

Hornton Primary School



Extended wrap around care this term

Breakfast club 8am-8.45 - **£3.50**

Hang out club

Option 1 3.15pm - 4.30pm **£4.50**

Option 2 3.15pm – 5.30pm **£8.50**

Extra-curricular after school clubs

3.15pm – 4.30pm **£4.50**

Monday – Football Yrs 1-3

Tuesday – Dance Yrs 5-6

Wednesday – Craft-it Yrs R-1

3.15pm – 5.00pm **£6.00**

Thursday – Forest school Yrs 1-4

For booking please log onto parent pay to set up.



next week to:

Grace Pippa

From us all at HPS!

Calendar of Events

Term 1

Tues 28th Sept. – School Photos
Fri 1st Oct. - Whole School Netball Festival
Tue 5th Oct. - Yrs 3-4 Girls Football, Sibford
Tue 12th Oct. - Yrs 3-4 Boys Football, Sibford
Thu 14th Oct. - Yrs 5-6 Tag Rugby, Warriner
Mon 18th Oct – Harvest food bank collection all week PTA
Mon 18th Oct – Autumn Veggie Model Competition PTA
Mon 18th & Tues 19th Oct – Rec. Parent Meetings
Thurs 21st Oct. – Last day of term
Thurs 21st Oct – Halloween Movie Night PTA

Term 2

Mon 1st Nov. – Start of term
Tue 2nd Nov. - Flu Immunisations
Thu 11th Nov. - Yrs 1-2 Cross Country, Sibford
Fri 12th Nov – Cake and Pyjamas for Pudsey PTA
Fri 19th Nov. - Whole School Hockey Festival
Mon 22nd - Thu 25th Nov. - Yrs 1-6 Parents meetings
Thu 25th Nov. - KS1 Multi Skills, Warriner
Tue 30th Nov. - Yrs 1-2 Trip to SnowDome MK
Tue 7th Dec. - Yrs 3-4 Trip to Pantomime, Chipping Norton
Thu 9th Dec. - Yrs 3-4 Dodgeball, Warriner
Thu 16th Dec. - Whole School Christmas Celebration X 2 (afternoon & evening)
Fri 17th Dec. - Last day of term 12.30pm finish

Term 3

Wed 5th Jan. – Start of term
Mon 17th Jan. - National Child Measurement Programme – Yrs R & 6
Thu 27th Jan. - KS1 Dance, Warriner
Fri 4th Feb. - Whole School Tag Rugby Festival
Fri 18th Feb. – Last day of term

Term 4

Mon 28th Feb. – Start of term
Tue 1st Mar. - Yrs 5 & 6 Trip to Blists Hill Museum, Telford
Tue 8th Mar. - Yrs 1-2 Trip to Oxford Museum
Tue 15th Mar. - Yrs 3-4 Trip to Lunt Fort, Coventry
Thu 17th Mar. – Yrs 1-2 Football, Warriner
Mon 21st & Tue 22nd Mar. – Rec. Class Parent Meetings
Fri 25th Mar. - Whole School Rounders Festival
Mon 28th - Thu 31st Mar. – Yrs 1-6 Parents Meetings
Thu 7th Apr. - Whole School Spring Assembly
Fri 8th Apr. – Last day of term

Term 5

Tue 26th Apr. – Start of term
Mon 2nd May – Bank Holiday
Thu 19th May - Yrs 3-4 & 5-6 Quad Kids, Warriner
Fri 20th May - Whole School Tennis Festival
Mon 23rd – Fri 27th May - Yrs 5-6 Residential
Fri 27th May – End of Term

Term 6

Tue 7th Jun. – Start of term
Tue 7th Jun. – Yrs 3-4 Trip to Cogges Museum, Witney
Tue 14th Jun. - Yrs 1-2 Trip to London
Thu 16th Jun. - Yrs 5-6 Cricket, Sibford
Thu 16th Jun. - New Rec. Parents Meeting
Tue 21st Jun. - Year 5-6 Trip to National space Centre, Leicester
Mon 4th – Thu 7th Jul. – Multi Skills Sports Week
Fri 8th Jul. – Multi Skills Show, Parents invited
Thu 14th Jul. - Whole School End of Yr Assembly
Fri 15th Jul. – School Reports sent out
Mon 18th Jul. - Yr 6 trip to 'Go Ape'
Wed 20th Jul. – Yr 6 Afternoon Tea
Thu 21st Jul. - Last day of term 12.30pm finish

A note from our classes

Orchard class – The apples have been finding out that sounds make words, by blending the sounds we have learnt so far. In maths we have been sorting objects into sets by following a rule. Our bodies are also amazing things, we all have organs that do very important jobs. Peaches have been reading the book 'There's only one you' to develop an understanding of how we are all individually special and unique. This has been alongside using our photographs to explore and understand our similarities and differences.

Oak – We have been working really hard in Geography. I was so impressed with the variety of the children's ideas on our walk and the dedication to their work! We have been making our own cloud blowers and are working towards writing instructions for how to do it. The netball festival on Friday was lots of fun - we've had a great week.

Willow – In Willow this week, we have been focussing on taking our reading comprehension skills deeper. Each day we've focussed on a key skill and explored different subjects with this too. Our favourite was the key skill 'Vocabulary' whereby we looked at the history of words; words that have been added and removed from the dictionary such as **snollygoster!** We finalised the Hunter Gatherer reports we started last week and looked at the daily lives of those living in The Bronze Age. Moreover, in French, we began counting to 30 and had tremendous fun during the netball tournament!

Rowan – We have worked on creating imagery and using sensory language in our writing to enhance a setting. In maths the group have been working hard on their column subtraction methods to solve maths problems. In our topic work the class have discovered, and created fact files for, the 12 Olympian Gods of Ancient Greece. They produced stunning posters encouraging people to visit Mount Olympus, using the laptops to help with their research. The week finished with a brilliant netball session on Friday afternoon, with the game resulting in a dramatic and thrilling 5-5 draw. Well done all!

Little quotes of of the week:

Whilst discussing with the children at forest school where animals live. Where do you think a hedgehog might live? "He lives on a hedge"

Rabbits? "They dig a hole and live in the ground"

Snakes? "Under leaves its camouflage"

A child came up to an adult in Early years looking sad. Why are you sad? "He called me a peach!" but you are a peach, some of us are peaches and some are apples. The child then gave a big smile.



In and around Hornton

ROLLER HOCKEY!

Learn to skate, play hockey, and make new friends!!



WE'RE BACK!!!

Warriner School Sports Hall, Bloxham.

Saturdays 1.30-2.30pm

Age 6-16

2 FREE lessons!

Please contact info@banburybulldogs.co.uk

All coaches DBS checked, all safety equipment provided.



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Have you visited us yet?

We would love to see you, so if you pop to visit us before 15th October you can use this ad for 10% discount.



Located inside Rugrats and Halfpints, let the desk know if you just want to pop into the shop, they can guide you through.

Information this week:

A little ask when using the stop and drop service. Could you please pull over a little when stopping alongside church lane so any traffic behind you can pass. Thank you.

A message from Mrs Short: "It is with sadness that I have decided that after many years of 'service' under the Peachtree and Hornton School umbrella in a variety of roles, that I will be leaving Hornton School at the end of December. I have thoroughly enjoyed my time with you all, staff, parents, the community and of course with all the many children. It will be very strange to move on. Just keep enjoying the outdoors and being you, I certainly will!....."

Helen & Douglas House Little Cook's Bake Sale

Get a slice of the action by whisking up some tasty teats with your child and hold a bake sale to raise some 'dough' to help local terminally ill children from 11-17th October 2021. Whip out your wooden spoon, bring out your baking bowls and enjoy some floury fun with your little cook. Find out more and register to take part here:

<https://www.helenanddouglas.org.uk/event/little-cooks-bake-sale/>

Little cooks who raise more than £75 for Helen & Douglas House will be entered into a prize draw to win a £500 voucher for Drayton Manor Theme Park.

Tracey is also taking part in the 10k Shine Night Walk in Oxford on the 15th October in aid of Cancer Research UK. If you get a chance pop over to her Giving Page and donate if you can.

<https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/page/tracys-giving-page-2500>

Jenny and Tracy would like to remind everyone that it would be helpful if clubs, meals etc. were booked on parent pay by Thursday at midnight, for the producing of registers. However, in an emergency please do contact the office, we will of course book your child in: office.2001@hornton.oxon.sch.uk

Applications for Secondary School – Year 6 children can now apply for Year 7 transfer to secondary school. Applications can be submitted online at:

www.Oxfordshire.gov.uk/secondaryadmissions

The deadline for receipt of completed applications is 31st October 2021. National offer day is 1st March 2022. Parents who miss the deadline will have a much lower chance of securing a place at their preferred school.

Hornton school has a website, do have a look: horntonprimaryschool.co.uk

We do have social media pages too! Take a look at Facebook for both Hornton School and Peachtree and Hornton school for Instagram, these are updated regularly. It would be great if we had some up to date reviews added to the pages when you have a little time.

A reminder that Hornton Primary School is a nut free zone. We have several children with severe allergies. This includes nut-based chocolate spreads and Pesto.

The newsletters are available to view on the school website.

Best wishes
The HPS team