweep Up on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> May, from 10.00am until 12.30pm. We would love it if families have any spare time to come and support us to get some jobs done around the school environment so that we can keep it neat, tidy and fit for purpose to ensure the children get the very best for their learning. Please sign up in the clubs section of the school gateway app. Thank you!

### Parent Support Advisor Contact:

Chris Lister is the Parent Support Advisor for Harnham Infants and many families benefit from her expertise, support and advice. She can help parents with all sorts of things including difficulties with behaviour, financial matters, family breakdown and bereavement. Chris is also happy for you to get in touch if you're worried or concerned about any school related matters. You can contact her by email [psa@harnham-inf.wilts.sch.uk](mailto:psa@harnham-inf.wilts.sch.uk) or by telephone 07595217569



### Start of the Day:

Please remember the drop off window for children is between **8.45 and 8.55am**. We are noticing that some families seem to be arriving later and later and teachers are not getting in off the playground until gone 9.00am, when lessons are due to start. Please do not be offended if the teachers shut the gates promptly at 8.55am, even if we can see you walking up the road. You will then need to take your child to the school office if you arrive at school after the gates are closed. Thank you for your support.

### Celebration Assembly:

Congratulations to the following children who were in Celebration Assembly on Monday morning:

Joshua – Ladybird, Rosie – Hedgehog, Luna and Rex – Robin, Thomas – Bee, Lydia and Maya-Rae – Squirrel, Kuba – Woodpecker, George and Harrions – Dragonfly and Clara and Madison – Owl. A huge well done to all of these children – we are so proud of you!

We look forward to celebrating with more children on Monday. Please note that celebration invitations to parents are sent out by email on Tuesdays and a reminder sent on the Sunday before. Thank you.

### Dojo Rewards:

Congratulations to the **Robin** class who have reached their next dojo reward milestone. The Robins have chosen to have a class water fight by throwing water balloons. Please may the children bring in a towel and shorts and t-shirt that you don't mind getting wet in a carrier bag next **Friday, 20<sup>th</sup> May**? Please note that the children will **not** need to bring in water guns.

### Menu for Week Beginning 16.5.22:

We are pleased to be offering the following choices of hot dinners:

**Monday:** Sausages and Mash or Summer Vegetable Quiche and New Potatoes **Dessert:** Ice Cream

**Tuesday:** BBQ Chicken Fillet with Diced Potatoes or Tomato Pasta **Dessert:** Freshly baked Gingerbread

**Wednesday:** Bubble Salmon or Pizza with Potato Wedges **Dessert:** Victoria Sponge

**Thursday:** Roast Chicken & Stuffing or Vegetarian Sausages and Mash **Dessert:** Chocolate Brownie

**Friday:** Fish Fingers and Chips or Cheese and Tomato Quesadilla **Dessert:** Selection of Cold Desserts



### Dogs:

Please remember to tie your furry friends to the **inside** of the school gate, on the grassy area. Thank you.

### Date mix up:

We apologise for the confusion earlier in the week with regard to class photographs. After sending out an email to parents reminding them for the 9<sup>th</sup>, we realised in fact, this is due to happen on the **19<sup>th</sup> May**. Thank you for your understanding.

### Half Term Premier Sports – Multi Sports Camp in Downton:

We received the following message from Premier Sports:

*It is 3 weeks until the Whitsun holidays and we will be delivering our multi sports holiday camp in Downton.*

*The camp will take place at Downton Memorial Hall for 2 days on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May and Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> June.*

*Please note there will be no camp running on Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> May.*

To book visit: <https://www.premier-education.com/parents/venue/courses/24107-766107/>

*We look forward to seeing your children there!*

Regards,

Harry Feltham

Activity Professional

### Request from EYFS:

The Robins, Ladybirds and Hedgehogs would be grateful of any donations of foil or plastic tubs that you may have for an upcoming Design and Technology project. Thank you in advance.

### Sports Week:

Miss Hibberd is currently organising our Sports Week for the first week back after half term. If any parents work for, or know of, any sports or fitness companies that might be willing to come in and work with the children, please may they get in touch? You can contact Miss Hibberd by email [ahibberd@harnham-inf.wilts.sch.uk](mailto:ahibberd@harnham-inf.wilts.sch.uk)



**Premier**



### Reminder - Plans for the Queen's Jubilee:

As you know, this summer marks the platinum jubilee of Her Majesty the Queen. We have some exciting plans in place for the children at the end of term 5, week beginning 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2022.

We have been in contact with the Junior School and each year group from Year R to Year 6 are going to focus on a particular decade of the last 70 years and base their learning on that for the week. The decades for the infant children are as follows:

EYFS – 1990s

Year 1 – 2000s

Year 2 – 2010s

Then, on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May, each year group will create a museum about their decade and in the afternoon, all of the children will tour the museum across both schools and find out about the last 70 years and how things have changed throughout the Queen's reign. This museum will remain open after school until 4pm for any parents to go and have a look, once they have collected their children. There will be a map available to show you where to go. We do hope you will want to attend.

On **Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May**, children are invited to **come to school dressed in clothes from their decade (as above), dressed up as the Queen or dressed in red, white and blue**. We are all going to attend a joint street party with the Junior School and Puddleducks children at lunchtime. The kitchen have kindly agreed to create a menu that day suited to a street party theme for the children to enjoy. Afterwards, the year 6 children are going to set up some stalls / games in a traditional fete style for the infant children to go and enjoy.

In order to help with our preparations, we will need families to sign up and order their child's lunch for this day. Details of how to do this will follow next week.

In addition, Harnham Infants, along with Puddleducks and Harnham Juniors will want to **take photographs** of the event for including in our **newsletters and on our websites**. We are aware of the existing permissions and restrictions for individual children but if there are any further parents who do not wish their child to be photographed, please let us know. We will send some photos off to the Salisbury Journal too. Many thanks in advance for your support.

# Half-Term Tennis Camp

Wednesday 1st June - £40  
10am - 3pm



(for girls & boys aged 5-16 yrs)

Wimbledon starts in June, so let's get everyone having fun playing tennis!

## Venue:

Salisbury Tennis Club - Old Blandford Road, in Harnham, Salisbury, Wiltshire, SP2 8DQ

[www.salisburytenniscoaching.co.uk](http://www.salisburytenniscoaching.co.uk)

Call: 07788791328



# MAY SOCCER SCHOOLS

Kids spending their holidays playing football is nothing new. But when it's done at one of our Soccer Schools, you know that they're developing their skills with professionals and making the most of their time off. Our holiday courses are

for children aged 5-13, delivering excellent quality training from FA/UEFA accredited coaches who are first aid qualified & DBS certified. We create an engaging and enjoyable environment to develop their football skills while having fun.

## MAY SOCCER SCHOOLS: 30TH MAY - 1ST JUNE 2022

VENUE	TIME	SINGLE DAY	FULL COURSE NON MEMBER	FULL COURSE MEMBER
APPLEMORE COLLEGE, OSBORN PURLICE	0.8.00AM - 3.00PM	£25.00	£64.00	£58.00
HENRY BEAUFORT SCHOOL, WINCHESTER	0.8.00AM - 3.00PM	£25.00	£64.00	£58.00
HENRY BEAUFORT SCHOOL, WINCHESTER	0.8.00AM - 5.00PM	£32.50	£86.50	£77.75
HEMINGTON SCHOOL, ROMSEY	0.8.00AM - 3.00PM	£25.00	£64.00	£58.00
SARUM ACADEMY, SALISBURY	0.8.00AM - 3.00PM	£25.00	£64.00	£58.00
WILDOW LEISURE CENTRE, HOOBE END	0.8.00AM - 3.00PM	£25.00	£64.00	£58.00



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## Half Term Opportunities:

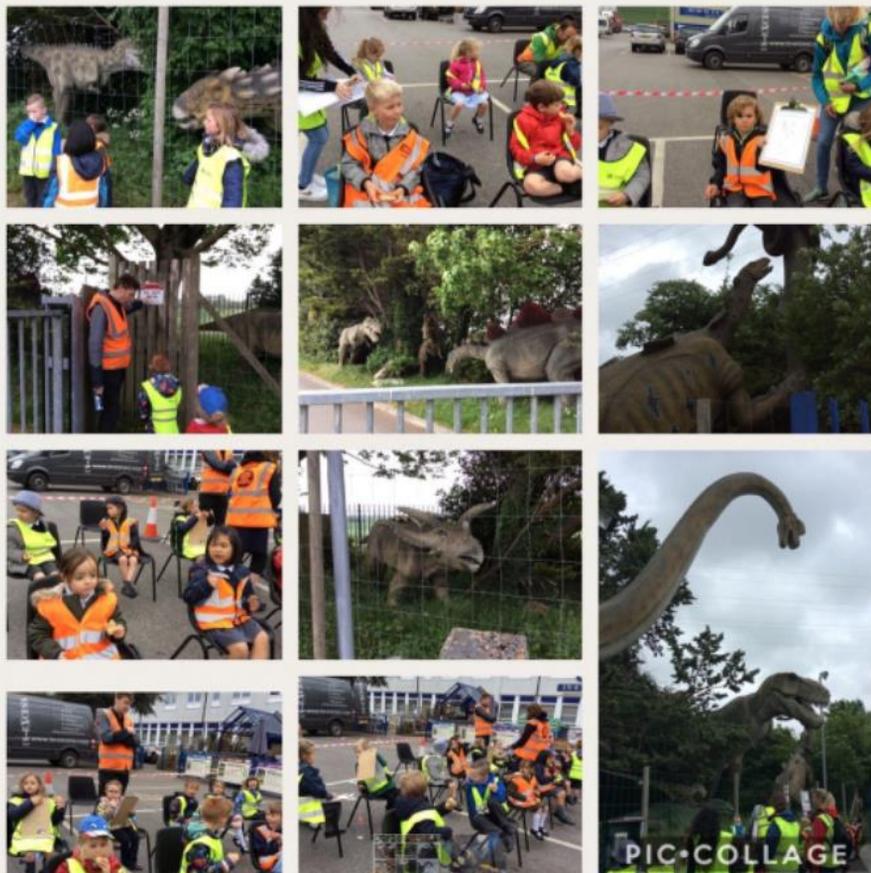
Please see above for some additional opportunities for the upcoming half term holiday. More information about the Southampton Soccer Schools is sent out in the email attachments along with this newsletter.

## Thank you:

Our EYFS children enjoyed a fabulous walk to In-Excess this week to see the Dinosaurs. We would like to say a huge "Thank You" to In-Excess as they were so helpful in planning the trip, setting up an area and putting out chairs for the children to sit and also giving every single child a toy dinosaur. What an amazing business in the local community! Thank you! We have included some photographs for you here too.

## Ukraine appeal – Thank you:

As you can see, by taking part in the non-uniform day in April, Wiltshire schools raised over £13,000!



## Support for Ukraine

Thank you to all the schools who raised funds for the "Support for Ukraine" non-school uniform day on 1<sup>st</sup> April and for all the various fund-raising activities.

Schools across Wiltshire raised over £13,000!

PIC-COLLAGES

## HSA Update – 200 club:

Please see the poster below. Entry forms for the 200 club have been sent out with this newsletter.

# 200 CLUB



Are you a **spreadsheet** whizz and would you like to help fundraise for the schools?

Then read on....we're looking for someone who would be able to volunteer up an **hour** each month to take on the role of "**HSA 200 Club Promoter**".

The task includes:

Cross-checking monies coming into the account

★ Drawing the lucky winners each month and distributing cheques (via school)

Completing a simple 'lottery returns' form quarterly

**A full handover will be given.**

★ If you think you could help or would like more information please get in touch with either Sarah Robertson 07899 958292 (current 200 Club Promoter) or Jennie Lynch 07725 658576 (HSA Chair).

More details about the 200 Club and how you can take part are attached – remember you need to be in it to win it, so sign up now!

