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Next Week's Diary

MONDAY

May Bank Holiday - School closed.

TUESDAY

Year 6 Internal Exams

WEDNESDAY

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THURSDAY

10.30am School Council Meeting7.30pm FYMS Committee Meeting

FRIDAY

4.35pm

House Chess Matches

- Round 2

Clubs Next Week

All after school clubs and coaches will be running next week as usual except:

Friday: Open Chess (due to House Chess Competition)

FYMS May Fair

The FYMS May Fair is now only three weeks away. Please take a look at page 5 where you can see all FYMS' exciting plans and how you can help.

Bank Holiday Monday

Do not forget that next Monday is a Bank Holiday and the school will be closed. Our next school day is Tuesday 3rd May.

Cup Call

All cups and shields should be returned to Mr Head as soon as possible. This includes all the shields and cups awarded at the Speech Day last summer and all those awarded at either Christmas or Easter. Thank you.

Thank you to everyone who has already returned their awards.

Years 7 and 8 Experience Life in the Trenches

Years 7 and 8 spent Thursday and Friday on a two day immersive experience to help them understand what life was like in the trenches of World War 1.

They spent time getting to grips with the uniform and equipment of a First World War soldier from both a British and German perspective taking part in rifle and marching drills. They visited trenches and a medical casualty clearing station

and also discovered how the army were supplied for warfare.

During their visit to the Suffolk Regimental Museum our senior pupils were guided by the Museum's Curator and were able to follow the regiment's experiences during the First World War.

The children had a really enjoyable time and hugely benefitted from the hands on learning experience.



Primary Maths Challenge Success

After competing alongside thousands of children across the globe and successfully answering a variety of multiple-choice problems, **Esther O'Donoghue** and **Anishan Barathan** joined the top highest scores in the Primary Maths Challenge and were invited to take part in the PMC Bonus Round.

The Bonus Round took place back in February and the results have just arrived. We are delighted to announce that both **Esther** and **Anishan** won the highly coveted Primary Mathematics Challenge Gold medal! Very well done to them both and to everyone who took part in the challenge.

Here is an example of a question pupils had to answer during the Bonus Round:

The minute hand on Big Ben is about 4.3 metres long.

Every hour the tip of the minute hand traces out a circular path which is just over 27 metres long.

Approximately how far does it travel in one year? No calculators allowed!

Encouragement is a Superpower

Robert Upton's latest blog can be found on the School website. The following is a taster:

Do you have a superpower? I suggest that we all do, and some of us use it better than others. Allow me to ask another question – is it possible that we have the power to make people more kind (or less kind), more or less trustworthy, more or less likely to achieve academic success? The answer to all of these questions is 'yes' and I will explain how each and every one of us has the power to achieve this in others.



To read the rest of this article click here.

To view other blog posts visit the Headmaster's Blog page of the school

Headmaster's Commendations

British Science Week Competition Entry: Ishaan Ansar, Charlotte Clark, Grace Hustler, Lukas Porter

Excellent Creative Writing: Clara Goodby
French Presentation: Samuel Butler
Fantastic Writing of the Goldilocks Story:

Henry Collier

Pre-Prep Awards

30 Star Certificate: Reuben Elliott 25 Star Certificate: Aaron Ade 20 Star Certificate: Viraj Sahajpal

15 Star Certificate: Freddie Harris-Briggs

Reception Smiles: Rose Bachtold, Grace Barcan, Thomas Green, Katelyn Kirichenko, Jacob Perry, Austin Pickup, Adelia Simoes da Silva,

George Teresko, Hukam Toor,

Leya Yandrapu

Stars of the Week

Rose Bachtold (RAH) Thomas Green (RSB) Ayla Santino (1JAV) Maggie Sanderson (1SLD) Freddie Harris-Briggs (2GHC)

Sylvie Jones (2LAH)

Whole School Photo

The Yateley Manor Whole School Photograph will be taken on the morning of Friday 27th May.

These photographs are only taken every three years and we would like as many children as possible to be in the photo. Please therefore do not book any medical or dental appointments for your child for this morning. Thank you.

Breakfast Club to Return

We are delighted that, after a hiatus of more than two years, we are reintroducing our Breakfast Club from Friday 6th May. The club will run just on Friday mornings but we hope to reintroduce it daily, potentially after half term. Breakfast will be served in the Fyson Blum Hall between 8.00am and 8.20am and is open to Yateley Manor children and their parents.

Children in Year 3 and above may attend alone but those in Year 2 or below should be accompanied by a parent/guardian.

A full English breakfast costs £3.00 and a cereal and toast option will be £1.50. Payment for the time being should be in cash on the day.

House Points and Bonuses

	Prep Bonuses	Prep House Points	Prep Overall	Pre-Prep House Points
Fyson	1st	1st	1st	2nd
Kingsley	4th	4th	4th	1st
School	2nd	3rd	2nd	3rd
Stanley	3rd	2nd	3rd	4th

Prep Bonus Point Winner: Fyson
Prep House Point Winner: Fyson
Prep Overall Winner: Fyson

Pre-Prep House Point Winner: Kingsley

Important Parent Events this Term

A number of meetings for parents and other events are scheduled this term. Here is a list of some for your diary:

Thursday 12th & Friday 13th May Year 6 Curriculum Production

Tuesday 17th May Summer Music Recital

Thursday 19th & Friday 20th May Year 2 Play

Monday 23rd May

Monday 6th June

Tuesday 7th June

Thursday 9th June

Year 5 Residential Trip Briefing

Year 6 Residential Trip Briefing

Year 7 Residential Trip Briefing

Year 8 Residential Trip Briefing

Tuesday 14th June Ensemble Concert

Thursday 16th June Music Recital for Exam Candidates

Friday 17th June Prep Sports Day

Monday 20th June Moving to Year 7 for current Year 6 parents
Tuesday 21st June Moving to Year 5 for current Year 4 parents

Monday 27th June Moving to Year 3 for current Year 4 parents
Wednesday 29th June Nursery Sports Morning & Pre-Prep Sports Day

Tuesday 5th July Year 7 Picnic Performance

Friday 8th July Speech Day

Half Term Holiday Club and Extended Nursery Provision

Bookings for the Summer Half Term Holiday Club will open on **Wednesday 4th May 2022** at 10.00am. Holiday Club will run from Monday 30th May to Wednesday 1st June 2022 and bookings may be made for any combination of days. The Holiday Club for Reception to Year 8 is open to friends and family of Yateley Manor. The Nursery Extended Provision is for current Yateley Manor children only. Activities will include playball and swimming will be available subject to lifeguard availability.

All clubs will start at 8.30am and finish at 5.30pm, pupils should arrive no later than 9.30am. Pick up is from 4pm onwards and Nursery children may be collected at any time. The very latest time for pick up is 5.30pm, after which staffing levels cannot be guaranteed. There will be a limit of 4 places per day for Nursery 2 year olds. No entry will be admitted without a prior booking and bookings must be made by 5.00pm on the Thursday before the following week's Holiday Club.

All children attending will need to bring their own packed lunch, snacks and water bottle each day. All lunches must be nut free and should not contain any food that has been made in a factory where products containing nuts are made.

Visit the booking pages for further information or contact finance@yateleymanor.com

Congratulations to ...

Lily Norbury (5BCS) who has been invited into the Chelsea FC Foundation player development pathway following a successful trial before Easter (despite wearing her Liverpool football kit!). Lily will join the Girls Development Centre for eleven weeks starting this week.

Carys (6NCD) who following on from the winter training, has been selected for the North Hampshire District Summer Cricket Programme. In addition Carys is also one of thirty girls who have been selected for the Hampshire County squad.



Happy Birthday

Aaron Ade 7 Louisa Bexell 11 Azaarah Imamkhan 9 Jan Kleiber 5 Jacques Nica 4 Theo Sutton 6



Individual Music Lesson Notice

Parents are reminded that if their child no longer wishes to take individual music lessons at school (including children who are leaving Yateley Manor at the end of this academic year) they need to give six working weeks' notice to their peripatetic music teacher and copy Jennifer Hustler.

South of England Junior Chess Congress

Entries are now open for the South of England Junior Chess Congress which take will take place at Yateley Manor on Saturday 1st and Sunday 2nd October 2022. This is a prestigious event which attracts some of the strongest young chess players.

Age group sections start at U7 and go up to U13 and beyond.

For more information or to register for the congress <u>visit the Congress website.</u>

We look forward to a large entry from our school players.

FYMS Corner

Hopefully you will have seen the news that we are actively raising money to fund playground equipment and a trim trail for the Prep children. Our current goal is £15,000 with a further stretch goal of another £10,000 to fund a zip line.

The FYMS May Fair is only three weekends away and the FYMS committee are in the full throws of organising lots of fun activities for the whole family. The fair will be taking place on the school fields in front of Manor Place and is the star event of our fundraising year. A huge thank you to **Anish Shinto** Year 5 for his incredible artwork for this year's programme. **Anish** will also have his own stall at the fair selling his artwork to raise money for FYMS so do be sure to stop by.

FYMS have worked really hard to create an event that will bring the whole school community together, showcase the children's talents and keep the whole family entertained for the afternoon. As it is now three years since our last May Fair many Yateley Manor families will not have experiened one before. We hope that as many members of the Yateley Manor Community will come along for what is always a fantastic family and community event.

More details on <u>May Fair events and activities</u> can be found on page 5. Please do check there to see all the exciting things that will be happening. There are also details of how you can help your year group stall.

It's a busy month for FYMS! We also have the **Year 6 and 8 Hooded Tops** now live on our website to buy. Please ensure you spell check all names.

End of Year Parties All tickets for the end of year parties for all year groups are now available to buy online via our website.

Tuesday 21st June: Years 6, 7 and 8 at Meade Hall, 7.00 - 9.30pm
Friday 24th June: Nursery & Pre-Prep at Jump In, 5.00pm
Years 3, 4 and 5 at Jump In, 7.00pm

Be sure to log on and get your children's tickets today.

The Colour Run is happening on Sunday 3rd July, 12-3pm so save the date! More details to follow after the May Fair.

Bags2School Textile Collection will take place in the morning of Friday 13th May. This is an ideal excuse to have a sort out as all sorts of unwanted textiles such as adults' and children's clothing, shoes (tied together please), hats, belts and handbags can be collected. We will be on hand to collect items at collection time on Thursday 12th May and at drop off on Friday 13th May. Please only drop bags off at these times.

Stay up to date with all things FYMS via our Facebook Page!

Menu week commencing 2nd May

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		Burrito Day			
Main Event		Smoked BBQ Pulled Chicken Burrito Chipotle Sauce	Slow Cooked Shoulder of Pork Apple Sauce Gravy	Traditional Beef Lasagne Garlic Bread	Jumbo Fish Finger Lemon Tomato Sauce
Vegetarian Section		Mixed Bean and Vegetable Burrito Chipotle Sauce	Cauliflower Cheese	Spinach Ricotta Cannellini	Quorn Nuggets
Sides		Dirty Fries Tomato Salsa Lime Rice Black Beans	Roasted Potatoes Mixed Vegetables Yorkshire Pudding	Roasted Peppers and Onions Spring Salad	Chips Peas Baked Beans
Extras		Daily Salad Selection Jacket Bar	Daily Salad Selection Jacket Bar	Daily Salad Selection Jacket Bar	Daily Salad Selection Jacket Bar
Dessert		Lemon Drizzle	Steamed Jam Sponge	Chocolate Cake Chocolate Sauce	Vanilla Cup cake



Fixtures for Next Week			
Please note that cricketers on away matches are not necessarily back in time for the evening coach.			
Wednesday	2.00pm Boys Cricket v LVS U11B Home at Yateley Cricket Club, U11C, U10A & U10B Away		
	2.30pm Girls Cricket v Edgeborough U10C Home , U10A Home at Yateley Cricket Club , U11A & U10B Away		
	2.30pm Mixed Cricket v Lord Wandsworth College U13A & U11A Home		
Friday	2.15pm Pre Sports Day Events for Years 3 & 4 (see below)		

School Council, Sports Council, Food Committee & Eco Team Elections Results

	School Council	Sports Council	Food Committee	Есо Теат
Year 2	Aaron Ade	Finlay Shearer	Annabel Barnes	Mridhun Gupta
	Sophie Kleiber	Elijah West	Evie Toren	Sylvie Jones
Year 3	Charlie Cowell	Elio Sandy	Toby La Pensee	Zach Gorvin
	Jessica Green	Rose Symcox	Niamh Lumpkin	Grace Pickard
Year 4	Archie MacIntyre	Sophie Haines	Hannah Auchterlonie	Charlie Fischer
	Isla Thorne	George Thorne	Tom McGinty	Lilia Namihas
Year 5	Finn Aumonier	Rex Holden	Phoebe Batcheler	Grace Gorvin
	Grace Hustler	Lily Norbury	Maulik Khadka	Anish Shinto
Year 6	Bunny Salvage	Ronnie Thompson	Barbara Maseda Villalon	Ryan Cooper
	Charlie Sutton	Matilda Upfold	Jasper Wisbey	Annabel Lambert
Years 7	William Auchterlonie	Isaac Neville	Amadou Jallow	Francesca McLoughlin
&8	Harry Hall	Toby Sherwin	Ollie Lalondrelle	Cara Steel
	Jack Holland	Liam van Heerden	Thomas Smith	
		Thomas Whitmore	Owen Stevens	

House Chess - Round 1

Cricket Results v Eagle House

Fyson 7	School 1	Our Years 5 to 8 children had a fantastic set of cricket matches against Eagle House.			
Kingsley 5½	Stanley 2½	U13A	won by 3 runs	U13B	lost by 83 runs
A hotly-contested	d first round saw	U11A	won by 93 runs	U11B	won by 13 runs
convincing victories for Fyson and		U11C	won by 33runs	U11D	won by 16 runs
Kingsley. We look	forward to round two	U10A	won by 80 runs	U10B	lost by 3 runs
next week		U10C	won by 5 runs	U10D	won by 17 runs

Pre Sports Day Events

The Yateley Manor Prep Sports Day will be held on **Friday 17th June.** Information about Sports Day itself will be published nearer the time.

Children are given the opportunity to compete in six different Sports Day events: a house swimming gala, individual athletics events (either long jump, high jump, hurdles or throwing), a 75m sprint, a house relay shuttle run, a 300m or 600m run and a house tug of war.

As time is tight on the day and, to ensure that all the year groups have a chance to take part in all the different Sports Day activities, there are a few events which have to be held before Sports Day itself. To make these events as authentic as possible, parents are welcome to come and support the children. The events are as follows:

Year 3	Inter House Swimming Gala	Friday 6th May from 2.15pm
	Individual Athletics Competition (One from Long Jump, High Jump, Hurdles & Throwing)	
Year 4	Individual 75m Sprints (children are seeded according to speed times) House Shuttle Runs	Friday 6th May from 2.15pm
Year 5	Individual Athletics Competition (One from Long Jump, High Jump, Hurdles & Throwing)	Monday 23rd May 11.00am - 12.00 noon
Year 6	Sprints and Tug of War	Tuesday 24th May 9.00am - 10.00am

Each year group's house swimming results go towards the House Swimming Cup and likewise house tug of war and house relay shuttles go towards House Cups. Gold, silver and bronze medals are awarded for athletics and sprinting events and scores also go towards the House Athletics Cup.

FYMS May Fair

Some of the highlights of the May Fair are our performances. We are delighted that these are now confirmed as follows:

12.10pm: Nursery and Pre Prep Crown and Tiara Parade 12.30pm: Junior Manor Singers (rehearsals at 12pm)

1.00pm: Soak the Teacher!

1.30pm: Senior Manor Singers & Chamber Choir (rehearsal at 1pm)

2.00pm: Raffle Prize Draw

2.30pm: Pre-Prep Choir (rehearsal at 2pm)

We hope to have as many children as possilbe taking part in these performances.

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Stalls

Each year group will be running their own stall with a prize available for the stall that raises the most profit. This year there is something for everyone! Our Year Group Stalls are...

Nursery: Arts and Crafts

Year 1: Guess the number of balloons in the minibus and Hook a Crown

Year 2: Name the Teddy and Find the Key

Year 3: Farmyard Frolics
Year 4: Beat the Goalie
Year 5: Welly Toss

Year 6: Tin Can Alley and Coconut Shy

Year 7: Coloured hair, nails and glitter tattoos

Year 8: Sweetie Jars

Other Attractions

The fun does not stop there, and we have plenty more to offer the children and parents.

- Farms2Ewe will be bringing a mobile farm of animals for the children to interact with.
- Bouncy Inflatables there will be a large bouncy slide and a bouncy castle
- The **FYMS Preloved Stall** is making its debut appearance and we will be selling lots of generously donated items for a small price. Items include fancy dress costumes, lanterns and candles.
- **Teacher Tombola** is always a highlight of the day where parents and children enjoy trying their luck. We depend on donations from parents for prizes for this stall. Please see below for details of our Mufti Day.
- **Refreshments** We will be serving up some delicious posh dogs, cakes, doughnuts, ice creams and children's lunch boxes on the afternoon. You can wash all of this down with a chilled Peroni, glass of Pimms, a cheeky prosecco, soft drinks or a hot drink, depending on what you fancy.
- **Tokens** will be the only method of payment on the year group stalls to help keep things simple. You can now <u>pre order tokens on our website</u> and get 10 for the price of 9. Each token is worth 50p. Cash, card and ApplePay will also be accepted as payment for the farm, FYMS stalls and refreshments.

Mufti Day in Support of the May Fair

On Friday 13th May children may wear their own clothes to school. In exchange we ask for donation of a prize towards the May Fair. Children in Nursery to Year 2 are asked to donate a garden toy while those in Years 3 to 8 are asked to bring an unopened bottle. These can be alcoholic or non-alcoholic. Member of FYMS will be at the school doors on 13th May to collect these donations.

The May Fair is a huge undertaking, and it is only possible with the help from our school community. Please liaise with your FYMS year group rep with your availability to help on the day, running your stall.

Additionally, if you're also able to donate 30 minutes of your time to help serve refreshments or support one of the FYMS stalls, then please do get in touch via email at fyms@mail.com.

The Yateley Manor May Fair is **open to all** so bring along all the family and friends for a great afternoon out.

