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SCHOOL NEWS

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Sports Day

With clear skies and hardly any rain, Sports day saw over 450 children participate in activities ranging from the 50m sprint to the Egg and Spoon Race. During half time we were treated to a cheerleading performance by our charismatic cheerleaders, who spent only a term practising their routine. After the half time show, the children participated in year group races with finalists being crowned with medals. A highlight for most of the children were the parents, guardians and carers races! It was a joy to see so many step up and participate. Well done to all the children who participated in Sports Day. Moreover, thank you to all the parents, guardians and carers who came to support in full force. We look forward to hosting you next year!

Science Master class at Hewens College

Our Year 5 pupils had an enriching Science Masterclass at Hewens College. The pupils were exposed to a variety of engaging activities and experiments that deepened their understanding of scientific concepts. They actively participated in hands-on experiments, collaborated with peers and interacted with knowledge experts. This immersive experience sparked curiosity and excitement, igniting a passion for science within our young learners.

Uniform Orders

Parents, guardians and carers are advised to log in to iPayimpact and purchase their uniform for the new academic year before the Summer holiday break. This will ensure all children have their uniform before the first day back in September and avoid any delays with exchanges. If you are experiencing any issues with iPayimpact or you are not yet registered, please contact the School Office.

Hearing and Vision Screening

On Tuesday 4th July, the School nurses will be visiting the School to carry out a Hearing and Vision Screening for the Reception children.

Transition Day

On Tuesday 4th July, all pupils from Reception to Year 5 will have their Transition Day in their new class. They will get a taster of the expectations for the next school year, share some useful information that they would like their teacher to know about them and meet their new teacher(s).

NEU Strike Day

On **Wednesday 5th and Friday 7th July** we will be unable to offer wrap around care services due to the NEU strike days. Therefore, there will be no Breakfast / Aftercare services and no Boosters or Enrichment Clubs on this day. We apologies for any inconvenience.

Airport Bowls - *Year 6 Trip*

On Thursday 6th July, Year 6 children that have given their interest will be attending a field trip to Airport Bowls on Bath Road. We would like to remind parents, guardians and carers that all payments should be made through your child's iPayimpact account.

Summer Food Bank Collection - *Donating Items*

Hewens Primary School have a long-standing connection with the Hillingdon Foodbank and as such, we would like to begin collecting items which could be donated over the summer months.
It is more important than ever for us to be able to donate to the Food Bank and support our local community given these uncertain times, no matter how big or small the donation.
We would appreciate donations of any items from the list below:

- Cereals
- Soups
- Baked Beans
- Tinned Tomatoes
- Canned Meat
- Canned Fish
- Tinned Fruits
- Biscuits
- Sugar
- Pasta
- Tea or Coffee
- Toiletries
- Toilet Roll
- Fruit Juice
- Long Life Milk
- Rice
- Jam/Honey
- Dried Mashed Potatoes
- Tinned Potatoes
- Pudding e.g. rice pudding, custard
- Sauces/Gravy
- Treats e.g. chocolates and crisps
- Tinned Spaghetti
- Noodles
- Cleaning and Laundry Supplies

If you would like to donate any of these items, please hand them into the School Office by **Wednesday 5th July.** Thank you.

Summer Fair – *Friday 7th July*

On Friday 7th July, we shall be holding our annual Summer Fair, starting at 1:30pm. **On this day, the children will be dismissed from school at 1:00pm for Years 1, 2 and 3 and 1:15pm for Reception, Years 4, 5 and 6.**

If you are interested in renting a table or have any questions, please see the School Office (with a deposit of £10). All money raised will be used to fund medals and trophies for our ongoing School's Challenge Quizzes.

TERM DATES - 2023 to 2024

The 2023 to 2024 term dates are detailed on our website and can be accessed via [www.hewensprimary.co.uk/term-dates]. Please check these dates, as they will be particularly helpful to parents, guardians or carers planning family holidays and activities.

JULY TO SEPTEMBER 2023

JULY		
Tuesday 4th		Transition Day
		Hearing and Vision Screening - Reception
Wednesday 5th and Friday 7th		**No Wrap Around Care on this day**
Thursday 6th		Airport Bowls - Year 6 Trip
Friday 7th	1:30pm	Summer Fair
Saturday 8th to Wednesday 19th		Summer Reading Challenge
Tuesday 11th		Year 5 and 6 Library Visit
Tuesday 11th and Wednesday 12th		Alliance Challenge
Thursday 13th		Reception, Years 2 and 3 Library Visit
Thursday 13th and Friday 14th		Year 5 and 6 Residential Trip
Friday 14th		Years 1 and 4 Library Visit
Monday 17th		Year 6 'Take Over the School Day'
Monday 17th	4:00pm	Year 6 Leavers Disco
Tuesday 18th	1:00pm	Year 6 Picnic
Wednesday 19th	9:30am	Year 6 School Leaving Ceremony
Wednesday 19th		End of Term - Early Dismissal
Monday 24th to Thursday 27th		Summer School
SEPTEMBER		
Monday 4th	1:00 to 5:30pm	Parent Consultation Meetings
Tuesday 5th	1:00 to 4:00pm	
Wednesday 6th		Term Begins
Wednesday 13th		Roald Dahl Day

Return of Library Visit

In July, we have scheduled Class visits to our local Library, Hayes End Library. During the Library visit, your child will register for the Summer Reading Challenge (if they wish and meet the criteria), borrow a book of their choice, receive a core pack and events calendar. Get your child registered today by completing the application form.

Advance Notice: Summer School

Hewens Primary School will be hosting a four-day Summer School for pupils who are currently in Reception to Year 5. This will be held from **Monday 24th to Thursday 27th July**, 9:00am to 3:00pm. Unfortunately, we are not able to accommodate our current Nursery and Year 6 pupils.

Summer School will be free for pupils who are entitled to Free School Meals (parents, guardians and carers who receive this benefit from the government). If you wish for your child to take part and they are not entitled to Free School Meals, this will attract a cost of £5 per day.

We will send out an electronic form via text message for you to complete if you wish for your child to participate in the next coming weeks.

Week Commencing: *Monday 3rd July*

MENU 1

MONDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Chicken Goujons with Homemade Oven Baked Potato Slices and Beans	**Halal**
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Goujons with Homemade Oven Baked Potato Slices and Beans	**Non Halal**
Meal Choice 3	Baked Jacket Potato with Various Fillings	**Vegetarian**
Meal Choice 4	Gluten free Chicken Goujons with Potatoes and Beans	**Gluten/Dairy Free**
Dessert Choice	*Strawberry Ice Cream and Fresh Strawberries*	*Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts*
TUESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Spaghetti Bolognese	**Halal**
Meal Choice 2	Spaghetti Bolognese	**Non Halal**
Meal Choice 3	Ratatouille Spaghetti	**Vegetarian**
Meal Choice 4	Bolognese with Gluten free Pasta	**Gluten/Dairy Free**
Dessert Choice	*Jam Sponge*	*Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts*
WEDNESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Chicken Tikka Masala with Rice	**Halal**
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Tikka Masala with Rice	**Non Halal**
Meal Choice 3	Macaroni Cheese	**Vegetarian**
Meal Choice 4	Lightly Spiced Chicken Breast with Rice	**Gluten/Dairy Free**
Dessert Choice	*Lemon Tart*	*Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts*
THURSDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Roast Turkey with Onion Gravy, Roast Potatoes and Stuffing	**Halal**
Meal Choice 2	Roast Turkey with Onion Gravy, Roast Potatoes and Stuffing	**Non Halal**
Meal Choice 3	Cauliflower and Broccoli Cheese Bake	**Vegetarian**
Meal Choice 4	Turkey Escalope with Potatoes and Gluten free Gravy	**Gluten/Dairy Free**
Dessert Choice	*Strawberry Jelly*	*Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts*
FRIDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Fish Fingers with Oven Baked Potato Wedges	
Meal Choice 2	Tomato Pasta Bake	**Vegetarian**
Meal Choice 3	Gluten free Fish Fingers with Gluten free Potato Wedges and Beans	**Gluten/Dairy Free**
Dessert Choice	*Fresh Fruit Salad*	*Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts*
Please note that all main meals are served with Fresh Vegetables of the Day		

Safeguarding our Children

Please can all parents, guardians and carers be mindful of the safeguarding aspects for drop off and collection times. It has been noted that children are being left unattended during these times at the School entrance. **Please ensure you keep your child/ children with you at all times when outside the School courtyard to avoid any incidents.**

New Start Times for September 2023

Year Group	Start Time	End Time
Reception	8:35am	3:15pm
Year 1	8:35am	3:15pm
Year 2	8:35am	3:15pm
Year 3	8:35am	3:15pm
Year 4	8:35am	3:30pm
Year 5	8:35am	3:30pm
Year 6	8:35am	3:30pm
Morning Nursery	8:30am	11:30am
Afternoon Nursery	12:30pm	3:30pm