



Heathfield
PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Friday 13th May 2022

Happy Hardworking Courageous Kind

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

MAY

16th—Teacher training day
16th - 27th - Year 2 SATs time period
18th - Reception parent workshop
18th - Jubilee workshop day for Year 4,5&6 children—children to wear PE kit to school
18th - Jubilee workshop day for Year 1,2&3 children—children to wear PE kit to school
25th - Nursery parent workshop
26th - Jubilee celebration day—non-uniform for all children ('ROYAL' theme)
27th - Break up for half term (1 week)

JUNE

6th - Children return to school (summer 2)
8th - Year 5 parent workshop
6th - 10th - Year 1 (&some of Year 2) phonics screening check period
6th - 17th - Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check period
15th - Nurture parent workshop
22nd - Year 3 parent workshop
29th - Year 2 parent workshop

JULY

4th - 8th - Sports week
6th - Transition day (all children including Year 6 go to their new class)
20th - Break up for the summer holiday at 1pm

SEPTEMBER 2022

5th - Teacher training day
6th - Teacher training day
7th - 1st day of term (autumn 1) —school opens to children (with the exception of Reception children new to our school)
12th - New reception children start (mornings only this week)

OCTOBER

21st - Break up for half term (1 week)
31st - Back to school (autumn 2)

DECEMBER

16th - break up for Christmas holidays (2 weeks)

Head of School: Mrs F Atherton

Deputy Head: Mrs S Richards

Assistant Headteachers:

Ms K. McInerney, Mr R Jackson

Inclusion Lead: Mrs S Syner

Pastoral Manager: Mrs H Toth

HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE



Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a very busy (if slightly disjointed) fortnight for us all with bank holidays and training days all coming at once, however, as always, the children of Heathfield have been working extremely hard.

SATs

This week our Year 6 children have sat their SATs tests in Reading, Grammar and Maths and we are all extremely proud of them. We know that it isn't easy to be in Year 6 and have to sit these tests normally, and we appreciate that it has been even harder for these children having to sit them after the disruption to their learning over the past two years. They are all heroes in our eyes!

And next week, it is the turn of our Year 2 pupils! Of course, their experience will be different, but it's really important that all children attend so that they have the chance to complete their papers too.

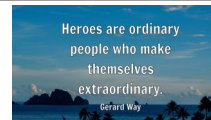
Queen's Jubilee

You will have received an email from Miss Rajput about our plans for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee celebrations and there is more information on this newsletter. We are planning to celebrate before half term as the extended bank holiday celebrations fall during the half term break.

Year 5 swimming

Lots of you will have noticed that we have a new addition to our playground this week! We have a pop up pool on site for the Year 5 children to have an intensive course of swimming over the next fortnight. There are also girls and boys changing facilities set up right beside the pool. The children will be in small groups with qualified staff including a lifeguard, and supporting the sessions will be our own Mr Reynolds, Mr Harrington, Mrs Miah and Mr Lough. We appreciate that some children will be feeling very nervous about the swimming sessions, particularly if they have never been swimming before, but we know that they have gone down very well at our other schools and feel confident that it will be the same for us.

Mrs. Atherton



ART WINNER

The winner of last newsletter's art competition is Muzzammil in 2N. Congratulations!

ART CHALLENGE

This fortnight, the Heathfield art ambassadors have a new challenge for you.

Jubilee art task: Design and make a new crown for the Queen.

Deadline: Tuesday 24th May to Ms McInerney

The art ambassadors will judge the entries and choose a winner from each year group.



HEATHFIELD WAYS

Who has been demonstrating the 'Heathfield Ways' consistently in school this week?

CLASS Shout Out! = 5W

5W's class award has been long awaited by the class. They have been eagerly anticipating which class it will be every fortnight for a while now! 5W have been impressing this fortnight—keep it up!

STAFF Shout Out! : Mrs Akhtar & Mr Mazhar

It isn't only the Year 6 children that have been working hard for SATs recently. The Year 6 teachers have done a fantastic job at preparing the children, both academically and mentally. We would like to say they'll all have a lovely rest now, but...



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RIGHTS RESPECTING SCHOOL

The rights respecting school steering group (guardians of the rights) have organised a shoe share in collaboration with Clarks.

How can you help?

Bring in any grown-out or unwanted shoes (adults and children's shoes). We will then take the shoes to Clarks.

When can you bring the shoes in to school?

Between 17th—20th May

Are there any shoes that aren't appropriate?

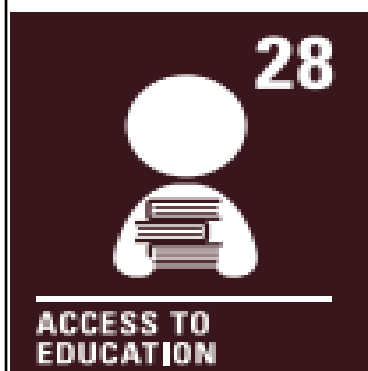
Please don't donate shoes that have holes or extremely damaged soles. All other shoes are greatly appreciated.

How will your donations help others?

Clarks donate money to UNICEF to help children around the world go to school and get an education.

Thank you for your support

Miss Elahi



The Guardians of the Rights



END OF TERM SPECIAL AWARDS

Focus:

EYFS—looking after school resources and being a fabulous help at tidy up time

Y1-6—consistently respecting school equipment and ensuring that of others

Nursery Irfan Ahmed & Amelia Ali

RE Ibrahim Mohamed Ali & Zoya Bi

RT Sidra Hanif & Salamatu Seraju Mhd Abubakar

1B Hajra Aslam & Aidan Ahmed

1P Bilal Hashi & Ayaan Miah

2N Ejaz Ahmed & Ruqaya Begum

2R Muhammad Ashraf & Hamza Sheikh

3G Mhd Zidhaan Chohan & Ismail Mhd Ali

3PM Sofia Jenkinson & Ismail Khan

4C Mizan Bhuiyan & Havarn-Dawnell James Wint

4T Amaan Hussain & Haadia Waheed Shakir

5C Azizah Akhtar & Abeera Ali Gulzar

5W Hannah Hudah & Taslima Akter Maha

6A Assiah Hawker-Balfour & Rayyan Mahmood

6M Jannatul Karim & Eleezah Zubair

Rainbow Lodge star of the week

06.05.22: Amina Baldeh

13.05.22: Zakariya Muhammad Saghi



JUBILEE CELEBRATION WORKSHOPS



Date: Wednesday 18th May

Who: Years 4, 5 and 6

What: Y4 Zumba, Y5 Line dance, Y6 Hip Hop

Date: Thursday 19th May

Who: Years 1, 2 and 3

What: Y1 Disco, Y2 Twist, Y3 Rock N Roll

Workshops are delivered by 'Primary workshops for schools' and are dedicated Queen's Platinum Jubilee dance workshops. Please ensure you have paid £1.50 contribution via ParentPay.

Children should attend school in their PE kit on their workshop day.

Nursery and Reception will be having their own jubilee celebrations in their year groups.

JUBILEE CELEBRATION NON- UNIFORM DAY—26TH MAY

On Thursday 26th May, we will be having a whole-school non-uniform day in recognition of the Queen's platinum jubilee. The theme for dress will be **ROYAL**. No payment required.

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GARDENING CLUB

Mrs Patel and the gardening club children have been working hard already. Watch this space...



SHOE SHARE



Yunus 4C



Samira 3M

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Clarks

**We are hosting a shoe collection on
17th-20th May**

All you need to do is bring your old and unwanted shoes into school with you.

We will then deliver the shoes to Clarks,
who will donate money to Unicef
to help children around the world – just like you –
to be able to go to school!



Hamza RE



Malyca 4T

No holes or
broken soles!

Use an elastic
band to put
them together

Please bring
your shoes to the
pastoral office!



JUBILEE BUNTING COMPETITION

If your child has shown interest in this competition today, they have brought home the template. Please bring it into school by Wednesday 18th May so we can post them off for you.

Celebrate the Queen's 70 years of service by decorating your own Jubilee bunting!

Design your bunting entry here...and don't forget to use your bunting designs
to decorate your school!

School Name: _____

Pupils Name: _____

Pupils Year: _____

Contact at abm Catering: _____

We are excited to see your
designs! Send them in to us
by **Friday 20th May 2022**.



Instructions for decorating your own Jubilee bunting!

The 'Decorate Your Own Jubilee Bunting' competition is
running until the **Friday 20th May 2022**.

We will be choosing 5 fabulous winning designs. Who will
each win an equally fabulous prize! Don't forget to use your
bunting to decorate your school!

All you have to do is get creative and design a special
celebratory bunting for us to use to mark the Queen's 70
years in service! You can use any coloured pens, pencils or
paint,

as well as any gluing or sticking you may want to add to your
creation.

Please can all entries be collated and sent to the following
address by no later than **Friday 20th May** for inclusion in the
competition. This competition is run by your School Catering
provider - abm Catering.



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