

# Headlines

23<sup>rd</sup> January 2026



## Dear Parents

What a wet and miserable week weather wise. However, in school we have been very busy and our children have had the opportunity to take part in sports and leadership training, science and DT tasks and creative activities. Have a great weekend Mrs T L Good

## Perform

Grace from Perform Drama carried out workshops with our children from Nursery to Y2. The children went on an amazing imaginary adventure to the Midnight Toyshop and had a wonderful time! We were very proud of our children's engagement and behaviour.

## STEM Workshop

This week, the Year 4 and 5 children took part in an amazing STEM workshop where they designed and built their own rockets and parachutes, with the added challenge of safely carrying an egg back to the ground. The pupils showed fantastic creativity, teamwork and problem solving skills as they tested their designs and made improvements along the way. It was wonderful to see such excitement and engagement with Science and Engineering, and everyone thoroughly enjoyed the hands-on learning experience.

## Sports Crew Training

On Wednesday, our Y6 ambassadors and house captains attended a Sports Crew training afternoon. The aim of the event is to teach children how to be good leaders and allow them the opportunity to work as a team, lead activities and reflect on their delivery through team feedback. Children reflected on the skills and qualities needed for good leadership and how they can use these to help deliver activities here in school. It was great to see our Y6 children take on responsibility within their group and we look forward to putting their skills to use across the year!

Thank you to the parents who transported children and to Rachel for staying with us.



## Food Vouchers

Please see the letter emailed out today about supermarket food vouchers. These will automatically be emailed out to parents who have previously received them but if you feel you could benefit or have changed your email address or the parent you wish to receive the voucher, please get in touch.

## Dates for your diary.

More dates will be added as we move through the term and letters will be sent about the various events. The calendar is also available on the website.

Description	Date	Time
Y3 Feet First training	27/01/26	08:30 - 09:00
Y5 & Y6 football at St Charles	27/01/26	14:30 - 16:30
Full Governing Body Meeting	27/01/26	18:30 - 20:30
MHST - Brain Buddies Y5	29/01/26	13:00 - 14:00
Panathalon	30/01/26	
Parents Evening 1	10/02/26	3.30 - 18.30
Parents Evening 2	12/02/26	3.30 - 18.30
Y5&6 To Rose Theatre	13/02/26	09:00 - 13:30
Spring Half Term	16/02/26 - 20/02/26	
Y5 game against Stepgates	25/02/26	14:30 - 16:00
Break the Rules Day	27/02/26	
2pm Y5 football Holy Family	27/02/26	14:00 - 16:00
Family Learning Week	02/03/26	See letter
Dance Festival @ Notre Dame	05/03/26	11:30 - 15:30
Bikeability Level 2 Year 6	09-13/03/26	5 days
Dance festival performance to parents	11/03/26	09:00 - 09:30
Rock Steady TBC	19/03/26	14:30 - 15:00
Notre Dame district X country	21/03/26	08:30 - 14:00
PTFA School Disco	23/03/26	17:00 - 19:30
<b>Macbeth Performance to Parents</b>	<b>24/03/26</b>	<b>14:00 - 15:30</b>
Y5 Football game Stepgates	25/03/26	15:00 - 16:30
Easter Holidays Finish at 1.30pm	28/03/26 - 12/04/26	
Back to School 8.50am	13/04/26	
Runnymede Sportability festival	16/04/26	
PTFA Mufti	17/04/26	
Governor Meeting	21/04/26	18:30 - 20:30
Year 1 Lookout Discovery Centre	22/04/26	09:00 - 15:00
Bikeability Level 1	24/04/26	09:00 - 12:00
May Day Holiday	04/05/26	
SATs week	11-15/05/26	
Year 3 Haselmere Museum	14/05/26	
Reception trip to Gatton Park	19/05/26	
Summer Half Term	25/05/26 - 29/05/26	
Aspiration Week	08/06/26	
SDPlan - Governors	09/06/26	18:30 - 20:30
DISTRICT SPORTS	10/06/26	
Class Photographs	19/06/26	08:30 - 11:00
Full Governing Body Meeting	07/07/26	18:30 - 20:30
Rock Steady TBC	09/07/26	14:30 - 15:00
Inset Day 3	20/07/26	09:00 - 16:59
Inset day 4	21/07/26	09:00 - 16:59
Inset day 5	22/07/26	09:00 - 16:59