



Friday 4th April 2025

Wymondley News



Our **Forest School Days** at Wymondley this week were a great success; it was lovely to make good use of our outdoor spaces and we enjoyed offering new activities with the support of Tanya, a local Forest School Leader. Children used a range of tools to make wands and amulets and made green faces and insects from clay. Fire lighting was a popular activity, as was eating s'mores toasted over our school firepit which was built by the pupil Forest School Helpers last Summer. There's a new Forest School Helpers club starting on Tuesday afternoons after the holidays - thank you to Ms MacCormack and Mr Burningham for volunteering to run this again to improve and maintain the wildlife area.



We talked about **religious festivals** on Tuesday in school - pupils talked about Eid in assembly, and our lunch had an Easter theme. Thank you to HCL for preparing the special lunch and we will talk more about Easter after the holiday, with it falling later than usual this year. Eid Mubarak and Happy Easter to all celebrating!

The **Wymondley football team** has had a very busy end to the season. The team attended the Hitchin Schools end of season rally at The Priory School on Wednesday evening, finishing a respectable 5th, and then concluded their fixtures in the Rural Schools' League on Thursday afternoon, winning all their remaining matches yesterday. The team are now awaiting the outcome of the league as other teams conclude their fixtures. They have had a strong season and should feel very proud of their great performances. Thank you to the parents (and pupils!) who have supported the team throughout the season.



Thank you to the **Friends of Wymondley** for organising the flowers for **someone special** event last week and today's bake sale & Easter Egg trail. I met with Natalie from FoW this week and the Summer Term looks packed with more great events. We know pupils and families love these events and the funds raised support the school to offer pupils more resources and opportunities - thank you to everyone at FoW and those who support the events.



Welcome to **Miss Ella Baker** who has joined the staff site team this week. Thank you to Mr Dickens, who has been covering the cleaning duties this half term - happy birthday for yesterday!

I hope all our Wymondley families enjoy their family time in the beautiful weather we are looking forward to over the next few weeks.

I look forward to hearing from the children about their holiday when we **return on Tuesday 22nd April.**



Mrs Chadwick

ATTENDANCE



Attendance Year to Date (Wymondley): **93.8%**
Attendance Year to Date (Nationally): 94.5%

Persistent Absence (Wymondley) : **23%**
Persistent Absence (Nationally) : 16%



Puffins



WEEK WE RETURN...



Curriculum Coffee Meeting

Our Curriculum Coffee Meeting is on Thursday (24th), 8:50-9:20am in the Life Learning Room

Uniform Reminder

Please take a moment over the Easter break to re-read our uniform policy found [HERE](#) and to adhere to the following points especially:

- Plain stud earrings to be worn only
- Black leather school shoes to be worn (no trainers)
- Plain socks (no sports branded socks)
- Unbranded, black sports clothing on PE days (no logos or branding - plain black)
- Plain, black, white, hair-coloured or green hair ties

COMING SOON...

Swimming Lessons

We are pleased to be able to provide swimming lessons for the pupils in Puffins at Hitchin Swimming Centre on Tuesday mornings from **10th June to 15th July** inclusive.



Please log into your Arbor app to register your consent for your child and to make payment.

80th VE Day Celebrations



On **Thursday 8th May**, we will be celebrating VE Day by inviting the children to wear red, white & blue and we will be having an afternoon tea party

CALENDAR



Monday

Easter Monday

Tuesday

Return to School

PE

2:55pm Shared Reading

Wednesday

Thursday

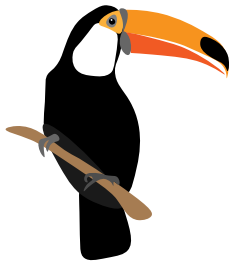
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Forest School



Toucans



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Trip to RAF Museum Hendon

We are very pleased to offer our Toucans children the exciting opportunity to visit the RAF Museum Hendon, on **Wednesday 30th April**.



Payment should be made via Arbor by Friday 18th April.

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Our Football Rally on Thursday 3rd April 2025

Our first match was against Breachwood Green and it was a tough game but we won 5-1. Our second match was against the toughest school team, St Ippolyts, it was tough but we managed to get 4 goals to make it a 4-2 win. Our last match was a friendly match against Cockernhoe it was the best game winning 11-0. Well done to our team and hopefully we will win the league.

By Brody C

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Whole School

Clothing Collection

Planning a sort out over the Easter holidays, getting summer ready?

We have a clothing collection booked for **Wednesday 14th May**, drop off clothing in the school bike shed before 9am.

SCHOOL FUNDRAISING More clothes - more funds for your organisation! 7kg = £0.65

YOUR COLLECTION IS ARRANGED ON:

14 MAY WEDNESDAY

FILL ANY BAGS WITH CLOTHING AND BRING THEM TO SCHOOL. ORGANISATION WE WILL COLLECT AND WEIGH THEM

WE ACCEPT:

- Good quality clean clothing (adult's children's baby)
- Shoes (paired)
- Hats
- Huvs & scarves
- Belts
- Fashion accessories
- Sweatshirt/leggings
- Jewellery
- Handbags

WE DON'T ACCEPT:

- Items that are dirty, wet, ripped, damaged or stained
- Unsuitable clothing
- Quilts & pillows
- High heels
- Travelling kit
- Electrical items
- Books, CDs, DVDs
- Children's toys
- Carpets, rug mats, curtains
- Upholstery
- Light & heavy items

PLEASE NO UNIFORMS & DUVETS!

RAISE MONEY FOR YOUR SCHOOL BY GIVING AWAY YOUR UNWANTED CLOTHES

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Community News

Please click [HERE](#) for the latest community news flyers



SEN & Wellbeing News

Please click [HERE](#) for the latest SEN & wellbeing resources



FoW - Coming Soon

More details coming next term but we have lots of exciting plans for the summer term.



Look out for information on our Golden ticket event and our first ever Rainbow Run!

Clubs

Please find below the extra-curricular club timetable for **Summer Term 1**. Please make sure you sign your child up via Arbor for the before and after school clubs.

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Morning 08:15-08:45	SATs Booster - Maths (Invite only) Miss Linnert	SATs Booster - Maths (Invite only) Miss Linnert	Choir (Years 2-4) Mrs Chadwick	SATs Booster - Reading (Invite only) Mrs Holmes	
Lunchtimes	Sports Club (All Years) Mr Sinclair Reading Ambassadors (Invite Only) Mrs Holmes	Ukulele Club (Years 7-6) Mrs Chadwick	Library (Years 3-6) Mrs Nowland	Yoga (Years 7-3) Mrs Springall Sports Club (All Years) Mr Sinclair	Rights Rangers (Invite Only) Mrs Payne Buddy Club (Year 6) Miss Chegwyn
After School 15:15-16:15	Sports Club (Years 3-6) Mr Sinclair	Forest School Helpers (Years 5 & 6) Ms MacCormack	Homework Club (Years 3-6) Miss Linnert	Sports Club (Reception & Year 1 & 2) (Year 4 & Year 7) Mrs Chadwick Youth Club 4:45-5:45pm (From 22nd May until 26th June)	

Cancelled Clubs

Please note that all clubs will recommence the w/c Monday 28th April



Lunch Menu

As our school lunches are cooked offsite, we have to provide our meal registers daily by 9:30am. If your child arrives to school after 9:30am, please can you provide them with a packed lunch. Click [HERE](#) for the menu

HCL Menu 2025-2026

WEEK 1: 22 APRIL, 12 MAY, 9 JUNE, 30 JUNE, 21 JULY, 8 SEPT, 22 SEPT, 13 OCT

WEEK 2: 28 APRIL, 19 MAY, 16 JUNE, 7 JULY, 6 SEPT, 20 OCT

WEEK 3: 6 MAY, 2 JUNE, 23 JUNE, 14 JULY, 15 SEPT, 6 OCT

Includes columns for Main Meal, Side Dish, Cold Option, Extra Option, and Dessert for each day.



Dates



DIARY DATES

APRIL

- Wednesday 30th - Toucans Trip to RAF Hendon

MAY

- Thursday 1st - Y3/4 Tennis Competition (invite)
- Thursday 1st - Toucans Curriculum Meeting
- Friday 2nd - Puffins Forest School
- Monday 5th - BANK HOLIDAY
- Thursday 8th - 80th VE Day Celebrations
- Friday 9th - Toucans Forest School
- Friday 9th - Golden Ticket Event
- Friday 9th - Tuck Shop Friday's Start
- Monday 12th-Thursday 15th - Year 6 SATs
- Wednesday 14th - Clothing Collection
- Friday 16th - Toucans Forest School
- Friday 23rd - INSET Day
- Monday 26th-Friday 30th - HALF TERM

JUNE

- Tuesday 3rd - Cricket Competition (by invite)
- Friday 6th - Eagles Forest School
- Tuesday 10th - Toucans & Puffins Swimming (1)
- Friday 13th - Eagles Forest School
- Friday 13th - Father's Day Doughnuts
- Tuesday 17th - Toucans & Puffins Swimming (2)
- Wednesday 18th - National Thank A Teacher Day
- Thursday 19th - Sports Day
- Friday 20th - Peacocks Forest School
- Friday 20th - Colour Run
- Tuesday 24th - Toucans & Puffins Swimming (3)
- Thursday 26th - Reserve Sports Day
- Friday 27th - Peacocks Forest School
- Monday 30th - Wymondley Woods

JULY

- Tuesday 1st - Wymondley Woods
- Tuesday 1st - Toucans & Puffins Swimming (4)
- Wednesday 2nd - Peacocks Overnight at Wymo Woods
- Thursday 3rd - Rocksteady Concert
- Thursday 3rd - HCL Sports Lunch
- Friday 4th - Summer Hoedown Disco
- Tuesday 8th - Toucans & Puffins Swimming (5)
- Thursday 10th - Transition Day
- Tuesday 15th - Toucans & Puffins Swimming (6)

JULY

- Tuesday 15th - KS2 Summer Performance 9.30am & 6pm
- Wednesday 16th - Letchworth Ukulele Club Performance
- Thursday 17th - Circus Skills Workshop
- Thursday 17th - Puffins Graduation
- Thursday 17th - End of Year Celebration
- Tuesday 22nd - Year 6 Leavers Assembly
- Wednesday 23rd - INSET Day

TERM DATES

SUMMER TERM 2025

- Tuesday 22nd April - Start of Term
- Monday 5th May - Bank Holiday
- Friday 23rd May - INSET Day
- Monday 26th-Friday 30th May - Half Term
- Tuesday 22nd July- End of Term (1:45pm)
- Wednesday 23rd July - INSET Day

2025/2026

AUTUMN TERM 2025

- Wednesday 3rd September - INSET Day
- Thursday 4th September - Start of Term

