



Friday the 26th of April, forthcoming events for the week commencing 29th April 2024

Monday	29.04.24	8.00 am -8.40 am 3.15-4.30 pm Extended 3.15-5.30 pm	Breakfast Club Hang Out after school club Maypole Dancing (Pavilion)
Tuesday	30.04.24	8.00 am-8.40 am 3.14.30 pm Extended 3.15-5.30 pm	Breakfast Club Hang Out after school club
Wednesday	01.05.24	8.00 am-8.40 am 3.15-4.30 pm Extended 3.15-5.30 pm	Breakfast Club Hang Out after school club Year 5/6 Girls Football Match at Hanwell Fields 4.00 pm
Thursday	02.05.24	8.00 am-8.40 am 3.15 -4.30 pm Extended 3.15-5.30 pm	Breakfast Club Forest School Hang Out after school club
Friday	03.05.24	8.00 am-8.40 am 3.15 -4.30 pm Extended 3.15-5.30 pm	Breakfast Club Non School Uniform Day- Bring an item for the tombola (unwanted gifts, wine, toiletries, chocolates) Hang Out after school club

23rd April- Year 5/6 Girls Football Match at Hillview 4.00 pm

3rd May- Non Uniform Day (Please bring an item for the tombola stall)

6th May- Hornton Village May Day Celebrations

13th May- Nursery Parent's evening

13th May- Year 6 Standardised Testing (SATs)

Key Stage Two have another fantastic opportunity to compete against children all over the country in the next Online Tackling Tables Inter-schools competition. The categories are as follows:

Year 3 - Green Mixed Mini Test

Year 4 - Red MTC Taster Test One

Year 5 - Green Division with Remainders Mini Test

Year 6 - Red Mixed Numbers and Improper Fractions Mini Test

Year 3 - Purple Mixed

Year 4 & 5 - Yellow mixed

All children already have a password and username to the tackling tables website and we'd love for you to encourage your children to participate as much as possible. The highest scores, fastest times, biggest improvement and most commitment will all be taken into account when submitting. **The competition starts on the 29th April and finishes on Friday 3rd May. Good Luck!**

Non-school Uniform Days

3rd May

We are holding two non-school uniform days for the children to wear their own clothes to school and instead of donating money, we are asking you to donate an item or two to our Mayday tombola stall.

The PTA will once again be supporting the Hornton Mayday celebrations with three different stalls. Last year we raised over £500 which was fantastic. We are asking for support with donations of items; please see below:

***Tombola** - we will be collecting good quality bric-a-brac, toys, chocolates and wine for the stall.

***Adopt a teddy** - any donations of nice teddy bears or other animals would be gratefully received!

***Fairground fish** - if you are a knitter or crocheter, or know someone who is, we would love some mini woollen goldfish in lots of different colours!



Hornton May Day
Bank Holiday Monday
May 6th
So much to see and do

P Free
At the Pavilion

Famous Hornton BBQ

Designer and "New to You" clothing

Stalls galore... White Elephant Garden Plants Delicious Cakes Ice Cream Van Tombola Candy floss Toys Books Arts and Crafts BARKS Charity	Start Time 1pm May Parade 1:45pm Crowning the May King and Queen 2pm followed by Maypole Dancing Morris Dancing	Fun and games Teacups Ride Skittles Hook a duck Wheel of Fortune Loo-Roll Lob! Lucky squares Wine or Water? Thimble Game!
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@ the Chapel
Art Exhibition
Tea, coffee and cakes
Second-hand Books and puzzles

A warm welcome at
The Dun Cow

In aid of ...
The Pavilion and other village causes

May Day arrangements- Please do come along and support the school and village at this special event. If you are joining us to dance around the Maypole, the children need to join us on the green (marked on the map red dot) at 1.30. We will then parade to the Maypole at 1.45pm and dance at 2.00pm. Please be aware that the grass could be wet- consider footwear.




After School Clubs- We will start our next group of clubs in the week beginning the 20th of May. If you would like to volunteer to run a club please let me know. Currently our list of clubs include Lego, Loom Band Club, Guitar club and Forest school.

Banbury Therapy Centre is a private therapy centre in Banbury town. Cathy Tustian—Heath now has an office within the Banbury Therapy Centre and offers counselling and support. If any young people or adults require therapy sessions, she may be able to help. <https://www.banburytherapycentre.com/cathy-tustain-heath>


Keystage 2 are going to be completing a junk modelling afternoon- creating giant seeds. Please could we bring in any cartons, left over craft materials old boxes. We will be doing this on Wednesday the 8th of May.


Please see the curriculum overviews below. Each of these grids gives you an outline of the knowledge and learning experiences your child will be receiving.

Year 1 and 2- Oak Class

<p>Maths</p> <p>Year 1 will be taking the first steps into multiplication and division. They will then use this knowledge to explore fractions with shape and number. To finish the term, they will explore time and money.</p> <p>Year 2 will soon be moving onto fractions, exploring them with both shape and number. They will also be continuing with time from Year 1, extending their knowledge to telling the time to every 5 minutes.</p>	<p>English</p> <p>Our writing objectives this term are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Character description of Goldilocks. • Retell the story of Goldilocks with a twist. • Diary recount telling the story of the Great Fire of London. • Story based on <i>The Clocktower</i> • Report about the city of London • Persuasive writing – visit London! 	<p>Science</p> <p>We will distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made. We will identify and name a variety of everyday materials, including wood, plastic, glass, metal, water, and rock. We will compare and group together a variety of everyday materials based on their simple physical properties. This will be the focus of our big investigation. During the term, we will observe and describe the weather and the length of the day changes across the four seasons.</p>
<p>Geography</p> <p>The children will be revising the countries and capital cities of the UK, to then focus on London. We will look at the human and physical features of London, how it has changed over time, locating key landmarks in London, and how tourism impacts the City.</p>	<p>The Great Fire of London</p> 	<p>History</p> <p>We are going to learn the events of The Great Fire of London and order them chronologically. We will be considering artefacts and resources and their reliability, and compare London in the 1600s to the modern day.</p>
<p>Art/DT</p> <p>We are designing our own sock puppets. The children will be evaluating which materials work best, how to design our own puppets based on characters we love, and creating them in class!</p>	<p>PE</p> <p>The children are practicing striking and fielding this term. They will be practicing types of throws, communication and collaboration, perseverance, and using tactics to help their team succeed.</p>	<p>PSHE</p> <p>This term is all about Being My Best. The children will look at healthy eating, keeping clean, stopping germs, and persevering with challenges such as riding a bike.</p>
	<p>IT</p> <p>This half term, the children are learning to code. They will be using instructions and creating algorithms to control a variety of computer programs.</p>	<p>RE</p> <p>This term's RE unit is all about how we know the right way to behave. Pupils consider the rules that people follow and will look at a variety of religions.</p>

Year 3 and 4- Willow Class

<p>History & Geography</p> <p>In geography, we will investigate:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Where the Saxon invaders came from and where they settled in Britain. • Where the Vikings came from and where they settled in Britain. • Why farming was important for the Saxons and Vikings. <p>In history, we will investigate:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Was life better in Anglo-Saxon Britain? • The Vikings – ruthless killers or peaceful settlers? • William the Conqueror, hero or villain? 	<p>PE</p> <p>In PE this term, Willow class will be practicing Cricket on a Monday with Mr Mawn.</p> <p>We will build up our knowledge of the rules and key skills needed, before getting into some whole class games.</p>	<p>PSHE</p> <p>In PSHE this half term, we will be covering:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Valuing Difference • Keeping Safe • Rights and Respect • Me and My Relationships • Being my Best
<p>Design and Technology</p> <p>We will be answering:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who are the Wright brothers and how have their inventions shaped the world? • Why are planes important? • What are the different parts of an aircraft? • What does an aircraft need to fly? 	<p>The Anglo-Saxons and the Vikings</p> <p>Summer Term 1</p> 	<p>English</p> <p>This term in English, the children will be:</p> <p>Writing to inform: Instructions on how to raid an Anglo-Saxon settlement.</p> <p>Write to Entertain: A diary entry based on the video 'The Catch'.</p> <p>Write to entertain: A narrative story linked to our class text 'The Nothing to see Here Hotel'.</p>
<p>R.E.</p> <p>We will be looking at which events in the life of Jesus show his authority to Christians, including Jesus in the temple, calling the disciples, stilling the storm, money to Caesar and the call of Zacchaeus</p> <p>We will investigate these events through picture, discussion and drama, considering which is the most important part of the story, how the authority is demonstrated and what people might be thinking or feeling.</p>	<p>Maths</p> <p>We will be covering:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adding/subtracting fractions, partitioning the whole, unit and non-unit fractions of a set of objects • Making a whole with tenths and hundreds • Comparing, ordering and partitioning decimals • Halves and quarters as decimals 	<p>Science</p> <p>Living Things: We will be investigating the basic needs of animals (including humans) learning that they require the right types and amounts of nutrition and that they cannot make their own food—they get nutrition from what they eat. This will help us appreciate the diversity and interdependence of living organisms.</p> <p>It is an Olympic Year, and we will identify what makes humans amazing. We will also look at different animals who live in our local area, and compare their skeletons and muscles.</p>

<p>History</p> <p>In History we will be answering the following questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What was life like for a Mayan person? • What did Ancient Maya believe? • Are historian in agreement about what happened when the Ancient Mayan civilisation collapsed? 	<p>PE</p> <p>This term our focus will be on the wonderful sport of cricket!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Mawn and Mr Runcorn will both be helping the class to practice the skills involved during PE lessons. <p>Events include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Cricket festival. - U11 girls football matches. 	<p>PSHE</p> <p>In PHSE this half term, we will be covering:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Making a difference in the community. • Rights, respects and duties. • Spending wisely. • Responsibility of lending and borrowing money.
<p>Geography</p> <p>In Geography we will be exploring:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The location, climate and landscape of Mexico. • The human and physical features that exist in Central America. 	<p>The Ancient Maya</p> <p>Summer Term</p> 	<p>English</p> <p>In English we will be writing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A traditional Maya story based on the tale <i>The Rain Player</i>. • A narrative based on our core text – <i>Explorer</i>. <p>We will be reading a vast range of texts and themes in class such as; Mayan tales, picture-books, Dia De Los Muertos and great stories.</p>
<p>Art/DT</p> <p>This term we are focusing on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Designing and creating sets for production. • Producing an animation using our set. 	<p>Maths</p> <p>In maths we will be covering:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2D and 3D shapes. • Co-ordinates, translations and reflections. • Decimals and negative numbers. • SATS preparation for Year 6's. 	<p>Science</p> <p>In science we are looking at:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key features of plants. • How plants grow and thrive. • Life cycles of animals and humans.

BANBURY IRISH U7S

We are looking for some new players
(boys and girls currently in year 1) to
join our wonderful team.



Training - Fridays 6pm-7pm at Wroxton

Matchdays - This will start from next
season on Saturday mornings (10.30am)

(must be prepared to travel)

You can register your interest by contacting:

Colin 07886578731 or Michelle 07794848942

Join us at Horley Cricket Club!

The season is quickly approaching again, here is what is happening at Horley this year!

Training starts again for 7 years onwards on April 16th from 6:00pm. This year we are running the following teams:

U9s Softball – Games for Girls Teams and Mixed Teams

U11s Mixed Hardball, Girls Softball

U13s Hardball, Girls Softball

AND Calling all Mums, sisters, Aunties and Grandmas we are running a ladies' softball team for any age and ability – more details to follow!

Signing on & Quiz Night or Seniors and Juniors - 28th March in the Pavilion. Sign on from 6-7:30 then join us for a Quiz for all!

All Stars 5-7year olds - 8-week ECB Programme called Allstars! For those who have never played cricket or for those who have some experience! The cost of this is TBD but includes a personalised t-shirt, Bag, bat and ball.

Training is every Tuesday 5:30-6:15 and parents are encouraged to join in and will start at the end of May!

Registration for Allstars will open in the next few weeks, for those who are joining us again you will receive your email soon, so keep an eye out!

We are a family friendly club, with plenty of social events for everyone. This year the BBQ will be running again and Jojo's Pizza will be joining us once a month!

If you have any questions, please contact Rosie Tubb at rosieejb@gmail.com

Broughton and North Newington Cricket Club

From Sunday 3rd March

**FREE Under 11's Cricket Coaching
12 - 1pm**

North Oxfordshire Academy (NOA) Sports Hall,
Drayton Road, Banbury, OX16 0UD

All kit provided (you will just need to wear trainers & comfortable clothing)

We will run these sessions over the next 11 weeks (excluding Mother's Day and Easter Sunday) after which, we will move to outdoor sessions at the club's home ground, on Thursday evenings.

If you're interested or would like more information, please email:

bnn youthcricket@yahoo.com

For school year 4 and under, we plan to run All Stars (5 - 8 years) and Dynamos (8 - 11 years) from June 2024.

Please can I remind you that we are a nut and avocado free school. Children should not be bringing nuts into school for lunch or snack. At the end of the school day, please be very conscious that the gate is open; we would not want any child to find himself or herself on the road without an adult.

Hornton Pavilion

Hornton Pavilion (Village Hall) is a warm welcoming venue ideal for Birthday Parties.

To view and discuss booking dates contact Isabelle Harris on 01295 670304.