

23rd May

# Weekly Newsletter



## Senior Leadership Message -

As we come to the end of this half term, we're delighted to share that the children have had a fantastic final week—and the sunshine has certainly added to the joy!

A big thank you to all the families who joined us at the Bramley Fete. The children showed great courage as they stood proudly and performed their Spring Songs in front of a large audience. It was a wonderful day, and lovely to see so many of you there supporting the event.

Looking ahead, our value for the next half term will continue to be **courage**. This is especially fitting as the children begin to prepare for their transition into new year groups—or even new schools. It's always a joy to watch how much they grow during the Summer term, showing us just how ready they are for their next adventure.

This week, we also had new photos taken for our website, which will help us continue to refresh its look. We'll be uploading the new images soon—watch this space!

We're also excited to share that we'll be reinstating class photos this year on **Wednesday 11th June**. At the Infant stage, we believe it's a lovely keepsake to have a whole class photo at the end of the year. Also, in celebration of our school's 175th anniversary, we'll be taking a whole school photo of all the children as well as all the staff who support them. We can't wait to see the results!

Booking have gone live this week for our new Breakfast club (7.30am-8.30am) and After School Wrap Around Care (3.00pm-6.00pm) run by Hen House. Both will start in September 2025. Please do make sure you book early as sessions may fill quickly! School is not able to make or edit any bookings, this all needs to be done via Hen House. Details on how to book are below on the notices.

Wishing you all a safe, restful, and happy half term. We look forward to welcoming the children back on **Monday 2nd June** for the final half term of the year.

Mrs. Strickland  
Head of School

## Reminders

- A reminder that the main gate opens at 8.25am. Please can we ask that you don't allow your children to press the buzzer repeatedly before this time. Thank you.



Headteacher  
**AWARD**

Value  
**AWARD**

- (YR) Ethan
- (YR) Orla
- (Y1) Freddie
- (Y1) Brianna
- (Y2) Emelia
- (Y2) Harry

- (YR) Freddie
- (Y1) Kira
- (Y2) Max

Class Gem Jar  
**AWARD**



Year 1

Well done everyone!



### Prayer



Dear God,

Bless this holiday time with joy and peace. May it be filled with laughter, adventure, and moments of stillness. Keep us safe in our travels and activities, and help us to cherish the simple gifts of each day..

Amen.

# Notices



## Uniform

We have been given a 10% discount code from our uniform supplier at MyClothing for you to use.

**Code = MYCSS10%**

**Expires = 31/05/2025**



## THE HEN HOUSE!

We provide a safe, home-from-home environment where your child can relax, have fun and enjoy creative activities before and after school.

### Wraparound Care for Bramley C of E Infant School

#### Breakfast Club Sessions

🕒 7:30am - 8:30am (Monday - Friday)

✓ Nutritious breakfast served until 8.20am

Breakfast club £10 (includes breakfast)

#### After-School Club Sessions

🕒 3.00pm - 6:00pm (Monday - Friday)

✓ A fun, safe environment with engaging activities

✓ Fruit snack at 3.15pm and a larger snack served at 4.45pm

Full session until 6pm £16

Short early until 4.30pm £12

Short late - after a club until 6pm £12



Registration now open, visit  
<https://thehenhouse.magicbooking.co.uk/Register>  
Bookings open 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2025.

Places are limited and offered on a first come first served basis.  
We accept Tax Free Childcare and Childcare voucher payments.

More info: [www.thehen-house.com](http://www.thehen-house.com)  
Questions: [care@thehen-house.com](mailto:care@thehen-house.com)



Please can we request that children do not bring sunglasses into school, as they are likely to get broken or lost.

Instead please provide a cap.

## Get Photo Ready

Active Photo are on their way!

Your school photo day is  
**WEDNESDAY  
11th JUNE 2025**



[ACTIVEPHOTO.CO.UK](http://ACTIVEPHOTO.CO.UK)



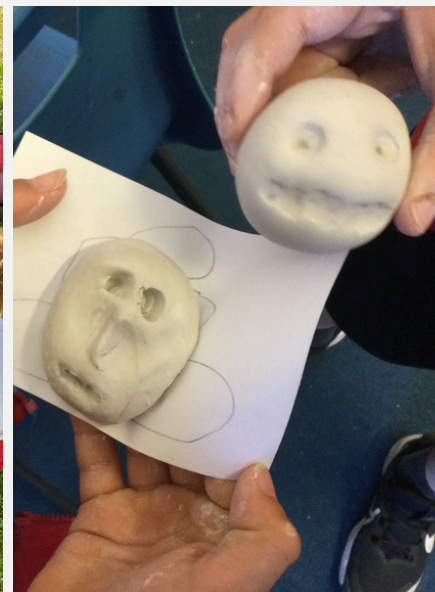
# Classroom Focus

## YEAR 2

In our penultimate half term in year 2, we have been making the most of the wonderful weather and getting outside as much as possible to facilitate our learning.

In science we have been exploring living things and their habitats, thinking about their purpose and what they provide for their inhabitants. The children loved pond dipping, exploring the many life-forms in our school pond.

We have also been using the outdoors as a stimulus for our learning in art, exploring land art and how we can use natural materials to create some amazing pieces. They all got stuck in and we saw so many creative and innovative ideas. In developing that learning on, we began to look at using clay as a media to create different sculpture using different techniques and tools to use on a final project in the next term.



In English we have been enjoying looking at fables and practicing lots of writing techniques preparing ourselves to re-write a fable of our own. There is such a creative flair within the class, it has been a pleasure to hear their brilliant ideas!

This term in maths, we have spent time mastering our knowledge of fractions, successfully learning how to find and recognise fractions in different contexts, exploring both unit and non-unit fractions. Lot of the children have been working hard at recognizing patterns applying their knowledge of multiplication and division to support and extend their understanding further. We have also started to look at time telling the time past and to the hour, developing our maths ability and providing us with a vital skill. Overall, we have had a brilliant few weeks of learning and effort in all areas from all of our class and we are looking forward to a wonderful last few weeks together over the summer months.

# Upcoming Events

Please note that dates in bold may have been added or changed since our last weekly newsletter.

## **May**

26th Half term week

## **June**

### **11th Class & Whole School Photo**

16th Refugee Week

18th Year 2's last swimming

25th Tillingbourne Moving Up Day - Year 2

## **July**

3rd Nursery & Pre-School Sports Day AM

4th Main School Sports Day PM

7th Year 2 visiting Sayers Croft

10th Year 2 Leavers Service at Holy Trinity, 9.15am.

11th PTFA Summer fair

17th History pause day (School is 175 years old)

18th History Showcase & Tea Party for Families

18th Children break up for Summer holidays, finish at 1.15pm

21st INSET day

22nd INSET day, End of Term

## **September**

**3rd INSET day - School closed**

**4th Children return - Start of autumn term**

## **October**

**23rd Children break up - Start of half term**

**24th INSET day - School closed**

### 🎉 Bramley Fete Fun 🧸

We had an amazing time at the Bramley Fete last weekend, selling toys at our preloved stall. We can't wait to hear how much we have raised. A huge thanks to all our fantastic volunteers! 🙌

### 👗 Mufti Day Magic

It was wonderful seeing the kids in their summer outfits for mufti day this morning! We've got more fun activities planned after half term, including a donut sale. 🍩 Stay tuned for dates!

### ☀️ Summer Fair Announcement

Exciting news! The summer fair is happening on 11th July. We need your help to make it a success. Got ideas for stalls or can spare just half an hour to help? Get in touch! 🙌

Wishing you all a lovely and sunny half term break. ☀️

Marty, Tiff, Holly, Sally and the team x

## Term Dates 2024 - 2025

Autumn Term 2024	Spring Term 2025	Summer Term 2025
02/09/24 to 20/12/24	06/01/25 -04/04/25	22/04/25 – 18/ 07/25
<b>Half Term:</b> 28/10/24 – 01/11/24	<b>Half Term:</b> 17/02/25 – 21/02/25	<b>Half Term:</b> 26/05/25 – 30/05/25
<b>INSET DAY:</b> 02/09/24, 03/09/24, 04/11/24	<b>INSET DAY:</b> 06/01/25, 24/02/25	<b>INSET DAY:</b> 22/04/25, 21/07/25, 22/07/25

## 2025 - 2026

Autumn Term 2025	Spring Term 2026	Summer Term 2026
03/09/25 to 19/12/25	05/01/26 -27/03/26	13/04/26 – 22/07/26
<b>Half Term:</b> 27/10/25 – 31/10/25	<b>Half Term:</b> 16/02/26 – 20/02/26	<b>Half Term:</b> 25/05/26 – 29/05/26
<b>INSET DAY:</b> 03/09/25, 24/10/25, 03/11/25	<b>INSET DAY:</b> 05/01/26, 23/02/26	<b>INSET DAY:</b> 13/04/26, 22/05/26, 01/06/26



# Half Term Events



**WONERSH**  
**PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
**HALF TERM CAMP!**

**FROM ONLY £30**  
A DAY, 8:00 - 16:00  
\*BASED ON A HALF RUNNING (13 Days)

**FEATURED SPORTS** | FOOTBALL • TAG RUGBY • DODGEBALL • ATHLETICS • HOCKEY  
GOLF • GYMNASTICS • BASKETBALL • CRICKET • TENNIS

**DATES RUNNING**  
**Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> MAY /**  
**Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> MAY**  
**Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> MAY /**  
**Friday 30<sup>th</sup> MAY**

**SUMMER HOLIDAY DATES**  
**NOW OPEN!**

**BOOK NOW** | [www.sportsstarsuk.com](http://www.sportsstarsuk.com)

NORTH HEATH PRIMARY SCHOOL, ERICA WAY, HORSHAM RH12 5V

**SCAN TO BOOK!**




**WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW**

- Minimum 3 specialist sports coaching sessions each day plus lots more fun activities, drills and games
- Bring drinks, snacks, lunch, suitable clothing, sunscreen (NO nuts or Egg)
- 4+** Open to ages 4 to 12

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28th July – 1st August  
9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

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**PLANET SOCCER**  
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**May Half Term Football Camp**

**Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> - Friday 30<sup>th</sup> May**

**BOXGROVE PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
Boxgrove Lane, Guildford, Surrey GU1 2TD

**TILLINGBOURNE JUNIOR SCHOOL**  
New Rd, Chilworth, Guildford, Surrey GU4 8NB

**PARK MEAD PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
Park Drive, Cranleigh, Surrey GU6 7HB

**£30 per day or £110 for all 4 days**

**All schools - Age 5-11 (School Years 1-6)**  
Drop off time: 8:30am-9:30am, Pick up 3:30pm-4:30pm  
\*\*code can be redeemed for any sibling bookings only

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# Half Term Events

## MAY HALF TERM at Haslemere Museum



**Museum Explorers  
Pond Dipping**  
Tue 27 May  
10.30am-12pm

For ages 5-11 -  
Discover the amazing  
unseen creatures living in  
the Museum's pond and  
look at them under a  
microscope.



**Family activity  
The Herds**  
27, 28 & 29 May  
See website for times

Help us create a life size  
baby hippo puppet to  
raise awareness about  
climate change. Also have  
a go at making your own  
finger puppet.



**Family event  
Mill Cottage Farm**  
Thu 29 May  
11am-3pm

A selection of friendly  
farm animals to feed,  
groom and stroke in the  
museum's beautiful  
garden, along with art  
activities inside.



**FIND OUT MORE & BOOK AT**  
[haslemeremuseum.co.uk/whatson](https://haslemeremuseum.co.uk/whatson)

**TUNSGATE QUARTER**  
GUILDFORD

## Bee Aware Week

**29th May – 1st June**  
10am – 4pm every day

Join us this half term for a week  
buzzing with **FREE** activities! Learn all  
about bees and the essential role  
they play in our ecosystem, enjoy  
some bee-themed crafting and find  
out how Tunsgate Quarter is helping  
to support local biodiversity.

**Family Arts  
& Crafts**

**Talks &  
Live Demos**

**Hands-on  
Workshops**

**Meet  
the Bees**

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