

Trust Football Tournament



We hosted our first ever inter-Trust football tournament with other schools within our Trust (Brookside and Rosedale Primary). The tournament was made up of seven children from Years 5 and 6 (Upper Key Stage 2) and seven children from Years 3 and 4 (Lower Key Stage 2). Each school played a total of three games. Hewens proved victorious for both Upper Key Stage 2 and Lower Key Stage 2. Let's hope we can retain the trophies again next year! Well done to all the children who participated in the tournament.



WWII Workshop





On Thursday 23rd June, the Year 6 children took part in a World War II Workshop. They learnt all about what life was like for the people of Britain during the war and the jobs they carried out to help on the 'Home Front'. The children also took part in roleplays to understand what procedures took place when the air raid siren sounded before bombs were dropped!



Holiday Requests during Term Time

Children's absence during term time will only be approved in exceptional circumstances. Any planned term time leave of absence, must be requested in writing to the Headteacher prior to any travel arrangements being made. In such circumstances, please contact the School Office and request a Leave of Absence Form, which must be completed and returned to the School Office prior to the absence. **Evidence is required to support the request.** You will be notified if your request is approved as soon as possible. If the absence is not approved but taken, it will be recorded as unauthorised. Please be aware that unauthorised absences could result in the issue of a fixed penalty fine and/or prosecution by the Local Authority. If you have any questions or require any further information about this procedure, please contact the School Office. Thank you.

Transition Information

For all those who were unable to attend the Transition Day and Evening on Tuesday 5th July for Hewens College and Rosedale College, we have set up virtual pages on their respective websites to give you an insight into life at Hewens College and Rosedale College. All information for this event can be found via the links below where you can also gain an understanding of the Colleges' ethos and a sense of their community spirit.

Hewens College (<https://www.hewenscollege.co.uk/news-and-events/year-7-transition-information>)

Rosedale College (<https://www.rosedalecollege.uk/news-and-events/year-7-transition-information>)

Wrap Around Care – Important Notice

Due to the high level of interest for Wrap Around Care, we have had to implement some changes to ensure we are able to continue offering the service. The following changes are:

- **Breakfast Club** will begin at 7:45 to 8:30am. 8:15am will be the cut-off time to arrive for Breakfast Club. If you arrive after this time, you will have to wait for the main doors to open at 8:30am.
- **After School Care** will begin straight after school at 3:30 to 5:30pm. Children will need to be collected from the School Hall Entrance (and not Reception) after 4:15pm as the main office will be closed after this time. Please ensure that children are picked up by 5:30pm, as staff do not work beyond this time.

If you need to contact the School after the school office is closed (regarding Wrap Around Care only) please contact this number **07950 859176**.

Hillingdon Weekly Challenges

Hewens Primary School is taking part in the Summer Hillingdon Weekly Physical Challenges as the children had so much fun getting involved in the challenges last year. These challenges will allow children to get active, have fun, improve health, engage new audiences and increase motivation. The Physical Education (PE) Co-ordinator will provide your teachers with instructions of what you need to do each week. Your teachers will show this video in class. These challenges will be done in school and all scores will be recorded by your teachers by Thursday, the following week.

Please see below for the final challenge.

- Week 8: Plank Challenge – Launched on Friday 8th July

Alliance Challenge Week

Monday 11th to Friday 15th July will be celebrated as Alliance Challenge Week. For this week, all children will be required to wear their full Physical Education (PE) kit from Monday 11th to Wednesday 13th July. Thank you.

Year 6 Picnic – Friday 15th July

The Year 6 children are invited for a day of picnicking on Friday 15th July. Each pupil should bring their own picnic pack and their own picnic blankets. Parents, guardians and carers are welcome to contribute food items towards the picnic.

Please speak to the Year 6 staff if you are able to contribute any items. Thank you.

Year 6 Leavers Disco

We would like to kindly ask parents, guardians and carers to contribute towards the decorations for the Year 6 Leavers Disco on Monday 18th July. Please speak with the Year 6 team if you have any questions. Thank you.

End of Term – Tuesday 19th July

A reminder to all parents, guardians and carers that **Tuesday 19th July** is the last day of term. Children will be dismissed at staggered times starting from 11:30am. Please see below for times:

Year Group	Pick-Up Time
Nursery AM	11:30am
Years 1, 2 and 3	12:00pm
Reception, Years 4, 5 and 6	12:15pm

Please note that afternoon Nursery will not be open and there will be no aftercare available on this day. Thank you.

Term Dates


The 2022 to 2023 term dates are detailed on our website and can be accessed via (<https://bit.ly/3nbpcEC>). Please check these dates as they will be particularly helpful to parents, guardians or carers planning family holidays and activities.

Summer School

Hewens Primary School will be hosting an eight-day Summer School for pupils who are currently in Reception to Year 5. This will be held on **Monday 25th to Thursday 28th July and Monday 1st to Thursday 4th August** from 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.

You will receive a letter on Monday 11th July stating which activity you have been allocated and how much payment is needed for the activity. If you do not receive your letter, please speak to the office as soon as possible. All payments must be made to the office by Thursday 14th July.

 JULY TO SEPTEMBER 2022		
JULY		
Friday 8th		Plank Challenge Begins
Monday 11th to Friday 15th		Alliance Challenge
Friday 15th		Year 6 Picnic
Monday 18th		Year 6 'Take Over the School Day'
Monday 18th	4:00pm	Year 6 Leavers Disco
Tuesday 19th	10:00am	Year 6 School Leaving Ceremony
Tuesday 19th		End of Term - Early Dismissal
Monday 25th to Thursday 28th		Summer School - Week 1
AUGUST		
Monday 1st to Thursday 4th		Summer School - Week 2
Wednesday 3rd		Playday Event
SEPTEMBER		
Thursday 1st	1:00 to 5:00pm	Parent Consultation
Friday 2nd	1:00 to 4:00pm	Parent Consultation
Monday 5th	8:40am	Start of Term
Friday 23rd		Individual School Photographs

Playday Event – Wednesday 3rd August



Playday 2022
Hillingdon Athletics Stadium
Wednesday 3 August
10am to 2pm

Start your summer by celebrating children's right to play. This fun packed day will offer a variety of activities including bouncy castles, BMX bikes, the mobile library, youth bus, puppet shows, arts and crafts and lots more...

HILLINGDON LONDON
www.hillingdon.gov.uk/playday

Hillingdon Council is thrilled to announce the return of the much-anticipated Playday Event on Wednesday 3rd August from 10:00am to 2:00pm at Hillingdon Athletics Stadium, Uxbridge.

This is a free event for under 5s and primary school age children with this year's event offering a wide range of activities from soft play, arts and crafts, story time, puppet shows, football shootouts, to activities involving the mobile library, the youth bus, a bouncy castle, an inflatable slide and BMX bikes!

Booking is not required and food and drinks will be available to purchase on the day. Full details of the programme will be available in the forthcoming weeks via (<https://www.hillingdon.gov.uk/playday>).

 Week Commencing: Monday 11th July MENU 3	
MONDAY	
Meal Choice 1	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Onion Gravy Halal
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Onion Gravy Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Vegetarian Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Onion Gravy Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Gluten free Pork Sausages with Mashed Potatoes without Milk or Butter Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Orange Jelly <i>Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts</i>
TUESDAY	
Meal Choice 1	Beef Lasagne with Fresh Salad Halal
Meal Choice 2	Beef Lasagne with Fresh Salad Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Vegetarian Lasagne with Fresh Salad Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Minced Beef with Gluten free Pasta Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Chocolate Mousse <i>Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts</i>
WEDNESDAY	
Meal Choice 1	Barbecue Grilled Chicken Breast with Rice Halal
Meal Choice 2	Barbecue Grilled Chicken Breast with Rice Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Baked Jacket Potato with Various Fillings Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Barbecue Grilled Chicken Breast with Rice Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Apple Crumble <i>Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts</i>
THURSDAY	
Meal Choice 1	Cajun Chicken in Pitta Bread with Oven Cooked Potato Slices and Tomato Salsa Halal
Meal Choice 2	Cajun Chicken in Pitta Bread with Oven Cooked Potato Slices and Tomato Salsa Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Roast Mediterranean Vegetables in Pitta Bread with Oven Cooked Potato Slices and Tomato Salsa Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Cajun Chicken with Oven Cooked Potato Slices and Tomato Salsa Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Vanilla Sponge with a Pineapple Ring and a Cherry <i>Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts</i>
FRIDAY	
Meal Choice 1	Fish Fingers or Battered Chicken with Oven Baked Potato Wedges Halal
Meal Choice 2	Fish Fingers or Battered Chicken with Oven Baked Potato Wedges Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Macaroni Cheese Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Gluten free Fish Fingers with Gluten free Potato Wedges and Beans Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Chocolate Brownie Tray Bake <i>Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts</i>
<i>Please note that all main meals are served with Fresh Vegetables of the Day</i>	

Launch of New Website

We are excited to announce the launch of our new, fully-featured website which is due to go live this September! Complete with education-specific functionality, our new website will improve accessibility to our content and will feature a consistent and intuitive design to make navigation simple. Some key features include: **Responsive Design** to ensure desktop/mobile optimisation, making it easier to use on all browsers and portable devices, **User Friendly Buttons** to enable you to navigate the site seamlessly, **Emergency Pop Ups** to alert you to crucial information which require urgent attention, **Powerful Communication Software** to improve communication, and much more. Our streamlined website will provide a more interactive experience, enabling you to locate information quicker and easier and will keep you informed of the latest news.