

## The Holme C of E Primary School

## Weekly Newsletter Issue 32 24th May 2024

### Summer Term Week 6!

Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy half term everyone! What a lovely 'colourful' end of the week we've had. Thank you all so much for your donations. The hampers are looking stunning and I am so pleased to see the sunshine again!

We shared our recent SIAMS inspection report with you earlier this week. If you haven't had chance to read it yet, please do take some time to have a look at it. It says some lovely things about our school and children. The inspector was only with us for a day, but really seemed to understand our school. She spoke to children, staff, Local Committee members and some of our parents as well as observing lessons, collective worship and lunchtime and playtime routines. Well done to everyone involved and thank you all for your support.

Well done also to our rounders team, who represented The Holme at yesterday's Oakmoor tournament. Again, all the children were a credit to us. The Year 3/4 team came 2nd in the tournament and I understand that our school came in 2nd place overall in this year's Championship! Well done to everyone who has participated in any of the sports tournaments and thank you parents and carers for your support in transporting the children and encouraging them!

Our Year R children have been planting seeds in their garden this week. They are also really enjoying their phonics sessions and I saw some fantastic maths learning this week when I visited their classroom with a Headteacher from another of our Trust schools.

Year 1 have been making a portcullis and flags for their castles in design and technology. In maths they have been making the number 7 and investigating direction—forward, backwards, left and right. They have also been learning all about the Shabbat in RE and writing dragon descriptions in English.

Ms Dunwoodie was particularly pleased that Nightingales received our cloakroom award this week for the tidiest cloakroom! The children have focussed on RE this week, learning all about Islam, finishing today with their Eid celebration. The children made Eid sweets and sandwiches—all very exciting! They have also finished their non-chronological reports in English and have been investigating equivalent fractions in maths.

Year 3 have had an incredibly busy week! They have looked at the features of persuasive texts in English and have written a letter to 'Toad' to persuade him to stop driving dangerous motorcars, and maybe try a lovely, gentle rowing boat instead, like Ratty! In maths, they have continued learning how to tell the time. In science, the children completed their plants topic and in R.E. they finished their unit on art in Christian worship and in PSHE, they practised listening to a friend, working together and taking turns.

Year 4 have also been working really hard on their 'time' topic in maths as well as final preparations for their Multiplication Table Check after half term. In English they have been working on non-fiction writing. The children have been researching and writing about volcanoes around the world. In guided reading they have been enjoying poetry and in Science they have enjoyed investigating which material we should use to muffle sound.

Year 5 have been learning about 'Hidden Figures' based on the book by Margot Lee-Shetterley, a true story of the women mathematicians who were responsible for the calculations behind the successful space launches in the 1960s. They have written fact files in English and today they watched the movie. They have also continued in their maths learning, adding and subtracting decimals.

Year 6 are now focussing on their writing. They have also planned and delivered mini Sports Tournament games to different year groups this week as well as preparing for their residential visit after half term..

Our celebration assembly this morning was incredibly busy! Full of all the exciting achievements from this week, both in school and out of school! We had scouting awards, football medals and trophies, Karate awards and horse riding rosettes! We also had a representative from the Lindford Parish Council visit us to give prizes for the poster competition!

Our attendance award went to Year 6 again this week—well done Owls. As you know attendance is an area we are really keen to improve and we would love all our children to be attendance HEROes (Here Everyday Ready and On time). Please be aware that I cannot authorise family holidays. As much as we recognise the importance of family time together and the expense of holidays during scheduled breaks, every minute in school really does count!

One final message before half term... our front entrance is becoming rather busy at morning drop off and after school pick up. Please can I ask that unless it is an emergency that you email the school on adminoffice@holme.goodshepherdtrust.org.uk rather than ask at the office? Many thanks.

I think that is all for this week. Have a lovely half term break and see you all again on Monday 3rd June.

Many thanks

Sarah Stevenson

Headteacher



Nourish, Thrive, Bloom



### KEY DATES

- 27th—31st May Half term break
- 3rd –7th June—Year 6 residential
- 4th June—KS2 Girls Football tournament at Oakmoor
- 13th June— KS2 Boys Football tournament at Oakmoor
- Wednesday 19th June Sports Day
- Thursday 20th June Year 6 leavers service
- Further INSET days—Monday and Tuesday 22nd and 23rd July 2024, Monday and Tuesday 2nd and 3rd September 2024, Friday 25th October and Monday 4th November. Monday 20th January 2025 and Monday 24th February 2025.



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### *Year 1 Forest Session*

#### Forest school information!

Mr Milam will again be leading this fantastic opportunity for our children with the class teacher. We are running the sessions slightly differently this term so that pupil groups have a solid unit of sessions.

April 26, May 3, 10, 17, 24 June 7 - Year 1  
June 14, 21, 28, 5, 12, 19 - Year 6

Ideally the children should wear the following as a minimum, although this week has been very warm in the forest:

- Vest
- Short or long sleeved tee shirt
- Jumper or fleece (1 or 2 thinner ones work well)
- A hat which will fit under a hood
- Gloves or mittens which may be worn when required
- 2 pairs of socks
- Jogging bottoms

As we are approaching the Autumn/Winter months and the forest can be very cold and wet, please ensure that your child has several layers of clothing on with a change of socks. The children should come to school in their forest school clothes and can stay in them for the whole day. Please make sure though that they do have a change of socks and dry shoes or boots. If you have your own waterproofs from home then please do wear them however the school have a supply for you to wear!



#### PE INFORMATION

- Monday—Woodpeckers, Nightingales and Falcons
- Tuesday—Falcons
- Wednesday - Robins and Hawks
- Thursday—Nightingales, Owls and Woodpeckers.
- Friday—Hawks and Robins

#### FROTH DATES

- Friday 24th May - Non uniform Rainbows - Rainbow raffle donations
- 5th June Bags to school
- Friday 7th June—Bingo
- Friday 21st June - Crazy hair day for Chocolate raffle donations.
- Friday 28th June Colour Run and Summer Fair
- Friday 20th September 16:30-19:30 End of summer social - kids can ride bikes/scooters and we will do a BBQ
- Friday 29th November 15:10-17:30 Christmas event





*Year 1 castle making and maths, Year 2 Maths and Grass Heads, Year 3 art and the children enjoying the Year 6 games and the year 3 and 4 rounders team.*





**A HERO  
IN EVERY KID**



**A FUN WELCOMING PROGRAMME FOR ALL CHILDREN  
AGED 5 – 8 TO TRY HOCKEY AND TO DEVELOP BOTH THEIR  
PHYSICAL AND CHARACTER SUPERPOWERS**

**FIND OUT MORE:** [hockeyheroes.co.uk](http://hockeyheroes.co.uk)

**Alton Hockey Club Hockey Heroes sessions start on  
Wednesday 22 May at 6pm at Eggar's School, Alton  
For more information: [hockeyheroes@altonhockeyclub.co.uk](mailto:hockeyheroes@altonhockeyclub.co.uk)**







**A FUN WELCOMING  
INTRODUCTION TO HOCKEY  
FOR ALL 5 - 8 YEAR OLDS**



A recurring 8 week programme for  
children to try hockey and develop their  
physical and character superpowers



## A GREAT VALUE PROGRAMME INCLUDING PERSONALISED KIT DELIVERED TO EVERY CHILD

**First 8 week programme: £40**

Includes: personalised  
t-shirt, 2 x hockey sticks,  
ball and stickers.



- Launching at participating clubs near you
- Please note this programme is aimed at beginners and not members of existing hockey clubs

### Tell your friends about Hockey Heroes!

- Hockey Heroes has been designed firstly to get more children playing hockey, but ultimately to encourage them to join hockey clubs
- Please help us to grow the sport we all love by telling your non-hockey friends with children aged 5-8 about Hockey Heroes!
- Send them to **[hockeyheroes.co.uk](http://hockeyheroes.co.uk)** for all the details!

**FIND OUT MORE:** [hockeyheroes.co.uk](http://hockeyheroes.co.uk)



ENGLAND  
HOCKEY





# JUNIOR CRICKET

FOR GIRLS & BOYS

OUTDOOR CRICKET SESSIONS  
WITH ECB QUALIFIED COACHES

LOCATION : THE BOSCH  
BOLLEY AVE  
BORDON  
GU35 9HG

EVERY FRIDAY AFTERNOON

|                              |                 |
|------------------------------|-----------------|
| UNDER 9's (year 4 and below) | 5:30PM - 6:30PM |
| UNDER 11's (year 5 and 6)    | 5:30PM - 6:30PM |
| UNDER 14's (year 7 ,8 and 9) | 6:30PM - 7:30PM |

WE SUPPLY ALL GEAR - JUST PUT ON YOUR TRAINERS AND COME ALONG

MEMBERSHIP FOR THE 2024 SEASON IS ONLY £60 WITH NO  
EXTRA COACHING OR MATCH FEE

# HOLIDAY ACTIVITY CLUB!

Ages  
5-11

FREE +  
**FUNDED** +  
PAID  
PLACES  
AVAILABLE  
NOW

{JAM} CODING<sup>®</sup>  
COMPUTING WORKSHOPS

**SUMMER** CLUBS

The Jam Coding Holiday Activity Club Combines 50% online and 50% offline fun and educational activities to engage and inspire your children during the school holidays.

- Coding activities covering a wide range of topics including 3D Gamebuilding, Stop Motion, Minecraft Challenges and much much more!
- Offline activities including arts, craft and games!
- All equipment and resources are provided by us!

Multiple venues & dates in **Jul & Aug:**

**Camberley Alton**

**Haslemere Bordon**

Dates on the [link below](#)



Fully Insured



DBS Checked  
and Safeguard Trained



Trophies, Certificates  
and Prizes for star attendees



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Sign up  
**Today!**

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[jamcoding.co.uk](https://jamcoding.co.uk)

[hampshire.nw@jamcoding.co.uk](mailto:hampshire.nw@jamcoding.co.uk)

Use the link or QR code above to view course details or visit our website, head to the booking tab, enter your postcode in the locations field and click search to view courses.

For more information, please get in contact through the above email!

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Follow us on social media for the chance to win a free place.





# Health and Wellbeing Fayre

  
**Spring  
into Health  
2024**

Date - Saturday 25th May

Time - 10 - 3pm

Location - Town Park

6U350AU

A free event !!  
Celebrating activities  
in the area that  
promote and aid  
health and wellbeing

Come and join in  
live classes or  
meet your local  
social prescribers  
and health  
practitioners

6KR Karate  
Mercers Gym  
Little bird Journaling  
Social Prescribers  
I'm all Ears  
Plant Sale  
Living Streets  
South Downs  
Men's Shed  
LivbyYoga  
MIND  
Everyone active



# BORDON

## SKATE JAM

BUDDS LANE, GU35 0JB

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12 TO 4

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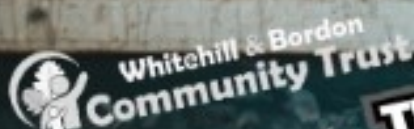
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| Spring Summer 2024   |            | MONDAY  | TUESDAY   | WEDNESDAY  | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY  |
|--|------------|---|---|--|---|---|
| <b>WEEK ONE</b><br><br>15/04/2024<br>04/05/2024<br>03/06/2024<br>24/06/2024<br>16/07/2024<br>09/09/2024<br>30/09/2024  | Option One | <b>NEW</b> Vegetable Stack with Rice   | Penne Bolognese    | Sausages, Roast Potatoes & Gravy   | <br>Greek Chicken Pita with Rice, Tzatziki & Salad | Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce   |
|  | Option Two | Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Pasta Salad   | Vegan Penne Bolognese    | Vegan Sausages, Roast Potatoes & Gravy                                      | Cheese Whirl with Rice, Tzatziki & Salad  | BBQ Quorn with Chips                                     |
|  | Vegetables | Vegetables of the Day   | Vegetables of the Day   | Vegetables of the Day  | Vegetables of the Day   | Vegetables of the Day   |
|  | Dessert    | Freshly Chopped Fruit Salad    | Apple Crumble with Ice Cream   | <b>NEW</b> Berry Mousse  | Iced Vanilla Sponge   | Vanilla Shortbread                                       |
|  |            |   |   |  |   |   |
| <b>WEEK TWO</b><br><br>22/04/2024<br>13/05/2024<br>10/06/2024<br>01/07/2024<br>22/07/2024<br>16/09/2024<br>07/10/2024  | Option One |  <b>Pasta Kitchen</b><br>Tomato Pasta or Carbonara Pasta with toppings    | Burger with Potato Wedges & Tomato Sauce  | Roast Chicken, Stuffing, Roast Potatoes, & Gravy   | Beef Lasagne with Garlic Bread                     | Fishfingers or Salmon Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce   |
|  | Option Two |   | Vegan Burger with Potato Wedges & Tomato Sauce   | Vegetable Wellington, Stuffing, Roast Potatoes & Gravy                      | Vegetable Curry with Rice                          | <b>NEW</b> Vegan Sausage Roll with Chips & Tomato Sauce  |
|  | Vegetables | Vegetables of the Day   | Vegetables of the Day   | Vegetables of the Day  | Vegetables of the Day   | Vegetables of the Day   |
|  | Dessert    | <b>NEW</b> Chocolate Brownie  | <b>NEW</b> Iced Biscuit   | Fruit Medley    | Jelly with Mandarins                               | Oaty Cookie    |
|  |            |   |   |  |   |   |
| <b>WEEK THREE</b><br><br>29/04/2024<br>20/05/2024<br>17/06/2024<br>08/07/2024<br>02/08/2024<br>23/09/2024<br>14/10/2024  | Option One | <b>NEW</b> All-Day Vegetarian Breakfast   | <br>Chicken Paella with Patatas Bravas or Veggie Meatballs with Patatas Bravas  | Roast Gammon, New Potatoes or Mashed Potatoes & Gravy  | <b>NEW</b> Chicken Fajitas with Rice               | Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce   |
|  | Option Two | Vegan Chilli with Rice    |   | Parsnip & Sweet Potato Loaf with New Potatoes or Mashed Potatoes & Gravy  | Macaroni Cheese   | Cheese & Bean Pasty with Chips  |
|  | Vegetables | Vegetables of the Day   | Vegetables of the Day   | Vegetables of the Day  | Vegetables of the Day   | Vegetables of the Day   |
|  | Dessert    | Fruit with Ice Cream  | Syrup Snap Biscuit   | Fruit Platter   | Chocolate Shortbread                             | Summer Lemon Cake   |
|  |            |   |   |  |   |   |
| <b>MENU KEY</b><br><br><b>Available Daily:</b> - Freshly cooked jacket potatoes with a choice of fillings - bread freshly baked on site daily- Daily salad selection |            |  Added Plant Power  Wholemeal  Vegan  Chef's Special  |   |  |   |   |
|  |            | <b>ALLERGY INFORMATION:</b><br>If you would like to know about particular allergens in foods please ask a member of the catering team for information. If your child has a school lunch and has a food allergy or intolerance you will be asked to complete a form to ensure we have the necessary information to cater for your child. We use a large variety of ingredients in the preparation of our meals and due to the nature of our kitchens it is not possible to completely remove the risk of allergen cross contact. |   |  |   |   |
|  |            |    |   |  |   |   |

# JACKET POTATO MENU



**MONDAY**

**Cheddar Cheese**

**TUESDAY**

**Baked Beans**

**WEDNESDAY**

**Tuna Mayonnaise**

**THURSDAY**

**Baked Beans**

**FRIDAY**

**Cheddar Cheese**



# Youth Theatre

At The Phoenix Theatre

Aged between 4 - 20?

Interested in Theatre?

**Join our Youth Theatre and become part of something wonderful.**

You'll get to work with likeminded young people in supportive groups led by theatre professionals. You will learn theatre making skills, create dynamic theatre productions and have fun in weekly term time workshops. Youth Theatre members also get discounts on selected shows from Phoenix Arts throughout the year.

## **Tuesday Evenings (*During Term Time*)**

Ages 4 - 7, 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Ages 8 - 11, 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Ages 12 - 15, 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Ages 16 - 20, 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM



phoenixarts.co.uk | 01420 472664

Phoenix Arts, Station Road, Bordon, Hampshire, GU35 0LR