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**'Improving outcomes for all our pupils
through high quality teaching and learning'**

Parent Newsletter – 18th September 2026

Another successful week at Hobbs Hill Wood! It has been great to welcome KS1 parents onto the playground which has made a noticeable difference to pupils and parents in the mornings. I have enjoyed spending time with KS2 this week in the mornings and visiting classrooms during Maths lessons. Swimming lessons are still continuing and it has been a wonderful opportunity for Year 6 and Year 4 pupils to develop their swimming skills. Next week, Year 5 will begin their swimming lessons and Year 3 the week after.

Teddy Bears Picnic – This Saturday 10.30am – 12pm – Nursery & Reception

The School Association are looking forward to hosting the Teddy Bears Picnic for Nursery and Reception parents this Saturday from 10.30am. Bring your favourite teddy bear and a packed lunch for a morning of meeting your new friends and listening to a storybook!

Tea, Talk & Tales / Tea, Maths & More

Over the next few weeks, we are hosting 'Tea, Talk & Tales' – an opportunity for parents to come into school, to see the school in action and to take part in reading activities with their child. We are also hosting 'Tea, Maths & More' – an opportunity for parents to come into school and take part in maths activities with their child. During each of these sessions I will also be holding an 'Introduction to Miss Hunter' session so that parents get to know more about the new Headteacher of Hobbs Hill Wood. Dates to save in your diaries:

29th September: Tea, Talk & Tales Parent Session KS1 – Year 1 and Year 2 9am – 10.15am

1st October: Tea, Talk & Tales Parent session EYFS – Nursery & Reception 9am – 10.15am

22nd October: Tea, Maths & More parent session LKS2 – Year 3 & 4 9am – 10.15am

22nd October: Tea, Maths & More parent session UKS2 – Year 5 & 6 10.45am – 12pm

Safe Parking Outside School

I appreciate that parking can be challenging at drop-off and pick-up times. However, I kindly ask all parents and carers to park thoughtfully and considerately. Please avoid parking across or blocking residents' driveways, and take care not to obstruct pavements. When parking on or near the pavement, please ensure there is enough space for those using pushchairs, wheelchairs, or mobility aids, so that all families can access the school safely and comfortably. Thank you for your support and cooperation.

School Association Help Needed!

I met with the wonderful School Association this week who have fundraised over £20,000 for the school over the last year. We are always looking for parent volunteers to help at events and to join us on the School Association Team. If you are interested, please come along to our next meeting on **Monday 5th October at 6.30pm in the Myatt Room (next to the main school office).**



School Association Upcoming events:

Saturday 19th September – Teddy Bear's Picnic for Nursery & Reception 10.30am – 12pm

Thursday 8th October – 'Mini' Disco for Nursery & Reception with their Parents/Carers 5pm – 6pm

Wednesday 21st October – Halloween Disco for Year 1 , 2, 3 from 5pm – 6.15pm

Wednesday 21st October – Halloween Disco for Year 4, 5, 6 from 6.30pm – 8pm

School Lottery

Welcome to the Hobbs Hill Wood Primary School lottery. This lottery has been set up specifically to raise money and make a difference for our children! It's a fantastic way to bring Parents, Carers, Teachers and the wider community together, in partnership with our school, and at the same time give something back. We hope to raise funds that can support and enrich the education of our children - please see our Facebook page and School Association news letters for specific targets.

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/hobbs-hill-wood-primary-school>

Congratulations to this week's winner a parent of a child of Year 4!

School Association Facebook Page

To join the School Association facebook page use this link:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/731531916907279/?ref=share>

	Class Teacher Award	Handwriting Award	Special Achievement Award
Comets	Sophie Irish	Elliott Sansom	Matilda Bream
Stars	Alfie Bates	Honey Hicks	Demi Barnett
1C	Millie Moy	Ahyan Mafahir	Bonnie Flood
1W	Violette-Rose Crowley St Hilaire	Sarim Khan	Cody Van Der Ploeg
2G	Bhradain Burnett	Zafreen Bilal	Abigail Antoniotti
2H	Aria Smith	Manha Ahmed	Charlotte Hayter
3A	Samia Rahman	Albi Nurce	
3M	Keira Ti-Jones	River Blanden	Freddie Hutchinson
4C	Thomas Nicholls	Eshme Harrowell	Logan Hammersley
4S	Aisley Parrott	Abu Bakr Akram	Freya Contreras
5B	Fareed Mohammed	Jacob Butler	Aisha Rahman
5M	Matilda Charman	Luka Correia	Zac Hafidh
6G	Harry Gates	Eleisha Turner	Lisa Hortopan
6T	Sumayyah Butt	Amelia Ahmed	Joy Wattam

Excellent Work Awards:

Sebastian Thomson 3A

Matilda Charman 5M

Coke Bottle Donations

Our music teacher has kindly asked if any empty 1.75L Coca Cola bottles would be donated to the school office please to recycle into musical Instruments for the children. Please drop any off that you have when clean and empty.



Reminders / Posters



Hope you all have a lovely weekend,

Miss Hunter
Headteacher
Hobbs Hill Wood Primary School

