Dear Parents/Carers

Book Fair
Thank you to the parents/carers and children for supporting the Book Fair over the past week, we sold books to the value of £783.27. Thank you also to Mrs Bancroft Prescott and her team for organising and running the Book Fair, they did a fantastic job!

Travelling Books provided the school with £25 of book vouchers to run a promotional raffle. The winning ticket is number 8. Please claim your prize at the school office.

Ramadan
With Ramadan now starting we will only allow pupils from Year 5 and Year 6 to fast if we have written permission from their parents. Just a reminder that pupils will still be expected to take part in the full curriculum that we offer, including PE, trips and other outside learning. It is worth parents discussing with their child that they can break their fast should they feel that they can’t manage the school day and the full curriculum because they are fasting.

Year 6 SATS
SATS for the children in Year 6 start on Monday 14th May 2018. During this time pupils will be demonstrating everything that they have learnt over their primary career. We wish them well at this very important time, they have been working very hard in preparation and we know they will do their best. We would like to stress that all pupils must be in school every day. Please ensure that they get plenty of rest and a good balanced diet during the week to help best prepare them.

Royal Wedding Picnic – Fun Lunch
We have attached the fun lunch menu for Thursday 17th May 2018. There will be not be a hot school dinner, instead we are having a “Royal Wedding Picnic”. Please see the attached flyer for details. The price of school dinners is £2.15 per day if you do not qualify for free school meals or universal free school meals. Hopefully, if the weather is good, pupils will be able to enjoy their picnic outside.

Uniform
We would like to remind everyone that even though the weather is warmer pupils are expected to wear school uniform. Boys are allowed to wear grey school shorts and girls are allowed to wear burgundy/red gingham checked dresses. Pupils must wear school shoes, trainers are not allowed.
**Winners of The Golden Ticket for Friday 11\textsuperscript{th} May 2018**

Congratulations to the winners of the Golden Tickets!

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**Parent Information Sessions – Summer Term**

Pop in and join us for a coffee and discussion about the topic of focus for the week. No need to book.

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When: Tuesday 9:00am

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### Dates for your Diary

**MAY 2018**
- Monday 14th May to Thursday 17th May – Year 6 SATS
- Tuesday 15th May – Year 1 Mini Olympics at Queens School
- Thursday 17th May – Year 1 Sycamore and Aspen to Watford Museum
- Thursday 17th May – Aspen swimming
- Friday 18th May – Year 1 Oak to Watford Museum
- Monday 21st May to Friday 25th May – Year 2 SATS
- Monday 21st May to Friday 25th May – EYFS Assessment
- Tuesday 22nd May – Year 6 Mixed Kwik Cricket at Watford Boys’ School
- Thursday 25th May – Aspen swimming
- Monday 28th May to Friday 1st June – Half Term

**JUNE 2018**
- Monday 4th June to Friday 8th June Festival of Learning Week (not Year 6)
- Monday 4th June – Year 6 Isle of Wight
- Monday 4th June – Year 6 – Wenzel’s Bakery
- Tuesday 5th June – Year 6 Isle of Wight
- Tuesday 5th June – Year 6 Picnic and fun at the park
- Tuesday 5th June – Year 4 Tri Golf at Queens’ School
- Wednesday 6th June – Year 6 Isle of Wight
- Wednesday 6th June – Year 6 Project day in school
- Thursday 7th June – Year 3 Pine swimming
- Thursday 7th June – Year 6 Isle of Wight
- Thursday 7th June – Year 6 Wenzel’s Bakery
- Friday 8th June – Year 6 Isle of Wight
- Friday 8th June – Year 6 Whipsnade Zoo
- Monday 11th June to Friday 15th June – Year 1 and Year 2 Phonics Screening
- Tuesday 12th June – Year 2 Dance Festival at Queens’ School
- Tuesday 12th June – Year 3 Challenge Cup at Highwood School
- Thursday 14th June – Year 3 Pine swimming
- Monday 18th June to Friday 22nd June – Whole school assessment week
- Monday 18th June – Year 1 and Year 2 Phonics Screening catch up
- Tuesday 19th June – Year 6 Girls Kwik Cricket at Watford Boys School
- Tuesday 19th June – Year 5 RE Challenge Cup at Chater Junior School
- Wednesday 20th June – Year 5 to KidZania
- Wednesday 20th June – Parents meeting for children starting Nursery
- September 2018 - 9:30 am
- Thursday 21st June – Parents meeting for children starting Reception

### Attendance

Whole school Attendance up to Friday last week for this academic year is 93.8%

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Thursday 21st June – Year 3 Pine swimming
Monday 25th June – Assembly NED – Never give up, Encourage others, Do your best – 2:15pm
Tuesday 26th June – Year 3 Watford Museum
Tuesday 27th June – Year 2 Challenge Cup at Grove Academy – Geography
Thursday 28th June – Provisional Sports Day
Thursday 28th June – Year 3 Pine swimming
Friday 29th June – Provisional EYFS Sports Day

JULY 2018

Tuesday 3rd July – Singing Celebration at 9:00am
Tuesday 3rd July – Singing Celebration at 1:30pm
Tuesday 3rd July – Year 5 Athletics at Watford Boys School
Wednesday 4th July – Year 4 Rowan Roald Dahl Museum
Wednesday 4th July – Year 6 Challenge Cup at Central School
Thursday 5th July – Teddy Toddle – Watford Mencap – Nursery & Reception
Thursday 5th July – Year 4 Cedar and Mulberry Roald Dahl Museum
Thursday 5th July – Year 3 Pine swimming
Thursday 5th July – Reserve Sports Day
Friday 6th July – Reserve EYFS Sports Day
Wednesday 11th July – Summer Concert 3:30pm
Thursday 12th July – Year 3 Pine swimming
Thursday 12th July – Moving Up Day – Year 6 out at their new schools
Friday 13th July – Year 6 End of Year Prom
Monday 16th July to Friday 20th July – No afterschool clubs
Tuesday 17th July – Year 6 Performance – Dress rehearsal to KS1
Tuesday 17th July – Parents Evening 3:30pm to 6:00pm
Wednesday 18th July – Year 6 Performance – Dress rehearsal to KS2
Thursday 19th July – International/Community Day
Thursday 19th July – Year 3 Pine swimming
Thursday 19th July – Year 6 Performance to Parents at 6:30pm
Monday 23rd July – Nursery Assembly to parents (provisional)
Monday 23rd July – Year 6 Performance to Parents at 2:00pm
Monday 23rd July – Year 6 Leavers Afternoon – 3:30pm to 4:30pm
Monday 23rd July – Award Assembly at 9:10am – Attendance, Spirit to Succeed medals, Sport, Spanish, Art

Tuesday 24th July – Year 6 Leavers Assembly at 9:10am
Tuesday 24th July – Nursery finishes at midday – no afternoon session

Tuesday 24th July – last day of term (school finishes at 1:30pm)
CHILDREN’S FUN LUNCH

Royal Wedding Theme
Thursday 17th May 2018

ROYAL WEDDING PICNIC

Vegetarian Pizza Fingers
Chicken Sausage Rolls
Wraps - Chicken & Salad, Cheese & Salad
Crudities
Crown Shaped Cookies
Apple or Orange Juice
You are invited to our...

Premier Camps!
Multi-activity holiday camps for 5-12 year olds.

Premier Camps are the ultimate healthy childcare choice and offer a variety of sports and activities for children aged 5 - 12 to enjoy during the school holidays!
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15% OFF
Book online two weeks prior to the closure of the camp date and save!

What's on near you?

HERTFORDSHIRE

RICKMANSWORTH
Rickmansworth School
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• Tues 29th May - Fri 1st June
• Mon 30th July - Thur 2nd August
• Mon 6th - Thur 9th August
• Mon 13th - Thur 16th August

BUSHEY
Hartsbourne Primary School*
Multi-Activity Camp
• Mon 30th July - Fri 3rd August
• Mon 6th - Fri 10th August

Booking Options:
Extended Day* - 8am - 4:30pm for just £25.95 per day!
Full Day - 9:30am - 3:30pm for just £19.95 per day!

*Rextended Days not available at Hartsbourne

From just £19.95 per day!


• A packed lunch
• A change of footwear
• Suitable clothing for the weather

• Lots of non-fizzy drink
• Shin pads, for contact sports
• … and loads of energy!

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Book your place

f @PSWatford
Dear Parents/Carers,

**‘SHE’**

**FILMING AT HOLYWELL PRIMARY SCHOOL**

**22nd & 23rd May**

Me + You productions are coming to Holywell School to film an exciting new drama for Channel 4. We would like to invite students and their parents to take part in this project as ‘extras’ between **1530-1930** at the school on the Tuesday 22nd and Wednesday 23rd May.

We are unable to offer individual payment to participants, but we will make a significant donation to the School for all who attend.

**The action**

Parents and children will be asked to do pretty much what they normally do at drop-off and pick-up time, deliver the kids close to the entrance doors in the playground, wave goodbye, chat to one another, for the children to play with one another, etc.

If you would like to take part or have any questions, please email filming@meandyouproductions.co.uk giving us the names of each child and adult who will be attending and your mobile number so we can contact you. The deadline for all applicants will be **Monday 14th May**.

If you want to speak to a member of our crew please call Antonia on 07595 527 418.

Thank you in advance.

Me + You
Dear Parent / Guardian,

We are delighted to be able to offer Holywell students a special £10 price per day for the upcoming half term at our Rickmansworth Holiday Camp.

Please see the attached PDF for more information on our holiday camps.

Please note that this offer is only available at our Rickmansworth Camp from 9.30-3.30

To book online, please visit: https://family.premier-education.com/courses?location=rickmansworth&hol=0&hol=1&eve=0&exc=0&day=0

Select the 9.30-3.30 option and pick the days you would like to attend.

Enter discount code: RICK

Many thanks and we look forward to seeing you there!
Premier Education