



Haslingfield Endowed Primary School

Diary Dates:

Tue 28 – Sports Day and Picnic
Thu 30 – Brazil Music Fiesta, 6pm
Fri 1 July – Mr McLeod and Parents Tea & Chat, 9.15am
Fri 1 July – Hazel Class Assembly, 2.40pm
Fri 1 July – Hazel Class Bun Day

Children's Sports Events

Thu 30 – Yr 3/4 Tennis County Final

Letters sent out to parents this week

- Open Evening Reminder
- Cambridge Gymnastics Academy Flier
- Sports Day
- Mad Science Summer Camps Flier

Music Assembly

There will be a Music Assembly on Tuesday 5th July 9.15am. All parents welcome.

Brazil Music Fiesta

Many thanks for your replies for the Brazil Music Fiesta next Thursday. Tickets will come home next week. If there are any outstanding replies please send them in as soon as possible. The concert starts at 6pm and children should wear school uniform.
Mrs Jukes

Trophies

Please could all trophies be returned to the school office. Thanks

Netball

The last netball session of the term will be on Monday 27th June.

Sports Day

We look forward to seeing you all on Tuesday 28th June for our sports day afternoon. Many thanks, Miss Peck.

Mrs Lione

After working at Haslingfield School for six years and having seen a generation of children from year 1 to year 6 go through the school, Mrs Lione feels that it is time for a change of jobs. We are all very grateful for her contributions to the school – she has been an outstanding teacher for our children and we wish her all the best. Now we are in the process of actively working to secure the services of a part time teacher and will inform you once an appointment has been made.

Lost Property

Please check if your children have lost any items of clothing as we have a number of items in the lost property, thanks.

Newsletter

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School disco - Friday 8th July

KS1 and EYFS: 5.30pm - 6.30pm

KS2: 6.45pm - 8.00pm

Entry is £2 and is payable on the door. A tuckshop will be on offer. It would be very helpful if children could bring a full water bottle.

Fundraising Aquathlon - Saturday 16th July, 2pm - 4.15pm

Registration for this fun swim and run event will close this Sunday 26th June. If your children would like to take part please go to Please go to <https://aquathlonhaslingfield.eventbrite.co.uk> (password: Swimrun). Entry is £2.50 and can be made to either Hannah Golden or please pass to your child's teacher who will pass to the office. Please mark the envelope with aquathlon and include your child's name and year. Places are limited. For more information see our recent parentmail

Raising Children and Sibling Rivalry

The next Raising Children course starts on Wednesday 5th Oct for 10 weeks (Excluding half term), 10:00am – 12:00pm at Cambourne Village College. Facilitated by Samantha Stacey and Clare Merrington. For more info call- 01954 284604 or 01954 286008

Fowlmere Bullfinches

Fowlmere Bullfinches are holding a Youth Group Event for Ages 7 to 12 entitled Flower Power at Cherry Hinton Chalk Pit on Sunday 10th July 2016, 10am to 12.30pm. Once a quarry, providing stone and cement for Cambridge University it is now a haven for wildlife. Please email fowlmerebullfinches@hotmail.co.uk by Sunday 3rd July 2016 to book your place. £2 members, £3 nonmembers

Terry Deary and Eboracum Baroque at Wimpole Hall

Eboracum Baroque will be performing Henry Purcell's, semi-opera King Arthur in an outdoor concert on Saturday 2nd July at 6.30pm at Wimpole Hall. Joining them for this magical evening of music will be the Horrible Histories author, Terry Deary who will guide the audience through the performance with a newly written narration. Suitable for all the family. Special offer ticket prices for school children in Cambridgeshire are £5. Accompanying adults £10. Book online in advance at eboracumbaroque@gmail.com or <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/eboracumbaroque>.

Kids Act Summer Drama Club 2016

For children aged 5 to 12 at Friends' Junior School, Saffron Walden 10am to 4pm each day Monday 1st August to Friday 5th August 2016 For more information see www.teacheract.co.uk.

Donna Pickup's Summer Drama And Craft Workshops

These will be running at The Vine Inter-Church Primary School Upper Cambourne from Mon 1st to Thursday 4th August Any questions or bookings contact her at donna.pickup@btinternet.com or on 07719 356 797.

Duxford Saturday Workshop Taster Morning

This will take place on Saturday 2nd July 11 -12.15 at Duxford Primary School For further details contact the director on 07918 165450 or director@duxfordsaturdayworkshop.org.uk.

Headteacher's Bulletin

Thank you to the parents who supported children and staff during their visit to The Sea Life Centre in Huntington; staff at the centre were quoted as saying, 'they wished all primary schools were as well behaved as the children from Haslingfield School!' It was good seeing our year 5 and 6 children return safely from their extended visit to Caythorpe, despite most appearing a little tired in school the next day. External moderators have been in school this week, looking through some year 6 children's writing to confirm our assessment judgements before we formally submit them. I hope to see many of you at sports day next week!
Mr McLeod

Ash – Miss Peck and Mrs Hollins:

This week we have been learning about EURO 2016 and have designed our own football kits for the players. The children had some very creative ideas! In maths we have been practising writing and ordering our numbers and had to fill in the missing numbers of the players on the football pitch. We played a game called 'Around the World' in maths and the children were playing against each other to answer the mathematical questions. The children really enjoyed it and wowed us with their doubling and addition and subtraction knowledge. We are all very excited about our sports day next week and have been learning the National Anthem ready to sing during our opening ceremony.

- English: phonics assessments
- Maths: number recognition and ordering numbers to 20 and beyond



Birch – Mrs Campbell:

This week we have been learning about lots of different sea creatures. We read and researched information about the creature of our choice and wrote a fact file. We also read some lovely sea creature poems and even had a go at writing our own. We made under the sea wax resist paintings and drew some wonderful sea creatures. In science we planted sunflower seeds and are keeping diaries of their growth. We were very excited to see some had grown their first roots already.

- English: rhyming words and poems
- Maths: position and direction, including turns

Show and Tell (Weds): Agata, Penny, Joel and Alice



Hazel – Mrs Lione and Mrs Lovett:

We had a super trip to Hunstanton on Monday, despite the weather. The children loved visiting the Sea Life Centre and seeing all of the sea creatures that we have learnt about this term in real life. We also visited the beach and had an ice lolly before returning back to school. The staff at the Sea Life Centre commented on how well the children behaved during their visit and we were very proud of them all.

Next week will be busy as we prepare for both our sports day on Tuesday and our class assembly on Friday!

- English – Writing recounts about our trip.
- Maths - Fractions of an amount using money.

Show and Tell: Zach, Nancy, Gwen, Lucas



Year 3/4 – Miss Turner:

While the Year 5 and 6 children were on residential the rest of Key Stage 2 joined together to carry out a mini project on the Euro's. The children were split into groups of 4 or 5 children and were given a team that are taking part in the Euro's. They were asked to create a presentation to share with the rest of the group all about their country. The children needed to find out about the language, culture, landmarks and any other interesting information about their county. They also made Topp Trump cards about the football players from that county, design a new kit and create a song. Throughout the project children were given points for demonstrating respect and team work and for using their countries language. We were also lucky enough to have a PE lesson, swimming lesson and Spanish. The children worked really hard and developed lots of different skills, whilst having a good time.



Year5/6: Mrs Petty & Mrs Wernham

After a rather dismal rainy start to Monday morning, year 5 and 6 travelled to Caythorpe Court in Lincolnshire where they experienced a range of outdoor adventurous activities. On arrival, the children settled into their dorms before taking to the water to try kayaking. This was huge fun, enjoyed by all and following a remarkable improvement in the weather, ended with a cooling swim in the lake. On Tuesday, the children were instructed on how to belay and how to keep safe climbing, before tackling the Vertical Challenge and the climbing wall. These were hugely popular activities and the air was filled with tremendous pride. In addition, the children also enjoyed archery and a series of problem solving activities using outdoor equipment which required a lot of clear communication and team work. Following a good boogie at the disco and a very welcome good night's sleep, the children finished their trip with the sensory trail and the high ropes -walking amidst the trees. For both of these activities, the children had to support each other and conquer any fear of heights. Although a rather daunting activity, the high ropes was an amazing experience and a clear favourite for many of the children. To conclude, the trip was incredibly successful and very much enjoyed by all. We are incredibly proud of the children's achievements and hope they remember the memories made whilst on this trip for many years to come.

Note for Beech pupils: Y6 pupils will not be swimming on Monday however Y5 will have their normal slot. Y6 will have their extended swimming session on Wednesday as normal.



Spanish - Mrs Norris

This week we has some extended Spanish lessons for years 3 and 4 while years 5 and 6 were on their residential trip. Year 3 revised colours and numbers and worked on a 'colour by numbers' hidden picture. Year 4 (with the help of a few year 5 and 6 pupils) organised the foods they know in Spanish into categories and designed a healthy eating poster. They used dictionaries to help them.