



Hollybrook Junior School

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Dear Parents and Carers

Parent Update, 2 May 2018

Tucasi Online Payment System: Scopay

Please be advised that from now on any users of Microsoft Windows XP or Microsoft Vista will no longer be able to make payments via the Tucasi Online Payments System which are processed by WorldPay. Unfortunately, users of these operating system may have to upgrade their systems to be able to make online payments.

This change is being enforced by the PCI DSS (Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard). From the 30th June 2018, all websites that accept card payments will no longer allow users of Windows XP and Windows Vista to use their websites. WorldPay have implemented this change from 30th April 2018.

JEP Summer Festival, Thursday, 21 June 2018

Our joint schools Prom Concert has been re-named the JEP Summer Festival! Children in our choir and orchestra will be bringing home a letter about the event next week.

As in previous years, we will feature an adult choir made up of staff and parents of the JEP schools. Any parents who would like to sing are invited to rehearse at Wordsworth Primary School on Thursdays, 4.00-5.00pm. The rehearsal dates are 24 May, 7 June and 14 June. You may bring children along if they are able to sit quietly and occupy themselves while we rehearse. Please make sure that you can attend at least two of the rehearsals if you wish to do the performance.

Hope to see you there!
Mrs Thompsett

Attendance 23.4.18-27.4.18

Class	% Attend
3C	94.8
3B	96.1
4C	100.0
4K	96.4
5LH	99.3
5M	99.7
6OB	98.1
6N	97.9
Totals	97.8





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School Term and Holiday Dates 2018-19

Attached you will find a list of term and holiday dates from September 2018. School closures for INSET days will be:

- Monday, 3 September 2018
- Friday, 21 December 2018
- Monday, 18 March 2019
- Monday, 24 June 2019

There will be one other INSET day, the date of this will be advised at a later time.

Family Proms and Art Competition – community events

Please see the attached for information.

Visiting the Premier League Trophy

Last Friday, we were given the opportunity by The Primary League Primary Stars programme to visit the Premier League Trophy at Henry Beaufort School in Winchester.

Only six children were allowed to go to see the trophy and play in a mixed (boys and girls) football tournament that The Primary Star Programme put on. Children were selected through their contribution to sport in the school, and mainly from Year 6. This was because, next year, there will hopefully be an opportunity for another group of children to see it.

The children played in a tournament against a variety of schools from the area. The tournament was very much a friendly tournament, but the organisers were also clear that there would still be a winner at the end. Our main reason for being at the event was to see the trophy and anything else would just be extra. The children finished top of their group, and then went on to beat Twyford School in the semi-finals 1-0! This felt great because our approach to the day was purely about having fun.

In the final, the children played John Hursley C of E Primary School and went 1-0 down early on in the game. (It is worth noting that their school did not bring any girls with them so they did not have a mixed team - even though this was a requirement by the organisers.) However, in the last part of the game, we scored to make it 1-1. This meant we had to complete a penalty shoot out to decide who would win the tournament. Hollybrook are certainly no strangers to penalty shoot outs! After going to sudden death, the organisers decided that it might go on forever so declared that both teams were winners. Co-winning a tournament is certainly something that I've never heard of before but it definitely fitted in appropriately with the overall message of the day - to have fun. Both teams shared snacks and had photos together at the end, which demonstrated great sportsmanship and the good spirit of the game.

Well done Hollybrook – another tournament won 😊

Mr O'Brien





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