



Hatfield Peverel St Andrew's Junior School

NEWSLETTER

6th May 2022



Dear Parents and Carers,

Our Cricket and Athletics clubs started this week (in addition to the Football clubs, which were already running). Numbers were low, and I wonder if that was due to the information not being spotted in last week's newsletter? Please see the google form links on page 2 if your child/ren would like to join.

The clubs are open to year 3,4,5 and 6 and there is no charge this term.

On Tuesday we were visited by our Diocesan Education adviser and the Interim Director of Education for the diocese. They toured the school and spoke to a number of children from each year group.

They were very impressed with how well the children spoke about the school. The key messages the children shared with the advisers were:

- They were all very positive about the school and were keen to talk about what they enjoy most.
- They were able to talk about the school vision and talked about 'every child being loved and known, every child shining' with references to how it 'looks' at St Andrew's and how they are all encouraged to shine.
- They spoke positively about collective worship, they enjoy contributing to this and are proud of their school prayer- which they all knew.
- They talked about St Andrew's church and Father Stephen and demonstrated a good understanding that we are a church school.

I was very proud of how confidently they spoke about our lovely school.

Have a lovely weekend!

Mrs Black and the St Andrew's team



Please remember to apply suntan lotion before school and to send your child in with a hat and water bottle next week.

Hopefully the sun will have his hat on!



SWIMMING LESSONS 2022!

Swimming will restart this year on Wednesday 8th June.

Please complete the google form so we know your child's swimming ability before we group them for their lessons. If you would like to help please contact the office. All parents who help with swimming will need to have a DBS completed before the start date.

<https://forms.gle/UuuKJsGR3PMpHQa3>

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More information about costs will be shared next week.



Welcome to Lucas who has joined the fun in Birch Base, we hope you will be very happy at St Andrew's!

Summer Term 2022 - dates for your diary:-

Monday 9th to Thursday 12th May: SATS week (Year 6)
Monday 30th May to Friday 3rd June: half term
Monday 6th June: inset day
Wednesday 8th June: Crucial Crew (Year 6 - details to follow)
Thursday 9th June: Colchester Zoo (Year 3 - details to follow)
Friday 10th June: Jubilee Celebration (parents invited to afternoon)
Monday 13th June: Wat Tyler Park (Year 4 - details to follow)
Friday 17th June: Sports day- morning (Parents invited)
Monday 20th June: Reserve Sports day- morning (parents invited)
Wednesday 22nd to Friday 24th June: Hilltop residential trip (Year 6)
Monday 27th June: Abberton Reservoir (Year 5 - details to follow)
Tuesday 28th June: Maltings & NRA Induction Day 1 (Year 6)
Wednesday 29th June: Maltings & NRA Induction Day 2 (Year 6)
Thursday 30th June: GBHS Year 5 visit (details to follow from GBHS)
Thursday 30th June: District Sports event
Friday 1st July: inset day
Tuesday 5th, Wednesday 6th, Thursday 7th July: GBHS transition days (Y6)
Monday 11th July: Year 6 performance 1:30
Tuesday 12th July: Year 6 performance 1:30
Wednesday 20th July: Year 6 party 3:30-5:00
Thursday 21st July: Year 6 leavers picnic (parents invited afternoon event)
Thursday 21st July: last day of term
Thursday 1st and Friday 2nd September: inset days
Monday 5th September: back to school

Deadline for replies and payments:-












Year Group	Trip or Event	Deadline for response
All Years	Guitar Lessons. Letters home with children at the end of last term. Athletics Club starts 9/5/22 - sign up here https://forms.gle/9zcWtGBRBwoqTpBB6 Cricket Club started 5/5/22 - sign up here https://forms.gle/jdunzqFn429WjVSE6	Summer Term payment due now please (directly to Mr James)
Year 3	Swimming https://forms.gle/o9NZk4yhBjJhRN9m7	Asap
Year 4	Swimming https://forms.gle/o9NZk4yhBjJhRN9m7	Asap
Year 5	Swimming https://forms.gle/o9NZk4yhBjJhRN9m7	Asap
Year 6	Swimming https://forms.gle/o9NZk4yhBjJhRN9m7	Asap

NEW

SUMMER TERM 2022 MENUS

Week 1 - week commencing 9th May

Thank you for helping to support our school by choosing a school meal for your child/ren.
 Meals are £2.30 daily and can be ordered by your child in class during registration each morning.
 Our preferred payment method is via Pay360 Education Payments -
 please contact the office if you have yet to register for this.

 Week One Menu     18 th April, 9 th May, 6 th June, 27 th June, 18 th July		 SUMMER 2022 - LUNCH MENU      Hatfield Peverel St. Andrew's Junior School		
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Cheese & Tomato Pizza (v)	Pasta Bolognaise	All Day Breakfast (Chipolata, Bacon and Scrambled Egg)	Roast Gammon	Fish Fillet
<u>Or</u>	<u>Or</u>	<u>Or</u>	<u>Or</u>	<u>Or</u>
Jacket Potato with Tuna & Sweetcorn	Pasta Neapolitan (v)	All Day Breakfast (Meat Free Sausage and Scrambled Egg) (v)	Garlic & Herb Roast Fillet (v)	Crispy Dippers (v)
Sweetcorn Homemade Coleslaw Potato Wedges	Homemade Garlic Bread Broccoli	Hash Browns Baked Beans Mushrooms Tomatoes	Roast Potatoes Carrots Broccoli Yorkshire Pudding Gravy	Chips Peas & Sweetcorn
Chocolate Cake and Sauce	Healthy Fruit Day	Pancakes/Sauce	Healthy Fruit Day	Strawberry Ice Cream

Thank you for supporting us by having a school meal. Please be assured for your peace of mind - all allergens are catered for.



‘Most played’

Joshua H
46,397 coins



Wishing a very **Happy Birthday**
to those who have celebrated
their birthdays between:
3rd and 9th May 2022

Audrey, Haniya, Charlotte M,
Ella-Rosezena, Olivia R,
Edward R



Points for this week!

Vinehurst	600
Priory	581
Greystones	578
Berwicks	516



These are the children who have been spotted shining in school this week.
We could have chosen so many children- the decisions were hard to make!
Well done for demonstrating our CARE values.

Kylie - Apple
Lucas B - Birch
Max E - Cherry
Holly - Fir
Amy - Maple
Ada - Oak
The whole class - Rowan
The whole class - Sycamore

Compassion Achievement Respect Enjoyment
Every child is loved and known.
Every child shines.



Spotlight on a Year 5 visit from New Rickstones Maths teachers!



The children did some code-breaking with some Maths teachers from NRA.

I loved figuring out the code. Jake

The codes were fun to solve and the teachers were really nice. Sophie



I really enjoyed this day.
The Dad jokes were very bad
but they were very funny!
Vinnie



Darcy recently attended a football tournament in the Isle of Wight.

She had such a great time and made some amazing memories; it was an experience that she will never forget!

Her team were all brilliant and they played some amazing football, which got them all the way to the final, but unluckily, they came runners up.

At the presentation, the team had their trophies presented to them by Paul Robinson, a former goalkeeper for Tottenham and England, so that was nice for them. Congratulations and well done Darcy!



FROM THE JSA

NEW MEMBERS NEEDED

Many of our key committee members and volunteers are stepping down, mostly because after 7 years of being involved in both the JSA and the ISA their 'not so little ones' are heading off to secondary school!!

As JSA members we work together with the school team to raise vital funds for the school and our children. Being part of the JSA is both fun and rewarding, it's great to meet new people, and to be part of a fantastic group of mums and dads (and grandparents!). Our children love us being involved in the school, and being an integral part of the school's extended team, we see first-hand how important the money you raise really is.

WE NEED TO RECRUIT:

CHAIRPERSON

Mrs Black currently acts a chair to keep the charity going, but to have someone new would be fantastic to give her some of her vital time back! The chair oversees the committee and fundraising with the support of the below key team teams.

VICE CHAIRPERSON

This role supports the chair and helps to arrange events with JSA volunteers.

SECRETARY

This role oversees the record keeping and meeting minutes.

TREASURER

This role oversees and tracks the charity's money - you don't need to be a maths or finance whizz, just good with a spreadsheet.

VOLUNTEERS

Needed to help at events, shop and idea brainstorming—the more volunteers we have the more the tasks can be spread meaning being a volunteer can be as little or as much as you want it to be!

If you think you can help in any way please get in touch:

www.facebook.com/groups/jsahatpev/
standrewsjsa@gmail.com



ESSEX SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Free Young People's Orchestral Workshop **Sunday 22nd May 2022 at St John Payne School, Chelmsford**

Following a year's break due to the pandemic, the Essex Symphony Orchestra is delighted, once again, to be able to invite young musicians to join them for a morning or afternoon to experience orchestral playing alongside experienced players and under the guidance of our professional conductor, Mr Robert Hodge.

The workshop is for pupils who learn an orchestral instrument in or out of school and who have passed at least Grade 1. There will be two sessions held on Sunday 22nd May:

10 – 12.30 for those who have passed Grades 1, 2 or 3

1.30pm – 4pm for those who have passed Grades 4 or 5

To comply with safeguarding guidelines, a parent or responsible adult will need to accompany their child to the workshop; in previous workshops parents sat all around the edges of the hall and really enjoyed watching how the music came together.

If you would like your child to take part, please email:

Catherine Gunnett (member of Essex Symphony Orchestra) at bassoonplus@gmail.com with the following information:

- Child's Name
- School's Name
- Orchestral instrument (i.e. not piano, keyboard, guitar, recorder, drums or saxophone)
- Grade attained
- Parent/carers contact email and phone number

You will then be given further details about the day, including the music that we will be playing and a link to download it so that your child can practise it at home and with his/her instrumental tutor before the day of the workshop.

If you would like further information about the Essex Symphony Orchestra and to see pictures and a review of previous workshops, please visit our website, www.essexsymphony.org.uk

Last year's workshop was very popular and there are limited places for each instrument, so please reply as soon as possible to secure your child's participation.

We look forward to hearing from you!

Kind regards

Catherine Gunnett

Member of Essex Symphony Orchestra



Full details of the Safari Beacon Trail and Colouring Pages were sent via Parentmail earlier this week

The Queens Platinum Jubilee interactive Safari Beacon Trail, 30th - 12th June & Colouring Competition

Three exciting family trails have been launched across Braintree District this week to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee.

Braintree District Council has partnered with High Street Safari to bring these fun, engaging trails to Braintree, Witham and Halstead town centres to help primary-aged children learn about the Jubilee in a fun and interactive way.

Families can visit the High Street Safari website to locate the first story points in each of the trails and then head out to start their mission.

At the first location children need to hunt for a Jubilee-themed character which will usually be displayed in the window of the premises. There will be a QR to scan which reveals the first instalment of the story and allows children to see them in augmented reality.

From there participants are led to six other destinations around the town, with each one offering a new character to collect and the next part of the story.

The free trails are live now and run until 12th June, giving families plenty of time to take part. Once the trail has been completed users will discover details of any beacon lighting events happening in the area so they can continue their Jubilee celebrations.

More info, and location maps at the following link: <https://highstreetsafari.com/platinumjubilee>

FAQ: <https://highstreetsafari.com/help>

Colouring Competition!

Win a £20 gift voucher and get the chance to have your design printed as a special commemorative poster by entering the Queens Platinum Jubilee Beacon Trail Colouring Competition! Please see attached colouring pages, entry is via the following [online form](#). Deadline for entries is **June 12th 2022**. See full terms & conditions [here](#).

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

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