

Hurley Primary Newsletter

May 2025



Well Done - A huge well done to our fabulous Year 6 children who have recently finished their SATs! They were amazing, super focused and tried their very best. We are so proud of each and every one of them.

Family Learning – Our family learning sessions for KS2 (Year 3,4, 5 & 6) children and their parents begin after half term. There are still some places left so please contact the Admin Team on Dojo for a place if you are interested.

Phonics and Times Table Checks – Next half term, Year 1 have the Phonics Check and Year 4 complete the Multiplication Times Table Check. Parents don't need to do anything specific other than to help our children complete any activities set or sent home by their class teachers.

Arrival at School – A reminder that school opens at 8.45am and children should be in school by no later than 8.55am. From after half term, we will be locking the gate on the playground at 8.55am and anyone arriving after this time will need to walk round to reception to register their child as late and confirm dinner choices.

Uniform – There is a slight update coming to our uniform policy for September. We will be supplying Hurley hoodies for PE days only. These will be a part of the uniform requirements for new classes joining the school but if parents wish to purchase one, they can from our new uniform supplier.

Please note that children should only have one pair of small, discrete, stud earrings in school. When they are doing PE, ideally these will be removed or covered. For health and safety reasons, no hooped earrings or rings, necklaces and bangles should be worn. Watches (not smart ones) are allowed but will be removed for PE.

Please inform your child's class teacher if your child isn't wearing the correct uniform for any reason. For children who regularly have the incorrect footwear on, we have bought some spare pumps which we lend out for the day. These will also be used as spare shoes in emergencies. Parents may receive a reminder from your child's class teacher about uniform which doesn't match the policy.

Attendance has continued to improve! We are above the national average for the year so far - well done and thank you! This only has positive outcomes for the children. Attendance below 95% and/or regular lateness have a significant impact on the education of a pupil and their achievements later in life so please ensure you child is attending school regularly. If you have any issues with school attendance, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Clubs – All school clubs will continue next half term. Clubs will finish in the penultimate week of term. Please make sure you have paid for your child's clubs. We will be contacting parents with outstanding debts.

Holiday Club – We are looking to gauge interest in a holiday club. We will only be able to run this if we get enough bookings. Please see the chat message on Dojo explaining how to express your interest!

Summer Fayre – Please join us on Saturday 28th June at 1pm for our Summer Fayre. There will be lots of fun activities, the BBQ and our raffle with loads of great prizes. We'll also have our gymnasts performing, Y2 Maypoling and the final of our Junior Football competition. If you are able to help in anyway, that would be brilliant but simply joining us on the day and supporting the children would be amazing. We hope to see you there!

Sports Day and Sporting Events



Sports Morning will be on Tuesday 1st July at 9.30 am. Parents are welcome to attend and after the morning, parents can join their children and bring a picnic lunch to share. Alternatively, children will be able to order a school cooked picnic buffet to enjoy.

Sporting events go mad this coming half term with cricket, tennis, cross country, cricket, rounders, athletics, cricket and swimming (there's a lot of cricket going on!) Most of these are for junior year groups and we continue to enter as many sports competitions as possible.

Music Lessons - Please let the office staff know if your child would like to learn an instrument from September. If they don't wish to continue their lessons, please also let the admin team know. If this is the case, please arrange to return your instrument (if applicable) via the Warwickshire Music website.

Hurley's Got Talent – We will be holding our annual Hurley's Got Talent next half term. Children need to get practicing their acts ready for the end of June when they will perform them in class. Our winners will go through to the main competition in front of the whole school in April.



Parking – We recently had the markings on Heanley Lane repainted. Please remember that yellow lines should not be stopped on. In an emergency, please pull up at the staff carpark gate and ring the buzzer rather than blocking Heanley Lane. Please continue to park politely and considerately when using the church car park and the roads around Hurley.

School Council Pyjama Day – Our School Councillors helped raise £120 for wet play board games – a huge well done to them and Miss Hewitt for organising the day. Along with a donation from Bentley House Care Home, who we visit, we hope to purchase several games per class for next term.

New Classes and Induction Day – after half term, we'll let you know your child's class teacher and TA for next year. Induction Day is on Wednesday 2nd July, when children will spend the day with their new teachers. Year 6 will be going to Kingsbury on this day – please see any emailed information you should have been sent from Kingsbury School.

Key dates for your diary – More details for most events will follow and key events will be on Dojo

Half term	Saturday 24 th – Sunday 1 st June
Return to school	Monday 2 nd June
Y6 Rounders Comp (selected children)	Wednesday 4 th June
Y2 X Country Comp (selected children)	Thursday 5 th June
Y6 Boreatton Park Residential	Friday 6 th June – Monday 9 th June
Y5/6 Cricket Comp (selected children)	Tuesday 10 th June
Art Explorers (KS2 chn and parents)	Tuesday 10 th June (weekly for 4 weeks)
Y5/6 Tennis Comp (selected children)	Wednesday 11 th June
Y4 Coombe Abbey trip	Thursday 12 th June
Y2 Farm trip	Friday 13 th June
Police Week (Y6)	Monday 16 th June – Friday 20 th June
Y5 girls' cricket (selected children)	Tuesday 17 th June
Y6 Big Bang Fayre	Tuesday 17 th June
Y1 Transport Museum trip	Tuesday 17 th June
Keyboard Concert	Thursday 19 th June

Selected future dates	
Reception Class Assembly	3pm 24 th June
Year 1 Class Assembly	3pm 8 th July
Year 5 Class Assembly	3pm 16 th July
Sports Morning	Tuesday 1 st July

Have a lovely half term everyone and see you all in June,

Matt Hardman - Headteacher