



NEWSLETTER

JULY 3RD 2026



Upcoming Dates:

Monday 13th July

Reception trip to Southend

Tuesday 14th July

Y6 production to parents & under 5s
@2pm

Wednesday 15th July

Nursery Graduation in the hall @ 9 am

Y6 production to parents & under 5s @2
pm

Y6 production to parents - No children @5
pm

Friday 17th July

Sports Day

Monday 20th July

Y6 leavers dinner 5-6 pm

Y5 Trip to Go Ape

Thursday 23rd July

Y6 Leavers assembly in the hall @ 9 am

Last Day of Term 1:30 finish

House Points Total:

Elstree: 788

MGM: 919

Pinewood: 1037

Shepperton: 1001

News from Miss Kneller

A warm welcome to Ms Ross, the newest member of our support team. Ms Ross will be working across the school, supporting classes, and we are delighted to have her join our team.

A huge thank you to everyone for your fantastic support of Woodfest. We can't wait to welcome you this evening from 4:30pm to 8:00pm for what promises to be a wonderful community event. Come along to hear the children sing, cheer on the staff dance performances, and enjoy all the activities on offer.

Don't forget to bring your own blankets or chairs so you can relax and enjoy the entertainment, and plenty of cash for the stalls and activities.

Please see below for the approximate stage timings, and listen out for announcements when your child's class or year group is invited to the stage.

Please also check your emails for a letter about a later start time to school on Monday for those who are up watching England play. School will be open as normal but children are able to be signed in until 11am without this affecting their attendance. Any absences or arrivals after 11am will be unauthorised and will have an impact.

Miss Kneller

WOODFEST PROGRAMME TONIGHT!

Please remember that all timings are approximate!

4.50pm Drumming with Year 4	
5.00pm Nursery Tumble – Golden	5.45pm 4 Thunberg – Count on Me
5.05pm Reception Rosen – We Belong Together	5.50pm Y5 Southgate & Boseman – We're all in this together
5.10pm Reception Peter Pan – We're All Together Again	5.55pm Y6 Malala & Obama – Consider Yourself
5.15pm 1 Anning – Obodo	6.00pm Summerswood's Got Talent Winner: Imogen, Jennifer, Maisie, Lyra, Dolly & Magda – Year 2 & Year 3
5.20pm 1 Dondaldson – Che Che Kule	6.05pm Summerswood's Got Talent Winner: Christine – Ode to Joy
5.25pm Y2 – O-Zone & Friends all over the World	6.10pm Summerswood's Got Talent Winner: Remi – Gymnastic Superstar
5.30pm 3 Wicks – Can't Stop The Feeling	6.15pm Summerswood's Got Talent: Aubrey – Try Everything
5.35pm 3 Rashford – This is me!	6.30pm Summerswood Staff – Texas Hold'Em/
5.40pm 4 Queen – Born This Way	Followed by a Family Dance Party!

ATTENDANCE

Week ending July 3rd

Whole school attendance: 94.4%

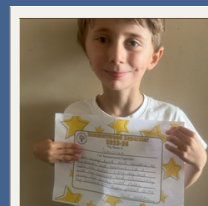
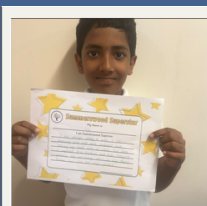
R PP	RR	1A	1D	2A	2J	3R
87.1%	97.2%	94%	96.3%	93.4%	97.6%	96.4%

3W	4Q	4T	5B	5S	6M	6O
97.7%	97.6%	94.4%	92.2%	92.3%	93.3%	91.3%

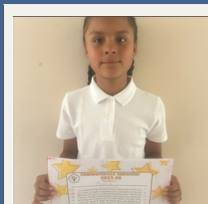
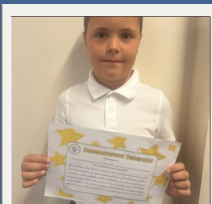
100% attendance reward is additional play time not non-school uniform.

SUMMERSWOOD SUPERSTARS

Congratulations to this week's Summerswood Superstars!!



Reception - Teddy and Rania
 Year 1 - Razvan and Anastasia
 Year 2 - Preston and Sebastian
 Year 3 - Amos and Adrian
 Year 4 - Cameron and Sai
 Year 5 - Anna and Ivy
 Year 6 - Besarta



PERFECT PRESENTERS



PATHWAY TO SUCCESS

This week in our Pathway to Success lessons, children have been learning about the importance of staying safe in and around water. With the summer holidays fast approaching there will be more time spent outdoors, at the beach, swimming pools, rivers and lakes, understanding water safety is more important than ever.

Children explored key safety messages, including how to recognise potential dangers and the importance of swimming in supervised areas. Please ask your child about the important water safety facts they learned this week so it stays at the front of their mind!



SPORT AT SUMMERSWOOD

Herts Commonwealth Games

10 children across years 5 and 6 had the chance to represent Summerswood at a commonwealth festival yesterday at Oaklands College. They had the opportunity to try various events including fencing, circus skills and cricket. They even got the chance to see and hold some of the Paralympic memorabilia.



SPORTS DAY INFORMATION

Sports day is on Friday 17th July.

The timings are as follows:

Reception, year 1 and year 2 - 9.30am -11am

Years 3-6: 1.30pm -3pm

Please be aware lunch on this day will be cold option only.

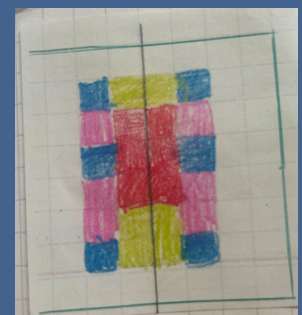
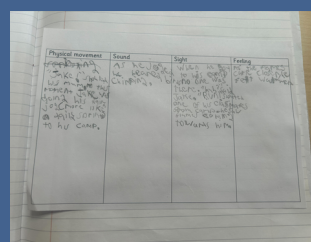
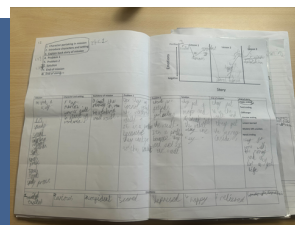
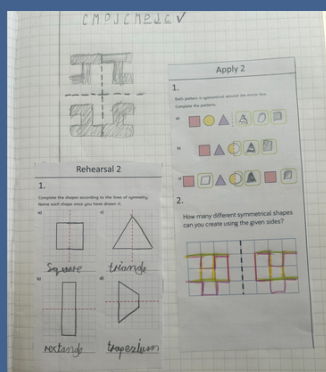
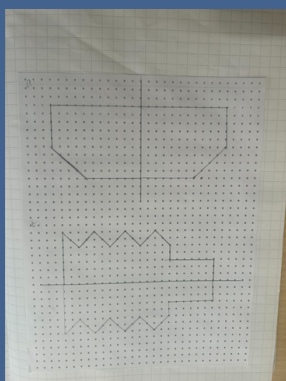
YEAR GROUP SPOTLIGHT: YEAR 4

In Maths, our Year 4 students have been working on symmetry. They have been creating symmetrical shapes on dotted paper and symmetrical designs on square paper.

In English students have been working on their action stories. They have thought about and written opening paragraphs to their action/adventure stories (Harry's work) and planned their whole adventure story. Students are very excited to be writing their stories and Miss Hawkins and Mrs Sami cannot wait to read them.

We have been learning about climate and weather in Geography recently. We have explored the different climate zones around the world and discussed what clothing would be suitable for each one. The children have also enjoyed finding out about different types of extreme weather and the effects they can have on people and places.

This term, Year 4 have also continued learning about the Easter story, focusing on the events of Good Friday and the time between Easter Sunday and Jesus' Ascension. The children have reflected on the importance of these events and shared their thoughts through class discussions and activities.





July

Summerswood Monthly Calendar



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1 Year 6 Cinema Trip 	2	3  #Woodfest 	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13 Reception Trip to Southend 	14 Y6 Production @ 2pm - Parents and Under 5s	15 Nursery Graduation in the Hall @ 9am Y6 Production @ 2pm - Parents and Under 5s Y6 Production @ 5pm - Adults Only	16	17 Sports Day 	18
19	20 Y6 Leavers Dinner  Y5 Go Ape Trip	21	22	23  Y6 Leavers Assembly @ 9am Last Day of School - 1:30 Finish	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	
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FAMILIES DAY

Saturday 4th July 2026

12pm – 4pm

Meadow Park, Borehamwood



The Beauty Barks Dog Show

- 1:00pm Waggiest Tail
- 1:30pm Looks Like Their Owner
- 2:00pm Junior Handler 6 To 16 Years
- 2:30pm Best Rescue
- 3:00pm Most Handsome Boy (Mr Borehamwood)
- 3:30pm Prettiest Girl (Miss Borehamwood)
- 4:00pm Best in Show

Entertainment

- 12:05pm Borehamwood Rock Choir
- 12:30pm Borehamwood Brass (at the Bandstand)

Free Kids Rides



12:15pm
1:30pm
2:45pm
4:00pm

FREE ENTRY



ELSTREE & BOREHAMWOOD TOWN COUNCIL THE BOREHAMWOOD BITES BACK FOOD FESTIVAL



Sunday 5th July 2026

11am – 4pm

Meadow Park, Borehamwood

- International Food Stalls
- Free Big Top Circus
- Free Kids Rides
- Farmers & Craft Market



12:15pm
1:30pm
2:45pm
4:00pm

FREE ENTRY

Groups and workshops

Autumn 2026

Bringing Up Confident ADHD/ASD Children (6 weeks) Online group

Monday 5th October to 16th November, 7pm to 9pm OR
Friday 6th November to 11th December, 9.30am to 11.30am

If your child has ADHD/ASD, or you think they might, join our online 6-week group where you will receive support from other parents and gain a comprehensive understanding of ADHD/ASD and learn strategies to improve life at home and at school.

Less Shouting, More Cooperation (6 weeks) Online group

Tuesday 6th October to 17th November, 9.30am to 11.30am

Do you feel you are constantly nagging or shouting at your child to get what you need? Are you tired of losing your cool and want a calmer house? Join our free online 6-week group to learn how you can change the way you communicate with your child, respond better, and feel more in control.

Dads Together (6 weeks) Online group

Wednesday 4th November to 9th December, 7pm to 9pm

Are you a dad who feels you are constantly nagging or shouting at your child to get what you need? Are you tired of losing your cool and want a calmer house? Join our free online 6-week group to learn how you can change the way you communicate with your child, respond better, and feel more in control.

Anxiety around ADHD Online Workshop

Wednesday 21 October 9.30am to 11.30am

Sibling Rivalry Online Workshop

Monday 9 November 9.30am to 11.30am

Reducing Conflict Online Workshop

Wednesday 25 November 7pm to 9pm

It's a Dad's Life Online Workshop

Thursday 26 November 7pm to 9pm

Navigating the Storm (Teens) Online Workshop

Wednesday 2 December 9.30am to 11.30am

All our programmes provide support, information and resources to parents, carers and adult family members in Hertfordshire so they can help their children reach their full potential.

For more info, please contact **Louise** on **0204 522 8700/8701** or email **services@coramfamilylives.org.uk** or scan the QR code for our online form.



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