



Hornton Primary School

WEEKEND NEWSLETTER

2026

Happy New Year!

I hope you all had a wonderful Christmas break and enjoyed spending time with friends and family. I want to thank everyone for their thoughtful presents and cards; the staff truly appreciate your kindness. We have had a fantastic start to the new term, with a really positive first week back. The children and staff have come back recharged and are eager for the exciting term ahead. Hornton School has been a lovely place to be this week!

Happy New Year!



From, Mrs Whitehouse

Events for w/c 12th January

Monday

8.00 - 8.40 am - Breakfast Club
3.15 - 4.30 pm - Hang Out After School Club
3.15 - 5.30 pm - Extended After School/Hang Out

Tuesday

8.00 - 8.40 am - Breakfast Club
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Wednesday

8.00 - 8.40 am - Breakfast Club
3.15 - 4.30 pm - Hang Out After School Club
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Thursday

8.00 - 8.40 am - Breakfast Club
3.15 - 4.30 pm - Hang Out After School Club
3.15 - 5.30 pm - Extended After School/Hang Out

Friday

8.00 - 8.40 am - Breakfast Club
3.15 - 4.30 pm - Hang Out After School Club
3.15 - 5.30 pm - Extended After School/Hang Out





Dates For The Diary

We are meeting next week to create the calendar of events. These will be shared with you next week.

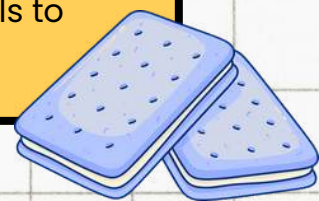
Spring After School Clubs


We are currently organising the clubs that will run this term but we are still open to anyone who would be interested in running an extra curricula club. We would be so grateful for any volunteers, the clubs run for 8 sessions, starting in the week beginning the **19th of January and ending on the 16th of March**. If you would be able to help us, or you have any other ideas for clubs you think we could run, please talk to me at the start or the end of the day. All the clubs will run from 15:15 to 16:15:

- ✓ Wednesday - **Lego Club** - Kelly Cox will be running a Lego club (EYFS-Year 3) This will take place in Miss Goddard's classroom. They are going to use their imagination to make different models each week. She would love to have someone to help her, if you could spare an hour a week would you please make contact with Kelly or email head.2001@hornton.oxon.sch.uk
- ✓ Thursday - There are two clubs running: **Football Club 'Little Kickers'** - (EYFS-Year 2) with the coaches from Little Kickers along with **Remote Control Car Club** - (Years 3-6) **THE SIGN UP PROCESS FOR THIS CLUB IS DIFFERENT PLEASE SEE THE FLYER ON THE NEXT PAGE.**







Football Club and Lego Club can be signed up from **Monday the 12th of January on Arbor.**

Mr Runcorn, Mrs Cairns, Mrs Whitehouse, Mrs Tyrrell and Miss Goddard will also be running our **'Biscuit and Chat' club** for Year 6 this term. More details to follow.





AFTER SCHOOL CLUB









HORNTON PRIMARY SCHOOL
CHURCH LANE, BANBURY, OX15 6BZ

THURSDAY RC CAR CLUB
22ND JAN - 12TH FEB
£24

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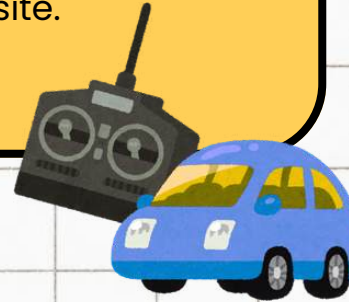
RC CAR CLUB



To book:
Visit www.superstarsport.co.uk
Go to "Book Now" & select your club!

Super Star Sport After School Club

Remote Control Car Club will be starting on Thursday 22nd January from 3.15pm - 4.15pm. Please sign up using the link in the picture opposite.



Wrap up warm!



We're certainly in the throes of winter now, so please make sure that the children come to school every day with a **warm coat, a hat and gloves**. The children play outside, unless it's really terrible weather, so good winter clothing is very important.



Big Garden Birdwatch

23 - 25 January 2026



Big Garden Birdwatch

As a school we will be carrying out the Big Bird Watch.

If you want to join in follow this link:
<https://www.rspb.org.uk/whats-happening/big-garden-birdwatch>



Message from parkrun UK



**EXCITING
NEWS**

Happy New Year to our parkrun Primary Schools. We hope you had a brilliant festive period and are looking forward to the Spring term ahead.

Something exciting is happening this weekend at parkrun!

This Sunday we are encouraging everyone to bring a friend to junior parkrun and we'd love you to help us share the word.

Bring a friend to junior parkrun

Sunday 11 January

**We want you to share the magic of
junior parkrun with a friend!**

Find your local junior parkrun event at: parkrun.com/junior

junior parkrun



As a parkrun Primary School, we love celebrating the joy of running, walking, community, and perseverance!

We hope to see some of you there!

Nicole's Wild Quiz Night



£10 a ticket & £1 raffle tickets on the night

Trivia, prizes, and a charity raffle

RAISING FUNDS FOR WWF

Saturday 31st January - Doors open at 6.30pm
Hornton Pavillion

Support Nicole's London Marathon journey and WWF by joining us for a night of entertainment, a quiz, prizes and fundraising fun! Bring your team, test your knowledge, and help protect the natural world.

Email Nicole to reserve your spot or are able to support in any way:
nicolescarsbrook@gmail.com

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Nicole's Wild Quiz Night!

I'm excited to share that I've secured a place in the 2026 London Marathon and will be running in support of WWF, a cause close to my heart. With my children's love for animals, protecting the natural world for future generations means everything.

I'm fundraising through donations and a charity raffle on 31 January. You can donate via the QR code or by contributing a prize for the raffle.

Thank you so much for your support.
Nicole

Nicole's Wild Quiz Night - Donations please

Thank you so much for the amazing donations so far! If you have any bottles of wine, chocolates, or unwanted gifts that you'd be happy to donate for the raffle, we'd be incredibly grateful.

If you're able to bring them into school, I can collect them over the next couple of weeks.

Thanks again for all your support,
Nicole



Dogs on the Playground - We know that many of our families enjoy bringing their four-legged friends with them at drop-off and pick-up, and they are allowed on our playground. We do ask, however, that dogs are kept on a short lead at all times. Please also be mindful that some children may feel nervous around dogs, so a little extra care helps everyone feel safe and comfortable.

Hornton Primary School Admissions Policy Consultation - Our school has a new Admissions Policy, and the consultation is now open. The policy can be found on our school website in the News section. If you would like to comment or share your views, please send your feedback by email. We welcome and value your input.

Parking - As we all know, we have limited parking available in the immediate vicinity of the school. Even so, it is imperative that we continue to park with respect to the residents of Hornton and their right of way to their homes. There is ample parking available at the Pavilion, from where it is a short and pleasant walk to the school. A few minutes extra walking time will make such a difference to the congestion around the school and the combined safety of children, parents and residents.

