



Horndon on the Hill Church of England Primary School

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We are all part of God's family. Through trying our best in all that we do, we find a sense of belonging.
1 Corinthians 12:27 'All of you together are Christ's body and each of you is a part of it'.

NEWSLETTER

23rd September 2022

Dear Parents/Carers

We would like to thank Linda for coming in during the school holidays, giving up her time, to redo our small garden area near class 2. We think you will agree it looks Beautiful!



We hope that this is just the beginning, if you are able to offer any help or perhaps donate some plants, we would be overjoyed. We are on a journey to revitalise the school grounds and as they say 'a job shared is a job halved.'

I have been spending some time in the classrooms and it is incredible to see how motivated and focused on their learning the children are. They are able to discuss in detail the skills they are learning and the units of work they are studying. There is a real feeling of positivity around the school and we know that this can only be a good thing for all our pupils.

Times Tables Rockstars

19th September - 3rd October 2022

All Boys

179

All Girls

168

Finishes in 10 days

After one week of our house captains' competition the boys are slightly ahead of the girls with 10 days to go, who will win??

JRSO's



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We would like to introduce our Junior Road Safety Officers for this year Paige, Daphne, Nell and Elsie. They will be encouraging active and healthy travel to school using



sustainable methods.

We are launching the **Let's Get ACTIVE** challenge in the first week of October as part of our continued commitment to our school travel plan. We are hoping that everyone will walk, scooter, cycle or park and stride during this week. Every child that takes part will receive a sticker and a small prize. The school will also be entered into a prize draw to win a new scooter pod for our school.

We are opening a competition for the children to design an active travel poster which will be turned into an active travel banner, to be displayed on the school railings. Please make sure these are on A4 paper with your child's name and class on the back. All entries must be in school by 1st October.

Banner Design Competition



Let's Get CREATIVE

We are looking for the next budding artist
Design your own Active Travel Poster
the winner will have their artwork converted into a banner to be displayed outside
👏👏 your school 👏👏

roadsafety@thurrock.gov.uk

thurrock.gov.uk

Parking

Please can we remind parents to park sensibly and not to block residents' drives. We are **still** receiving justifiable complaints from the neighbours regarding this. We do advise parking at the park and walking to school.

Devices

Do you have any old laptops or iPads at home that you no longer use? If so, would you consider donating them to the school? We have a technician who can refurbish equipment that can then be used by the children. We struggle to provide a whole class with a set of laptops or even half a class with iPad's and this obviously has an impact on ICT lessons across the school. Any help would be gratefully appreciated.

Warmest regards



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D. Bradley

Mrs D Bradley
Head of School

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Do not forget to follow us on  @HOTHschool and like our tweets!



~ Head Teacher Award ~



Kendell, Evindar, Ellie x2, Tommy, Blue, Ehrinrae, Harry

Attendance

This week the winners are year 2 and year 4.



Reception – 89.5%
Year 1 – 94.3%
Year 2 – 95.6%
Year 3 – 95.2%
Year 4 – 99.2%
Year 5 – 98.5%
Year 6 – 96.8%

Fantastic Feedback

Thank you for your positive comments which are uplifting for all members of staff.

PRAYER FOR THE WEEK



Heavenly Father, I thank you that all good gifts come from you. I thank you that I can trust you for the future of my family. Please guide my child in every step they take. I pray they would know your provision and protection. Make steady their steps I pray. Amen



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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

SEPTEMBER

Friday 30th – Harvest Festival at the Church –
Donations collected will go to Thurrock Foodbank

OCTOBER

2nd – 6th - Let's Get ACTIVE challenge

Thursday 6th – Big Treat Lunch day – see below

Tuesday 11th – School Nurse in – Hearing & Vision
plus Height & Weight screening

Thursday 13th – Reception Curriculum Meeting
3:15pm

NOVEMBER

Tuesday 8th – Road safety walks – Years 3 & 5

Monday 14th - Night Owls Visit – More details to
follow

Tuesday 15th – Health screening Reception Class

Thursday 24th – Walk Online Roadshow - Years 5
& 6

Monday 28th – Flu Immunisations

DECEMBER

Thursday 1st – Year 1 Parent workshop 2:30pm

Friday 2nd – Year 3 Parent workshop 2:30pm

Monday 5th – Year 6 Parent workshop 2:30pm

5th – 8th – Year 6 Bikeability

Tuesday 6th – Year Reception Parent workshop
2:30pm

Wednesday 7th – Year 4 Parent workshop 2:30pm

Thursday 8th - Year 5 Parent workshop 2:30pm

Friday 9th – Year 2 Parent workshop 2:30pm

Friday 9th – Year 4 Bikeability

Monday 12th – Year 4 Bikeability

JANUARY

FEBRUARY

Wednesday 22nd – Ash Wednesday Service at
Church

MARCH

Thursday 2nd – World Book Day – details to
follow

Wednesday 22nd – Year 1 Parent workshop
2:30pm

APRIL

MAY

8th - 11th – KS2 SATs

15th - 18th – KS1 SATs

22nd –24th – Year 6 Residential

JUNE

Thursday 22nd – Sports Day

JULY

Tuesday 11th – Production

Thursday 13th – Production

Monday 17th – Year 6 Leavers Service 11am

Tuesday 18th – Leavers Lunch

Wednesday 19th - Leavers Assembly

Wednesday 19th – Last day of School



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Upcoming Events

Meeting TBC



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ADHD Support Group

For families with children and young people with
ADHD and neurodiversity

For information on guest speakers, and to let us know you are coming,
www.patt.org.uk/adhdsupport or scan the QR Code below

SECOND Wednesday of each month 6.30–8.30pm

Stanford-Le-Hope Children's Centre, Copland Road, SS17 0DF

15th June, 13th July,

14th September, 12th October, 9th November, 14th December

THIRD Monday of each month 10am–12pm

16th May	Chadwell Children's Centre, Claudian Way RM16 4QE
20th June	Ockendon Children's Centre, Afton Drive RM15 5PA
18th July	Tilbury Children's Centre, London Road RM18 8EY
19th September	Purfleet Children's Centre, Centurion Way RM19 1QA
17th October	Thameside Children's Centre, Manor Road RM17 6EF
21st November	Chadwell Children's Centre, Claudian Way, RM16 4QE
19th December	Ockendon Children's Centre, Afton Drive RM15 5PA



PATT ADHD support



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Surgery Schedule 2022

where and when to find us

Surgeries run term time only

To book an appointment: www.patt.org.uk/surgeries
scan the QR code or call 07702 127 252

	First Wednesday of Every Month 10am - 1pm Ockendon Children's Centre, 2a Afton Drive, RM15 5AP 4th May, 6th July, 7th Sept 5th Oct, 2nd Nov, 7th Dec
	First Thursday of Every Month - 9.30am - 12.30pm Tilbury Children's Centre, London Road, Tilbury RM18 8EY 5th May, 9th June, 7th July, 8th Sept, 6th Oct, 3rd Nov, 1st Dec
	Second Tuesday of Every Month 10am - 1pm PATT Offices, c/o Take 4 Care, 51 Lodge Lane, Grays RM17 5RZ 10th May, 14th June, 12th July, 13th Sept, 11th Oct, 8th Nov, 13th Dec.
	Second Wednesday of Every Month 6pm - 8.30pm Stanford-Le-Hope Children's Centre, Copland Road, SS17 0DF Including PATT ADHD Support group 15th June, 13th July, 14th Sept, 12th Oct 9th Nov, 14th Dec.
	Fourth Tuesday of Every Month 2pm - 7pm PATT Offices, c/o Take 4 Care, 51 Lodge Lane, Grays RM17 5RZ 24th May, 28th June, 27th Sept, 25th Oct, 22th Nov
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Your aspirations, our priority

The internet is being used increasingly across all areas of life. We know that for some children, young people, parents and carers in Thurrock, they don't use the internet and feel that their voices aren't being heard. We acknowledge, these families are at risk of being left behind.

Our aim is to provide advice, guidance and support and to provide a fully inclusive service to everyone.....

SEND Mind the Gap is an opportunity for children and young people with SEND, and their parents carers to visit our hubs and speak with a member of the Thurrock SEND Team about matters affecting them.

WHERE TO FIND US:

Aveley Hub
Recreation Ground, High Street, Aveley,
South Ockendon, RM15 4BX
10.30am - 12.30pm
Tuesday 13th September 2022
Tuesday 27th September 2022
Tuesday 11th October 2022

Tilbury Hub
Civic Square, Tilbury, RM18 8AD
10.30am - 12.30pm
Monday 3rd October 2022
Monday 10th October 2022
Monday 17th October 2022

MIND THE GAP



BIG TREAT DAY

Theme day lunch

Thursday 6th October



**Pepperoni Pizza,
Cheese & Tomato
Pizza
Or
Quorn Dippers**

**All served with Curly
Fries and
Sweetcorn**

Rocket Lolly



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