



News This Week...

Donations for our Year 6 Children

On Wednesday this week we received a visit from the team at First Day's Charity who very kindly donated stationery sets and calculators to every one of our Year 6 children to give them a start towards their journey into secondary school. We'd like to say a GREAT big thank you to them for this fantastic donation. These will be given to the children at their graduation assembly on the last day of term.



Reminder

Any medications, creams, lotions, etc must not be given to a child to bring into school. Please contact the office if you have any medical concerns or medicines that need to be administered during school time.

Sun Safety

With the change in the weather, we'd like to share a few important reminders with you:

- Please apply sunscreen at home before coming to school
- Please provide your child with a sun hat / cap
- Please do not send your child with sunglasses a sun cap is sufficient



Wellbeing and Mental Health

At Great Hollands Primary School, we are dedicated to supporting all our children and their families.

We provide a high-quality personal development programme at school, but we also want to help you support your child well-being and mental health at home, here are some helpful links.

- The Every Mind Matters website from the NHS offers expert advice and practical tips to help look after our mental health and wellbeing. <https://www.nhs.uk/every-mind-matters/>
- Young Minds - supporting young people's mental health. <https://www.youngminds.org.uk/>
- Kooth is a web based confidential support service available to young people. It provides a safe and secure means of accessing mental health and wellbeing support designed specifically for young people. - <https://www.kooth.com/>

Thank you for your continued support and have a lovely weekend.

Richard Ferris
Headteacher



Attendance Stars

Classes with the highest attendance this week:

- 1st Place – Tigers (98.5%)
- 2nd Place – Eagles (97.3%)
- 3rd Place – Foxes (97.0%)



Parking at pick up and drop off

Please be reminded that parents should not drive onto the school site at any time. The disabled bays at the front are for blue badge holders only and all other spaces are allocated to staff members.

We also ask that you continue to be mindful of our neighbours and do not park your car in Cunworth Court or any other residential area when coming to our school. It causes unnecessary upset for people living nearby when parents of our pupils' park in residents' bays and block access for them. We are very fortunate to have two large public car parks very close to our school, please use these and not the residential car parks.

Early Language Development Workshops

NHS Berkshire Healthcare offer monthly online workshops covering early language development. These are designed for parents and carers and those working in early years settings.

To view the workshops available and/or sign up for your place, please visit: <https://cypf.berkshirehealthcare.nhs.uk/our-services/children-and-young-peoples-integrated-therapies/early-language-development-workshops/>



Berkshire Healthcare
Children, Young People and
Families services

**Great Hollands
Primary
SCHOOL FAIR**

**Saturday 29th June 2024
1-4pm**

**£1 ENTRY
Children Free**

- ☆ BERKSHIRE REPTILES
- ☆ BUNGEE TRAMPOLINES
- ☆ LIVE MUSIC ☆ TOMBOLAS
- ☆ RIDES & BOUNCY CASTLE
- ☆ BIRDS OF PREY/OWL EXPERIENCE
- ☆ SIR WHIPPY ☆ HOOK A FROG
- ☆ BOTTLE HOOPLA
- ☆ SWEETS & TREATS
- ☆ FACEPAINTING
- ☆ RAFFLE ☆ BBQ ☆ COCONUT SHY
- ☆ AND MUCH MORE.....

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Diary Dates

JUNE 2024	
Tuesday 18 th – Monday 24 th	Book Fair in School (3 for 2 offers) every day from 3.15pm
Monday 24 th	Year 6 visit to South Hill Park
Wednesday 26 th – Friday 28 th	Year 6 Residential Trip to PGL Liddington
Saturday 29 th	FRoGS Summer Fair 1.00pm-4.00pm
JULY 2024	
Monday 1 st	Year 3&4 Trip to Dr Choc's Chocolate Factory, Windsor
Tuesday 2 nd	EYFS & KS1 Drama Workshop (Nursery-Year 2) – 9.00am-11.00am
	CHANGE OF DATE - Year 6 Enterprise Fete
Wednesday 3rd	INSET DAY – Children not in school
Wednesday 3 rd & Thursday 4 th	Year 6 Transition Days to Secondary School
Thursday 4 th	Year 1&2 Trip to Littlehampton
Friday 5 th	Nursery Transition Session 'Getting Ready for Big School' – 1.45pm-2.45pm in Gold Hall
	FRoGS Year 1&2 Cake Sale – 3.00pm-3.15pm
Tuesday 16 th	Year 6 Production for parents (afternoon and evening performances)
Friday 19 th	Year 6 Water Day
	FRoGS Nursery and Reception Cake Sale – 3.00pm-3.15pm
Monday 22 nd	Year 6 Prom – 6.00pm-8.00pm
Tuesday 23 rd	Year 6 Graduation Assembly – 10.00am
	End of Summer Term – school finishes at 2.15pm

Please note that these dates may be subject to change and we will always do our best to give as much notice as possible if changes do occur.



Bracknell Forest

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteer to help change a child's future

- Learn new transferable skills
- Gain experience & confidence
- Feel a sense of fulfilment
- Discover personal growth
- Make a difference



NEW 4-day training course

Starts Sept 2024

Join us 01344 860025 office@hsbf.org.uk www.hsbf.org.uk

Priestwood Vale FC



Priestwood Vale Football Club Player recruitment



The Raptors and Rhinos have arrived!
U9's, current school Year 3 starting year 4 in Sept 2024

If you have a young person looking for a friendly, welcoming team, please get in touch. Come and join us for 2 free training sessions to decide if we are the team for you!

Priestwood Vale Football Club is a small Bracknell based club, founded in 2017, with a strong and loyal parent and player base.



Season fees only
£180
Free Kit

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