



Hailey Church of England  
Primary School

Learn, Achieve, Grow, Believe

1 Corinthians 16:14

Let all that you do be done in love.

### Sports Morning

Following on from the date change in July, our sports morning will take place on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> September – there will be no Forest School for Pegasus Class that day.

Parents of pupils in Pegasus and Unicorn Classes may wait on the school field straight after drop off. Pegasus and Unicorn class races will take place between 9.15am and 10.00am.

Parents of pupils in Phoenix and Griffin Classes may enter through the green gate at approximately 10.10am. Their races will take place between 10.15am and 11.15am. For safety reasons the gate will not be opened until Pegasus and Unicorn pupils have returned to their classrooms.

All children will need to wear their PE kit.

May we please ask you not to take photographs during the races as not all families have given permission for their child to be photographed at school events. Following all the races parents will be welcome to take photographs of their own child/children.

Should you wish to take part in the parent race then please make sure you wear your best running shoes. 😊

Thank you.

### Party in the Playground

We hope as many of you as possible will support The Friends this evening and we look forward to seeing you all at Party in the Playground.

### Free School Meals

If your circumstances have changed and you feel you may be eligible for free school meals then please email [katie.witherall@hailey.oxon.sch.uk](mailto:katie.witherall@hailey.oxon.sch.uk).

Families who receive certain benefits may be eligible for free school meals. Your child is eligible for free school meals if you're in receipt of one of the following benefits:

- Universal Credit with an annual net earned income of no more than £7,400.
- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part 6 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guarantee element of Pension Credit
- Working Tax Credit run-on (paid for the four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit)
- Child Tax Credit (with no Working Tax Credit) with an annual income of no more than £16,190

Registering for free meals could also raise an extra **£1,320** for your child's primary school, to fund valuable support like extra tuition, additional teaching staff or after school activities.

### Nursery Places

Our Nursery class is open to children aged 3 and above. If you have a younger child we would recommend putting their name on our interest/waiting list as places are limited. Please email the school office with details.

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## Data Collection Sheets

Data collection sheets for each pupil will be sent home on Friday. Please can you check the details carefully, make any necessary changes, sign and return to school in the white post box in the school foyer. Please note that if you don't have any changes to make, the forms still need to be signed and returned by 30<sup>th</sup> September. Thank you.

## Harvest Festival Assembly

Our Harvest Festival Assembly will take place on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> September for all pupils and staff.

We will be collecting donations for the West Oxfordshire and Witney Food Bank.

The following items are requested:-

Rice/pasta  
Instant Noodles  
Jars/Pasta Sauce  
Long-life Milk  
Toiletries  
Tinned meat/pies  
Tinned fruit  
Custard/Rice Pudding  
Tea/Coffee/Hot Chocolate  
Squash  
Biscuits

There will be collection box in the school foyer. Thank you very much in advance.

## Celebration Assembly

Our celebration assembly took place this morning. Certificates were awarded to:-

Pegasus – Florence, Chloe, Neve

Unicorn – Liam. Fletcher, Emily

Phoenix – Ayanah, Roxy, Evelyn

Griffin – Jake, Ava, Cassian, Hannah



## Reading

At Hailey School, we believe that every child should be given the opportunity to experience the joy and wonder of books. Reading is at the heart of our English Curriculum. We want our pupils to be inspired and enthusiastic when they read.

For this reason, we are including lots of opportunities for reading in school. We thank you for promoting reading at home too.

This term we are introducing an author of the month. September will be Julia Donaldson. Books from this author will be available to borrow from the school foyer. Launching on Class Dojo a member of staff will be reading a text from our chosen author. Look out for the first one later today.

## Junior Citizen

On Monday, Year 6 took part in Junior Citizen in Oxford. The children experienced different scenarios which taught them a variety of life skills to focus on keeping themselves safe and had the opportunity to practise making a 999 call.

## Witney Feast at St Mary's Church, Witney

On Monday, Phoenix Class visited St Mary's Church in Witney to take part in some craft activities based on The Creation Story. The children thought about the environment they live in and the plants and animals in the world. They also had the opportunity to reflect on what they would like to give thanks to The Queen for.

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## News from the Governing Body

The Governing Body met on Wednesday evening and the following business was discussed:-

- Mrs Clark was welcomed as new staff governor and Hannah Staniford was welcomed as new parent governor
- The actions and success criteria for the Strategic Action Plan which supports the School Vision were agreed. The objectives are as follows:-

### Learn

We aim for everyone to be lifelong, resilient learners who learn from experience through both their successes and mistakes.

### Achieve

We aim for everyone to achieve their individual potential and make a positive contribution to their local and global communities.

### Grow

We aim for everyone to grow as individuals, who demonstrate love, compassion and respect.

### Believe

We aim for everyone to believe in themselves, to believe in each other and to live by Christian values.

- Governing Body roles were agreed
- The budget was reviewed
- Policies and reports including Child Protection and Safeguarding and Equality and Objectives were ratified

***From all at Hailey School,  
have a good weekend and  
we will see you all on  
Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> September.  
School is closed Monday  
19<sup>th</sup> September.***