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Next Week's Diary

MONDAY

May Bank Holiday - School closed.

TUESDAY

8.50am Year 8 PSB Collation

THURSDAY

11.30am School Council Meeting

Clubs Next Week

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

Thursday: Pre-Prep STEM Stars

Chess Clubs

From next week chess clubs will be open for Years 3 to 6 rather than for specific year groups. The bubbles will still be kept apart and will play in adjacent classrooms.

Yateley Manor Awards

Many congratulations to the following senior pupils who have achieved their Yateley Manor Awards.

Francesca McLoughlin	Silver
Harry Raven	Silver
Eloise Macoraghty-Mines	Bronze
Honor Middleton	Bronze

Years 5 and 6 Showcase Rehearsal

Years 5 and 6 Showcase rehearsal scheduled for next Thursday, 6th May, will be for the songs and soloists only. Mrs Brundle will meet the children in the Music School at the start of club time.

Natalie is Rotary Runner-Up

Many congratulations to Natalie from Year 8 who was runner up in the intermediate category of the Rotary Young Photographer of the Year competition.

The theme of this year's competition was 'Wild Nature' and children were asked to submit a portfolio of three photographs and to provide a brief sentence describing the relationship of each photograph to the theme. Natalie was congratulated by the judges who were impressed, both by her photos and her accompanying words. Very well done Natalie.



Here are two of Natalie's super photos.



Did I Ever Tell You About the Time...?

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

The classic story of The Wizard of Oz, and in particular the ending where the Good Witch asks Dorothy what she had learned on her journey, has been on my mind this week. Dorothy says, "I suppose I learned that when you wish and wish for your heart's desire but you can't find it, then maybe it's in your own back yard and you never really lost it to begin with." Why, you may ask, have I been considering that story? Well, the month of May is National Share-a-Story Month and I have been reflecting on the importance of stories in our lives, and not just for children.

[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

Independent Writing: **Tess Fellows,**

Maggie Sanderson

Creative Writing Activities: **Eta Chick**

Maths Presentations: **Hazel Tennant,**

William Auchterlonie, Jason Matthews

Pre-Prep Awards

20 Star Certificate: **India Gillett**

15 Star Certificate: **Esmé Dawber,**

India Gillett, Isaac Perry,

Finn van Mourik, Felix Wooledge

Reception Smiles: **Callum Maclean**

Stars of the Week

Louisa Machin (RAH)

Ayla Santino (RSB)

Elijah West (1JAV)

Elizabeth Gasser (1LAH)

Finn van Mourik (2GHC)

Evelyn Smea (2SLD)

India Gillett (2VMN)

LAMDA

As we reach the end of the second week of term, the children now only have three LAMDA sessions before their exams on Monday 24th, Tuesday 25th and Wednesday 26th May.

If your child is taking a LAMDA exam please encourage them to attend all the remaining sessions and to learn and secure their lines. Any help you can give at home with this would be greatly appreciated. Practice makes Perfect!

Woollen Items Wanted

Tracey Hayter would be very grateful for the donation of old jumpers, knitted items, crochet items for the Textiles Department. If you are able to help please let Tracey know using thayter@yateleymanor.com

Thank You To ...

The **Mason Family (Ben and Pip)** for their generous donation of Bee Bombs for the Maintenance team and CDs for the Nursery.

The **Goodby Family (Emily and Clara)** for their generous donation of a Codapillar, a coding toy for Reception.

The **Sigley Family (Maisie)** and the **Carter Family (Rebecca and Charlie)** for their donation of toys for the Nursery.

House Points and Bonuses

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

Bonus Point Winner: Stanley

House Point Winner: Stanley

Overall Winner: Stanley

Important Parent Meetings this Term

A number of meetings for parents are scheduled for the two weeks before half term and the first few weeks after half term.

As we are unable to invite parents in to school at the moment it is most likely that these will all be virtual meetings and will all start at 5.00pm.

Tuesday 18th May

Thursday 20th May

Monday 24th May

Monday 7th June June

Monday 14th June

Tuesday 15th June

Thursday 17th June

Year 7 Residential Trip Briefing

Year 6 Residential Trip Briefing

Year 5 Residential Trip Briefing

Year 8 Residential Trip Briefing

Moving to Year 3 for current Year 2 parents

Moving to Year 5 for current Year 4 parents

Moving to Year 7 for current Year 6 parents

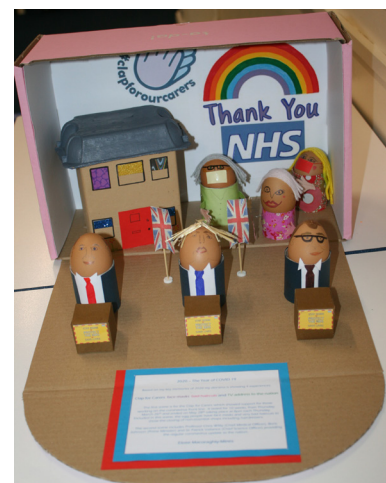
Recipes

As so many children and parents have been asking for the recipes that Mrs Hayter has been following with the children, she has compiled a list of them [which can be found here](#). Why not take a look and try some of them with your children.

Historical EGGcellence at Yateley Manor

Well done to all the children who entered Mr Davis' Historical EGGcellence Competition during the Easter holidays.

There were some really egg-cellent entries which made the judging very difficult. Many congratulations to **Luca Norris, Eloise Macoraghty-Mines, George Jacobs** and **Anna Jacobs** who were all awarded prizes. These are by **Eloise and George**.



Eco Team

One of our Captains of School, **Sarah-Jane Butler** is launching a new committee this term; an Eco Team. **Sarah-Jane's** plan for the committee is to "discuss eco-friendly and environmental issues within the school to try to make a difference to global issues at our level."

Just like other committees in school, regular meetings will be held during which they will be talking about how our school can improve its environmental impact.

Rather than electing representatives, along with Mr Head and Miss Callan, **Sarah-Jane** decided to ask for volunteers with a keen interest in helping to make a difference. She launched the committee by speaking in assembly about the committee and has received plenty of volunteers. The first committee has now been formed and will have their first meeting soon.

Happy Birthday

Aaron Ade 6

Sam Codd 10

Lavinia Cross 11

Azaarah Imamkhan 8

Sephy Milligan Croisdale-Appleby 5

Theo Sutton 5



Summer Music Recital

Our first music recital of term will take place on Thursday 13th May. As we are not able to invite parents into school for this event, it will be held during school time and will be recorded. The recording will then be shared with parents. Peripatetic music teachers will be inviting some children to take part.

We are looking forward to further performance opportunities for our individual musicians over the coming months.

Talent Show

Children from Year 3 upwards who would like to take part in the end of term Yateley Manor Talent Contest should collect an entry form from Mrs Daines. Children may enter as a solo act and/or in a group.

All entries must be handed to their Head of Year by Friday 28th May, just before half term. The Yateley Manor Talent Contest is one of the highlights of the year and is held on the penultimate day of term, Thursday 1st July.

FYMS Corner

Year group reps wanted!: FYMS are looking for Year Group Representatives to help them communicate information about events and activities to parents. It is relatively low maintenance, you would simply need to pass along information to parents in your child's year groups through any of the existing communication platforms in place for parents such as What's App etc.. If you can help and would like to represent FYMS to your parent group(s) please email natalieharrisbriggs@gmail.com

Printer cartridge and toner recycling initiatives: We are pleased to announce our new recycling initiative with Empties Please, recycling old printer cartridges and toners. All you need to do is collect a recycling envelope from Jo and PJ in School Reception, pop your old cartridges and toners in the envelope and drop them back in the recycling bin in the main school reception when full. They will be recycled and FYMS will get funds back for our efforts. Please check the up-to-date list of applicable toners and cartridges at www.emptiesplease.com

Helpers required for forthcoming events: We have lots of exciting ideas for family and parent events in the Autumn term but we need your help. If you would like to be part of any of the organising teams for the following events or can spare some time to help any of the events run on the day, please use [this survey poll link](#) let us know.

Sun Safety

Since our return to school we have seen one or two glimpses of the sunshine we hope will come this summer. During sunny weather we strongly recommend that all pupils take measures to protect themselves against exposure to the strong rays of the sun.

Hats should be worn for sport or play and a good spread of colourless sun cream should be applied **before** the children come to school. Children should bring their own sunscreen (hypoallergenic and at least factor 30) to school in a named bottle which, for Pre-Prep and Prep children, should be kept in their PE bags.

Parents of Nursery children should hand them to a member of the Nursery staff.

While members of staff will remind children to reapply sunscreen during the day, they cannot be asked to apply sunscreen to Pre-Prep or Prep pupils.

The school shop stocks a variety of hats.

Please note that pupils will not be allowed in to school wearing the brightly coloured zinc sun cream favoured by cricketers!

Menu week commencing 3rd May

PALMER & HOWELLS

Yateley Manor

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Mac & Cheese	Pizzas	Chicken Curry	Battered Cod Fingers
Bank Holiday	Red Pepper Gnocchi	Cheese or Pepperoni	Vegetable Curry	Quorn Dippers
	Jacket Potato Choice of Toppings	Jacket Potato Choice of Toppings	Jacket Potato Choice of Toppings	Jacket Potato Choice of Toppings
	Garlic Bread Confit Garlic Crispy Bacon Bits Salad Bar	Potato Wedges Dipping Sauce Coleslaw Salad Bar	Brown Rice Naan Bread Seasonal Veg Salad Bar	Chips Beans Dipping Sauces Salad Bar
	Dessert of the Day	Dessert of the Day	Dessert of the Day	Dessert of the Day

Freshly Baked Bread, Seasonal Salads, Fresh Fruit are available daily

PALMER & HOWELLS



Fixtures for Next Week

Tuesday	2.00pm Boys Cricket v Kings College, Wimbledon U11A & U11B Home
Wednesday	2.30pm Boys Cricket v St Edward's Prep, Reading U10A & U10B Away at Sulhamstead Cricket Club 2.30pm Boys Cricket v St John's Beaumont 1st XI & 2nd XI Home 2.30pm Girls Cricket v Eagle House U11A & U10A Home at Yateley Cricket Club, U13A Away
Friday	2.15pm Mixed Cricket v Daneshill Year 3 at Home , Year 4 Away
The most up-to-date information about teams and fixtures can be found on SOCS the link to which is at the top of the school website. information about timings and venues can be found here. Parents have been sent an email with the password for team sheets. News of cancellations will be posted in the news section of our SOCs page,	

School Council, Sports Council & Food Committee Elections Results

	<i>School Council</i>	<i>Sports Council</i>	<i>Food Committee</i>	<i>Eco Team</i>
Year 2	Zariah Mockett Henry Thornton	Freddie Andrews Maisie Sigley	Varun Ganesh India Gillett	Albert Bilcliff Rose Symcox
Year 3	Ethan Roberts Hannah Stuart-King	Hannah Auchterlonie Charlie Fischer	Arthur Jones Ruby Thompson	Riley Knuszka Bertie Taylor
Year 4	Charlton Avory Sydney Miles-Darby	Tishya Bhattacharjee Harry Hennessy	Lily-Blake van Heerden Hayden Tan	Evie Cranwell James McGinty
Year 5	Louis Raven Sasha King	Daniel Purslow Abi Summers	Miguel Simoes da Silva Annabelle Starr	Henry Baker Barbara Maseda Villalon
Year 6	Dexter Edwards Evelyn Rolt	Ava Kennedy-Smith Toby Sherwin	Rebecca Carpenter Ollie Lalondrelle	Isaac Jenkins Anyia Sachdev
Year 7	Hazel Tennant	Erin Harris Francesca McLoughlin	Sam Graham Honor Middleton Luca Norris	Tristan Pinsonneault Cara Steel
Year 8	Luca Cella Walker Matthew Daines Eva McLoughlin	Toby Brown Alex Purslow Violet Reynolds	Sarah-Jane Butler Ben Mullaney	Christian Dawber Ella Tyrrell

Pre Sports Day Events

The Yateley Manor Prep Sports Day will be held on **Friday 28th May**. Information about Sports Day itself will be sent to parents 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. Unfortunately, this year, we are not able to invite parents in to school to watch these Pre-Sports Day events which will be held during sports lessons.

Year 3	Inter House Swimming Gala Individual Athletics Competition (One from Long Jump, High Jump, Hurdles & Throwing)	Friday 14th May
Year 4	Individual 75m Sprints and House Shuttle Runs (children are seeded according to speed times)	Friday 14th May
Year 5	Individual Athletics Competition (One from Long Jump, High Jump, Hurdles & Throwing)	Monday 17th May
Year 6	Sprints and Tug of War	Tuesday 18th May

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.

Last Friday's Junior Fixtures

Three excited U9 teams travelled to Papplewick for their first cricket fixture. The children played very well and showed great sportsmanship. The As had a very close game losing by 4 runs while the Bs lost by 22. The superstars of the afternoon were the C team who won by 28 runs.

Our other U9 teams visited Eagle House. The children had a really enjoyable afternoon despite not achieving a win. Notable performances came from **Evan Bristow** and **Sydney Miles-Darby** who were superb for their respective teams.

The Year 3 children were very excited to be hosting Papplewick in their first match for Yateley Manor. The children played some great cricket with notable performances from **Arthavit Anoop** in the A team who scored 27 runs in two overs. **Charlie Fischer** and **Jacob Brown** in the B team and **Hannah Stuart-King** in the C team also gave fantastic all round performances. The A team drew and the B and C teams achieved wins.