



Halam Church of England Primary School

Life in all its fullness

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Please may I say a HUGE thank you to everyone for yesterday, to the PTFA for all of their hard work getting everything ready, and to all of the parents and carers for still turning up in the rain! It was actually a lovely afternoon despite the weather.



Terrific Assembly Awards

Well done this week to:

Cherry Class: Lochlan and Lola for lovely Art work and designing a super lighthouse
Sophia for excellent Maths work on money.

Maple Class: Aubrey for wonderful answers to reading comprehension questions.
India for always showing a super attitude in all that she does. Well Done!

Oak Class: Jasmine for always being helpful and willing to support others.
Mia for having a positive attitude in class and great research and work on slavery.

Head Team Award: Billy for settling in well and always having a smile on his face.

Lunchtime "Good Manners" Awards: Charlotte, Sylvie & Paige

Best attendance this week: Cherry 97%

Housepoints: First – **Sapphire** (30)
Second – **Emerald** (23)
Third – **Ruby** (10)



Birthdays: Harrison



Dates for the diary:

Monday, 15 July

2pm Oak Class performing to the rest of the school

Tuesday, 16 July

Oak Class Summer Performances 2pm & 6pm

Wednesday, 17 July

Cricket Engagement Day (see below)

Thursday, 18 July

2pm Sports Day (see below)

Friday, 19 July

Annual Reports sent out

Y6 Time Travelling at Halam Church

Tuesday, 23 July

Leavers' Church Service 9.15am (whole school involved – all parents and carers welcome to attend)

Wednesday, 24 July

Parents Evening to discuss reports

Friday, 26 July

Leavers' Assembly 9.15am

1.30pm picnic celebration for Mrs McCracken

Break up for the Summer Holidays

Monday, 2 September

school closed to pupils for Admin Day

Tuesday, 3 September

school closed to pupils for INSET Day

Wednesday, 4 September

school opens to all pupils for the Autumn Term



PE next week

Tuesday afternoon Cherry & Maple (Cherry & Maple Classes please come in P.E. kit. Oak Class will be performing so will not have a PE lesson on Tuesday)

Tuesday after school no Sports Club for KS2

Wednesday all pupils need to come in P.E. kit for our Cricket Day delivered by Trent Bridge. (Maple Class have now finished swimming lessons)

Thursday Sports Day, please will all children come to school in their P.E. kit

Thursday after school no Sports Club for KS1 due to Sports Day.



PTFA News & Sports Day

There is a raffle prize unclaimed, (x6 Small group PT sessions at Gym@NG25). The ticket number is 278. Please come to the School Office to claim your prize.

On Thursday (18th July) we are going to hold a "Raffle & Races" Sports Day. The PTFA will be holding a raffle, and selling refreshments whilst the races are going on. If you are coming to Sports Day, please remember to bring your own chairs and/or blankets to sit on.



Flood update

This week the flooring in the Cherry classrooms and the Maple toilet area is going down, it really does feel as if work has started properly now!



Oak Class Summer Performances

On Monday afternoon, the whole school will be watching Oak Class do their Summer Performance, "I'm an 11 Year Old – Get Me Out of Here!". On Tuesday there are two performances for parents and carers at 2pm and 6pm. For the evening performance please can the children be brought back to the Village Hall at 5.40pm, and the parents and carers will need to wait outside until the "doors open".

Please be aware that we are not really able to use the toilet facilities in the hall during the concert, so if possible we would ask that everyone goes before they come to the hall on Tuesday!



Y6 Time Travelling in Halam Church

On Friday, 19 July the Y6 children are going "Time Travelling" in Halam Church. They will be leaving school just after 9am and will be back in time for the usual lunchtime arrangements.

Thank you for your continued support,

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