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Diary for the First Week of Summer Term

FRIDAY 16TH APRIL

Staff Training Day

MONDAY 19TH APRIL

Term Starts
FYMS Bags to School

WEDNESDAY 21ST APRIL

8.00am GCSE PE Trial Exam

Nelson Mandela Talk

We were incredibly fortunate to have a virtual talk for children in Year 5 and upward, parents and staff by Christo Brand.

Christo is a South African former prison guard who was one of several that were responsible for guarding Nelson Mandela when he was held, initially on Robben Island, and later in Pollsmoor Prison. Christo and Mandela developed a close friendship over the course of many years which continued until Nelson Mandela's death in 2013.



In the stories that Christo told we were given an insight into both the life of Nelson Mandela during his 27 years in prison and into his incredible positive thinking, his extraordinary level of forgiveness and his leadership skills. It was a completely enthralling talk at the end of which the children were able to ask questions. Thank you to Christo for sharing his story. If you would like to [watch the talk click here](#).

Easter Holidays

The staff and children have really enjoyed being back together as a community for the last three weeks. The way that the children have adapted to a slightly different school life so quickly is both amazing and impressive and we finish the end of the spring term hopeful that next term may be a little more normal.

We wish all our Yateley Manor families a very Happy Easter holiday and hope that they return on 19th April feeling refreshed and ready for what will be a very busy and exciting term.

Yateley Manor Awards

Congratulations to the following senior pupils who have achieved their Yateley Manor Gold Awards:

Hope Horne
Sam Reader

Easter Celebrations

Children all around the school have been taking part in Easter activities and we have captured just a few in this week's INAMOS. Highlights have included the Great Neon Sheep Hunt and the visit to Pre-Prep and Nursery of the Easter Bunny.

The Cookery Room has also been very busy with the children preparing a range of delicious treats and there have been plenty of arts and crafts taking place.

We hope everyone really enjoyed the final week of term.



Update from the Captains of School

This week's blog posts is an update from our Captains for School, Sarah-Jane Butler and Poppy Everest. The following is a taster:

It is great to be back at school and to see the school thriving again, before the Easter holidays! Even though lockdown has made it tough, we have managed to carry out some duties as Captains of School and we thought we would share some highlights with you.

In February we made an assembly to Year 7 and 8 on fun activities to play in lockdown. Teams has been an invaluable platform to be able to connect with each other, our teachers and the rest of the school community to continue to fulfil our roles.

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Headmaster's Commendations

Excellent Story Writing: **Anushka Lal, Ben Mason, Phoebe Pickup**

RS - Excellent Easter Story Recount:

Nicholas Perham

RS - Perceptive Easter Story Writing:

Hannah Auchterlonie

Pre-Prep Awards

20 Stars: **Daniel Brunner, Sylvie Jones, Elizabeth Gasser, Evie Lee, Teddy Wells**

15 Stars: **Annabel Barnes, Jake Brown, Daniel Brunner, Ben Cantelo, Darcy Cornish, Elizabeth Gasser, Mridhun Gupta, Sylvie Jones, Evie Lee, Lachlan MacIntyre, Zariah Mockett, Zach Gorvin, Saina Patre, Teddy Wells**

10 Stars: **Annabel Barnes, Ollie Chestnutt, Ted Cranwell, Freddie Harris-Briggs, Mila Dobson, Brodie Innes, Abigail Kidman, Evie Lee, Teddy Wells, Emily Wilson**

Reception Smiles: **Darcey Bilcliff, Rupert Greensides, Heidi Lippiatt, Pip Mason, Fleur Middleditch, Amelia Patel, Maggie Sanderson, Ayla Santino**

Happy Birthday to ...

All the children whose birthdays fall during the Easter holidays or in the first week of next term:

Isabel Arnold 12, Joy Barcan 3, Jake Boston 10, Sidney Craig-Styles 4, Charlotte Elener 9, Zach Gorvin 7, Rupert Greensides 5, Ted Grice 10, Zoé Guest 3, Rayan Gupta 7, Edward Harding 10, Jack Holland 11, Victoria Hoskins 10, Sophia Lester 9, Carys Marriage 10, Fleur Middleditch 5, Nancy Middleton 8, Kanishk Nair 8, Saanvi Nair 9, Lucas Neville 10, Amelia Patel 5, Alex Purslow 13, Harry Sables 10, Ben Sherwin 10, George Smee 9, Charlie Starr 8, Matti Stiles 7, Ronnie Thompson 10, Lily-Blake van Heerden 9



Lost Property

Barbara Maseda Villalon and Thomas Bristow have both lost their red coats. If you have seen them please email office@yateleymanor.com. Thank you.

Summer Uniform

A few reminders about summer uniform for next term:

- Summer uniform for girls is the regulation summer dress with white socks.
- Boys may wear grey shorts and grey short socks. If they would like to be in short sleeves then they will need to wear proper short sleeved shirts. Long sleeves rolled up are not acceptable, so children wearing long sleeves will have to keep them rolled down. Boys are also expected to wear their ties in school unless given specific permission by the class teacher to take them off; they are allowed to take them off when outside at break times.
- Blazers should be worn as usual unless children have permission to take them off.
- Pupils should not wear sports socks when in uniform.
- Summer uniform is not compulsory until the second half of the Summer Term but may be worn earlier.

Hair Accessories and Earrings

Parents are reminded that long hair should be away from the face and must be tied back with red, grey, black or white hair accessories.

Parents are also reminded that the wearing of jewellery is not allowed other than a single gold ear stud in each ear for girls in Years 7 and 8.

Primary Latin Project's 2021 Mythology Competition

Do you like mythology? Do you like art and craft, animation or creative writing? Well, why not combine both and take part in a competition to maybe win a book voucher? Winning entries are also published on the PLP website.

The Primary Latin Project's annual Mythology competition is on and Mrs Butler is keen for you to get involved if you have any spare time over the Easter holiday.

Myths for 2021 will be: **Pandora's Box** (for Years 3 to 6) and **Odysseus and the Sirens** (Years 7 & 8). These myths are available to listen to on [the Primary Latin Project's website](#).

The deadline for submitting entries to Mrs Butler is Friday 30th April 2021.

Work can be submitted in the following categories:

- Art e.g. painting, drawing, collage, poster, craftwork etc. Please submit as a photograph.
- Creative Writing e.g. poem, play-script, first person account, diary or journal etc. This must be submitted as a word-processed document.
- Animation – a version of the story, written and animated by an individual, and submitted as a private video link.

All work must be that of individual pupils and should be photographed, filmed and/or emailed directly to m.butler@yateleymanor.com by Friday 30th April.

Only first names should appear on the front of pupils' work. This is so the winning entries can be published on the website later. If you do not want your child's work to be published, please note this clearly on the entry form. Good luck everyone and have fun.

House Points and Bonuses

	This Week			Overall for The Term
	Bonuses	House Points	Overall	
Fyson	3rd	2nd	2nd	1st
Kingsley	1st =	3rd	1st	4th
School	4th	1st	3rd =	3rd
Stanley	1st =	4th	3rd =	2nd

Bonus Point Winner:

Kingsley and Stanley

House Point Winner:

School

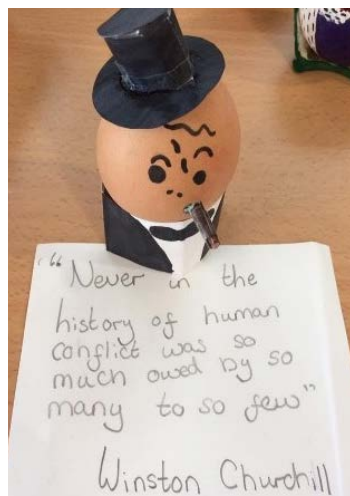
Overall Winner:

Kingsley

Historical EGGcellence at Yateley Manor

This Easter, the History Department at Yateley Manor is inviting children from Year 5 to Year 8 to enter our EGGcellent Easter EGGtravaganza over the Easter holiday.

The Department is asking children to design



a diorama based on the theme of COVID 19 that reflects our experiences of the last year.



SuccEGGs Criteria

- Use HOLLOWED out EGGS please!
 - Can be a single character or a scene.
 - A short EGGplanation of your choice.
- Have an EGGciting and happy Easter!

Terms and Conditions

- EGGtrys must be brought to Mr Davis by no later than Monday 26th April.
- EGGtrys can be done in pairs, but any prizes will have to be shared.
- Prizes will come in varying chocolate forms and winners will be announced on Friday 30th April.



School Council, Sports Council and Food Committee Elections

Elections for these Prep School Committees will take place on the second Thursday of next term.

Pupils from Years 3 to 6 who would like to stand for election to one of the Committees and have not represented their year group on any of the committees before should let their Head of Year know by the end of school on the first Tuesday of term.

Horse Riding

The first horse riding session will take place on Wednesday 21st April. Please do not forget to bring your kit on the third day back.

Chess Masterclass

Chess masterclass will begin on the first Tuesday of next term, 20th April, for Group B. The rota for next term will be sent home as soon as possible. If you have not replied please do so to Mr Head as soon as possible.

Important Notice

Our assumption is that children stay at Yateley Manor until the end of Year 8. The usual term's notice (on or before Monday 19th April) is required if this is not the case.

Thank You to

The **Perry Family (Isaac and Jacob)** for their donation of books for the Nursery.

Easter Holiday Clubs and Extended Nursery Provision.

The Holiday Club and Extended Nursery Provision will be open during the Easter holiday period as follows:

29th March - 1st April (4 days)	Holiday Club and Extended Nursery Provision
6th - 9th April (4 days)	Holiday Club and Extended Nursery Provision
12th - 15th April (4 days)	Holiday Club only

The Extended Nursery Provision is for Nursery aged children and the Holiday Club is open to children from Reception upwards.

Please note that in the current situation holiday care is only open to Yateley Manor children and bookings can only be made for the full four day week. We are still adhering to government coronavirus guidance and places are limited within the year group bubbles. Please visit the school [website for more details and to book](#).

School Fee Account

The Pupil Fee Invoices were sent by email on Thursday of this week. If for any reason you have not received your account, please email Fiona Campbell, Finance Assistant, at finance@yateleymanor.com

Menu week for first week of term

PALMER & HOWELLS				
Yateley Manor				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Beef and Thyme Meatballs	Slow Roast Lamb Bourguignon	Confit Chinese Chicken	Pork Sage & Apple Sausage Roll	Cod Goujon
Three Bean Cassoulet (stew)	Charred Vegetable Roly Poly	Miso Roast Aubergine	Gnocchi	Vegetable Goujon
Jacket Potato Choice of Toppings	Jacket Potato Choice of Toppings	Jacket Potato Choice of Toppings	Jacket Potato Choice of Toppings	Jacket Potato Choice of Toppings
Penne Pasta Garlic Bread Sliced Carrot	Herb Roasted Parsnip & Carrot Cheddar Dumplings	Stir Fried Vegetables Egg Noodles Prawn Crackers	Crushed New Potato Savoy Cabbage Fine Beans	Chips Garden Peas Tartare Sauce
Salad Bar	Salad Bar	Salad Bar	Salad Bar	Salad Bar
Dessert of the Day	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				

Fixture list for the first week of the Summer Term

Wednesday	8.00am GCSE PE Trial Exam 2.30pm Boys Cricket v Lord Wandsworth 1st XI & 2nd XI Away (coach leaves 1.40pm & returns 6.00pm)
Friday	2.15pm Boys Cricket v Papplewick U9C, U8A & U8B Home , U9A & U9B Away (Incrediball Pairs) (coach leaves 1.30pm & returns 5.00pm)

Individual Cross Country Results

	GIRLS			BOYS		
	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Gold	Silver	Bronze
Year 3	Leela Sachdev	Emily Chestnutt	Lucy Etherington	Jacob Brown	Thomas Gasser	Bertie Taylor
Year 4	Lily Norbury	Clara Goodby	Zara Porter	Kayan Sachdev	Danny Alexander	Ryan Anderson
Year 5	Matilda Upfold	Abi Summers	Isla Gillett	Harry Sables	Daniel Purslow	Sam Poole
Year 6	Evelyn Rolt	Poppy Singh	Lavinia Cross	Magnus Tyrrell	Tom Flitcroft	Toby Sherwin
Years 7 & 8	Hazel Tennant	Ella Tyrrell	Poppy Everest	Rhys Davies	Oliver Rowan	Matthew Daines

House Cross Country Results

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
Overall	Stanley	Fyson	Kingsley	School
Year 3	Fyson	School	Stanley	Kingsley
Year 4	Fyson	Stanley	Kingsley	School
Year 5	Stanley	Kingsley	School	Fyson
Year 6	Stanley	School	Kingsley	Fyson
Years 7 & 8	Kingsley	Fyson	School	Stanley

Cricket Equipment

Please note that boys and girls do not need to have their own cricket equipment for next term's cricket season. The school will provide all that is necessary. Many children, however, do like their own equipment and this is up to parents.

The school white polo shirt is required for lessons and can be used for cricket, athletics and tennis. Trainers can be used for cricket matches, but must be mainly white. Proper cricket shoes are ideal but not compulsory. Cricket spikes are not allowed on our astro wicket.

Boys and girls in Year 5 upwards who are playing hard ball cricket must wear the school cricket shirt for matches which is available from the school shop. White cricket trousers are also needed for A and B matches.

Kit for Incrediball cricket for boys and girls will consist of white polo shirt, blue shorts or skorts and white socks.

U8 and U9s (Years 3 and 4) can also wear their white polo shirts and blue shorts for matches.

No club kit is allowed in school matches. School cricket hats are also available from the School Shop.

House Cross Country

Our annual cross country event took place last Friday for Years 3 and 4 and on Wednesday for Years 5 to 8. All the children took part regardless of their ability and everyone did their very best. It was lovely to see the support and encouragement that the children offered to each other regardless of their year group or house. It is at events like this that

the wonderful community spirit and family feel of Yateley Manor shine brightly.

Well done to all the children who ran and thank you to Pre-Prep who came out to support and cheer the runners on. There

is a short video and more photos of the events [on our Facebook page.](#)



How else could Year 7 celebrate Easter this year than with a Geography lesson about Easter Island? They learnt that it is one of the most remote inhabited islands in the world, located in the eastern Pacific over 3500km from the nearest continent.(South America) Easter Island is famous for its stone monolithic statues (Moai) which were carved by the islanders of their ancestors between 1250 and 1500 CE.



Comic Relief

Year 4 British Science Association Poster Competition

The winners were:

1st	Lily-Blake van Heerden
2nd	Emmy Chapman
3rd	Jasper Dobson

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Hide and Sheep

At this time of year it is quite usual to have Easter Egg hunts. At Yateley Manor this week children were hunting for neon sheep! Seventeen ceramic neon sheep with fabulous names such as BARRbara, Ewan, Quality Sheep and Prince Wooliam were hidden around the school and grounds for the children to find with the year groups taking it in turn to search. Everyone had a really great time and the

winning pairs from each year group were awarded a small prize.



Prince Wooliam



Quality Sheep



Bella



Year 7's Maths in Action

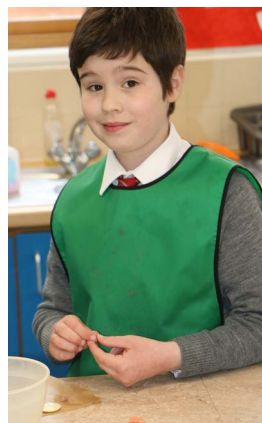
Year 7 have been looking at area and one group were set the task of working out how much paint would be needed to paint our outdoor stage. The stage is octagonal in shape and has sides and steps.

Quite a task you would think but Year 7 were up for the job and came up with very good calculations.



Easter Baskets

Years 3 and 5 made delicious Easter baskets with Mrs Hayter in their cookery lessons. They used balloons covered with cling film to help mould their chocolate baskets and filled them with chocolate corn flakes and white chocolate chicks.



Easter Morning Snacks

The children had a lovely surprise for their final morning snack of term. Chef Logan and Chef Ashley had made individual Easter Cup Cakes for each of the children. Thank you to them both.



Air Ambulance Lands

Staff who were still at school at 6.00pm on Thursday evening were surprised by the arrival of an air ambulance which landed on the school field so that they could attend an incident nearby. We are glad our fields were of use to this fantastic service.



Year 4's Bake Off Challenge

4ALT were given a Bake Off Challenge this week. They were given a recipe and asked to produce six identical iced Easter cakes. They found following the recipe without any help not too difficult but discovered that it was quite hard to make all their cakes exactly the same size and with identical decoration. They all did really well.



Easter Egg Hunt

The children in Nursery and Pre-Prep were very lucky to receive a visit from the Easter Bunny and his assistant on Friday. When they saw him coming across the field the Reception children poured out of their classroom in excitement. The Easter Bunny visited each of the year groups in turn and hid egg shapes for the children to find. These he swapped for real Easter eggs and the children then posed for a photo with him. The Bunny even found time to dance with some members of staff. Many thanks to FYMS for supporting this event and a big thank you to the Easter Bunny and his assistant for visiting us.



Year 3 Easter Art and Craft

