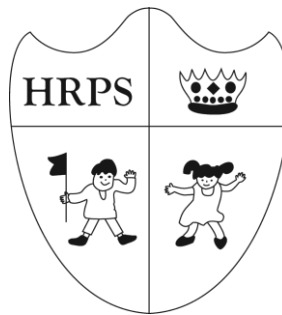


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## NEWSLETTER

14 July 2023

Dear Parents and Carers

### KS1 and KS2 Sports Day – 6 July

Last Thursday, Key Stages 1 and 2 took part in their sports day. It started off with Years 1 and 2 taking part in races like the 50m sprint and the egg and spoon, where we saw extreme concentration from the children. We saw some magnificent ability and technique from those taking part in field events like javelin and long jump. As the day carried on, Years 3 and 4 then took part in their own sports day before lunch. They had events such as the 75m sprint, long jump, javelin and shotput. All children that took part in these events showed determination and amazing skills. Alongside this, we had the very competitive mums' and dads' races which were very close. After an eventful morning, we had the much anticipated Years 5 and 6 sports day events. This year, we saw some brilliant running from all involved, particularly in the 400m race. I am very proud of all the children who showed great levels of sportsmanship and courage.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the staff and PTA for being involved this year. A particular thank you to Mr Hewitt and Mr Simmonds who did such a great job organising the day.



## **Year 6 SATs and performance**

We are so proud of the Year 6 children who received their SATs results this week – well done for all your hard work!

A fantastic effort was made by the children in the performance of Grease. The children thoroughly enjoyed taking part in this production. They took pride in making the props and learning all the songs. A special thank you to those children who worked hard to learn extra lines and stand in for those who were absent. It was wonderful to see the children thrive with their acting, dancing and singing. I am certain there will be some future actors and singers amongst them! A huge thank you to Miss Coleman, Miss Rogers, Mrs Norris and Mr Simmonds for their hard work and commitment.



Our Year 6 children can certainly leave with their heads held high and we wish them every success as they move onto secondary school.

We look forward to seeing parents and carers at the leavers' assembly on Thursday at 9:30am.

## **Contemporary dance**



Our contemporary dancers have been working hard over the academic year to learn new skills including musicality, flexibility and moving to the tempo of the music with grace. Each term they have learned a new dance and yesterday they performed to their families at our last session. The dancers performed with confidence and flair. It was fantastic to perform in front of an audience!

## **School Clubs**

Please note that on the last week of term there are no School Clubs. All Clubs return in September.

## **After School Club**

On Friday 21 July there is no after school club. School finishes at 2pm.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish everyone a wonderful weekend.

Kind regards

James Edwards

Headteacher



***This week's  
Attendance Awards***

Reception/KS1 Prince  
Louis– Platinum 100%

Lower KS2 Princess  
Charlotte –Blue 100%

KS2 Prince George –  
Emerald 92.6%



**UPCOMING EVENTS**

Event	Year groups involved	Date
Year 6 Leavers Assembly	All	Thursday, 20 July at 9:30am
Last day of term	All	Friday, 21 July at 2:00pm



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## Star Awards

			
<b>Danny DETERMINATION</b> says, "DON'T GIVE UP."	<b>Colin CURIOSITY</b> says, "THINK FOR YOURSELF."	<b>Chloe COMMUNICATION</b> says, "RESPECT OTHERS."	<b>Izzy INDEPENDENCE</b> says, "DO YOUR BEST."
Logan S	Jorene B	Talyn A	Freddie A
Saoirse D		Arvi K	Brianna O
Nico S		Ruth P	Oliver J
Jaxon-Jay R		Fleano M	Harrison G
Allana		Elsie H	Zaiba
Joshua H		Ollie F	
Jack H		Elliott A	
Sadiq M-E		Sophia D	
Evie S			
Cristian M			
Abeeha U			
Roux P			
Harrison P			
Lily-Grace C			



# Free holiday activities for children in Central Bedfordshire!

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great prospects



If your children are eligible for benefit related free school meals\* then they could enjoy free activities during the Easter, Summer and Christmas school holidays.

Our Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) programme is for children and young people in Reception through to Year 11 who are in receipt of benefit related free school meals.

There's always a range of activities on offer, including multi-activity clubs, sports and games sessions, craft and creative activities and fun days out and experiences. Our sessions are inclusive so are suitable for children with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND).

*Every child who attends a face-to-face session will be provided with a free lunch and healthy snacks.*

\* not to be confused with universal infant free school meals for children in Reception, year 1 and 2





# 2023 Summer Camp

**24  
JUL**

## **SUPER FOOTBALL CAMP**

Inaugural super football camp! Tournament day with top prizes such as player of the tournament, goal of the day and save of the day! For only 2/3 of the normal price, this is one not to miss!

## **FOOTBALL CAMP**

Our longest running camp! 6 weeks of fun footballing activities aimed at improving all aspects of our participants from scoring last minute goals to making fingertips saves. Book quickly to avoid disappointment.

**Mon-Wed  
24th July  
to  
30th August**

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## **MULTISPORTS CAMP**

Tennis, dodgeball, benchball and many more! This camp is designed to those who wish to try new sports and develop different skills!

## **DANCE AND ARTS & CRAFTS**

In partnership with the brilliant guys at Rhythmix Dance, this camp is designed to those who wish to learn how to dance and improve their dancing moves! Not only dancing involved however, arts and crafts activities throughout the day are also included

**Mon-Wed  
WC 31.07  
WC 14.08  
WC 28.08**

£18 per day

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