



— The Summer Edition 2026 —



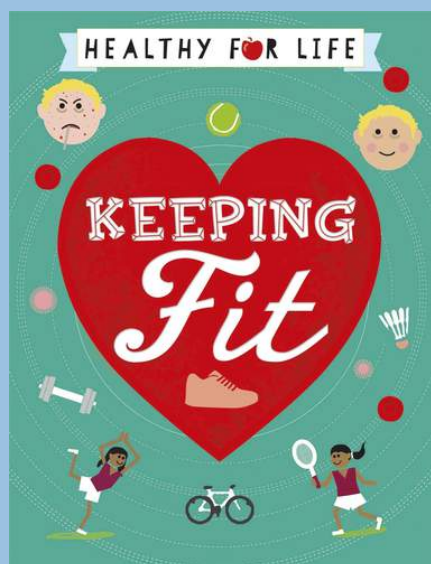
The Hawthorns Primary School

Friday 26th June 2026



Summer Term 2026

THEME



AIM

To value our
bodies and learn
how to look after
them



OPEN AFTERNOON

A massive well done
and thank you for all
your efforts to make
our multicultural
open afternoon such
a success.





Despite the heat, the afternoon went smoothly with parents, children and staff all having a wonderful time. There was such a lovely atmosphere in the hall and all around the school. The parents had set up beautiful displays in the hall and everyone enjoyed visiting them. A huge thank you for all the efforts these families went through to share aspects of their culture with our school community.

The Year 1 and Year 3 dances were great and lots of fun for children and parents and the parade went really well. Thanks for joining in these!



I am so please that we were able to host despite the heatwave and end with a parade of different countries. A success all round and a thank you to Mrs Milne for organising this wonderful event.

Kind regards
Ms Razeghi

In Year 5, we celebrated our topic Ancient Greece making clay pots, whilst listening to some authentic Greek music. Thank you to all the parents and carers who came to join in. We had a lot of fun!



As part of Year 1's castle topic, we looked at Wales for Multicultural Day as it has the most castles per mile than any other country! We showed our families all the amazing work in our books as well as our castle prints and castle models we've made in art. We then performed two folk circle dances in the sunshine



Year 6 learnt a variety of cooking skills as part of their Design and Technology topic, Global Foods. They developed their ability to safely dice, grate, and boil a range of ingredients, which culminated in the creation of a Mexican feast! With the help of their parents, they were then able to evaluate their final products by writing their own restaurant reviews.



Year 3



As part of their Ancient Egypt topic, Year 3 went to take part in a workshop at Ufton Court.

There we learnt about the Battle of Meddigo where we got to reenact the famous battle. Children got the opportunity to play as Egyptian warriors.



We also got to learn more about the Book of the Dead as our leaders Milo and Will took us through the mummification process.



Some of us got to be embalmers or priests. Later we had a go at wrapping up our friends as mummies.

Our teachers were really proud of our resilience in the heat as well as our curiosity, collaboration and kindness shown!





Picture News

For week beginning 29th June 2026



What weather do you like and dislike?

We cannot control the weather, but we can choose how we respond to it. By thinking carefully about the information we receive and considering how our choices affect ourselves and others, we can make thoughtful decisions when the future is uncertain.

Dates

for your Diary

JUNE 2026

Friday 26th

PTA Dontation & Non-Uniform Day

JULY 2026

Wednesday 1st

Y2 Natural History Museum

Friday 3rd

KS2 Sports Afternoon 13:30 to 15:30

Saturday 4th

PTA Hoedown Day 12:00 to 17:00

Monday 6th

Rock Steady Concert to Parents 14:45

Friday 10th

EYFS & KS1 Sports Afternoon 14:00 to 15:30

Tuesday 14th

EYFS Wellington Country Park Trip

Tuesday 14th

Y6 Magpies Production 18:00 Start

Wednesday 15th

Y4 DooD Performance to Parents 09:15

Wednesday 15th	Berkshire Music Trust Violin Concert to Parents at 14:45
Wednesday 15th	Y6 Woodpeckers Production 18:00 Start
Friday 17th	Transition Day
Monday 20th	Y3 Ocarina Performance to Parents 14:45
Wednesday 22nd	LAST DAY OF SUMMER TERM 14:00 FINISH
SEPTEMBER 2026	
Tuesday 1st	INSET DAY
Wednesday 2nd	INSET DAY
Thursday 3rd	First Day of Autumn Term
Monday 7th	NEW EYFS Meet the Teacher 15:45-16:15



PTA PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION





HAWTHORNS PTA

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SECRETARY



Keith Brindley Helen Eastwood Sarah Walker Jess Prout Maria Dymock Tabitha Rigden Maxine Featherbe-Knott Keri Devonport Rajesh Chandrasekaran Terri Holloway

**HELP PROSPECT
DONATE £100 TO THE
HAWTHORNS PTA.**

Prospect Estate Agency, Wokingham's local property experts, have partnered with The Hawthorns School PTA to help raise funds for our school! Sell or let your property with Prospect, and mention 'Hawthorns School' at the free property valuation and Prospect will donate £100 to the PTA upon completion.

PROSPECT.

PROPERTY. PROPERLY.

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All other enquiries, please email office@hawthorns.wokingham.sch.uk

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PARENT INFORMATION



Summer Holiday Camps!

Childcare from £3.33 an hour in a
safe school environment

Open at Hawthorns

Thursday 23rd July - Friday 21st August

What's on offer:

Themed Timetables: The Great Outdoors,
Secret Spies, Food Glorious Food,
Exploding Emotions & Back to the 90's

Energetic Sports: Street Dance, Archery, Boccia,
New Age Kurling, Rounders & more

Plus, Berzerk Productions Drama Workshops
& Arcade Machine

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 bookings@funtastickids.co.uk

 **07715643412**



Ages 4 - 13
Funded HAF Places
Sibling Discount
Ofsted Registered

"The staff are amazing, we
cannot thank them enough for
the amazing time the kids had this
summer!"

— Parent, Emmbrook Holiday Camp,
Summer 2025



Wokingham

Cycle Festival



Scan here



Sunday, 28 June 2026
9am to 2pm

Cantley Park, Wokingham, RG40 5QG

Family fun cycle training, Dr Bike checks,
BMX stunt team displays, smoothie bike



just play **sports**

SUMMER HOLIDAY SPORTS CAMPS

ACTIVE FUN. NEW FRIENDS. UNFORGETTABLE MEMORIES.

FUN,
FRIENDS &
MEMORIES
THAT LAST

A MIX OF GAMES AND ACTIVITIES INCLUDING:



FOOTBALL



MULTI-SKILLS



NERF



CAPTURE THE FLAG



CRICKET



DODGEBALL



ROUNDERS



& MORE!

CAMP DATES:

EVENDONS

23RD - 24TH JULY
27TH - 31ST JULY
3RD - 7TH AUGUST
10TH - 14TH AUGUST
17TH - 21ST AUGUST
24TH - 28TH AUGUST
1ST & 2ND SEPTEMBER

STANDARD DAY: 10AM - 3:30PM - £28
EXTENDED DAY: 8:30AM - 5:30PM - £38
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 - 3:30 - £33
4 YEAR OLDS: 10AM - 2PM - £24

ST PAULS

20TH - 24TH JULY
27TH - 31ST JULY
3RD - 7TH AUGUST
10TH - 14TH AUGUST
7TH - 21ST AUGUST
24TH - 28TH AUGUST
1ST SEPTEMBER

STANDARD DAY: 10AM - 3:30PM - £30
EXTENDED DAY: 8:30AM - 5:30PM - £40
4 YEAR OLDS: 10AM - 2PM - £25

COLLETON

22ND & 23RD JULY
10TH - 13TH AUGUST

STANDARD DAY: 10AM - 3:30PM - £30
EXTENDED DAY: 8:30AM - 5:30PM - £40
4 YEAR OLDS: 10AM - 2PM - £25

OAKLANDS

27TH - 30TH JULY

STANDARD DAY: 10AM - 3:30PM - £30
EXTENDED DAY: 8:30AM - 5:30PM - £40
SCHOOL DAY: 8:30 - 3:30 - £35
4 YEAR OLDS: 10AM - 2PM - £25

WHITEKNIGHTS

20TH JULY - 24TH JULY
17TH AUGUST - 21ST AUGUST

STANDARD DAY: 10AM - 3:30PM - £30
EXTENDED DAY: 8:30AM - 5:30PM - £40
4 YEAR OLDS: 10AM - 2PM - £25



ACTION-PACKED DAYS

FUN FOR EVERY CHILD AGED 4-12



AT SCHOOLS NEAR YOU

SAFE, FRIENDLY AND
CONVENIENT LOCATION



FLEXIBILITY TO SUIT YOU

OPTIONS TO SUIT EVERY FAMILY

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Changes to Free School Meal and Pupil Premium Eligibility



What's new?

The Department for Education has updated its guidance on Free School Meals (FSM) and Pupil Premium.

From the start of the **2026/27 school year**, transitional protections are due to end, and eligibility will need to be checked again. Families will need to re-apply so eligibility can be rechecked and your child (and school) don't miss out on support.

Why apply?

- Free, healthy meals for your child
- Extra funding for your child's school to support learning and improve outcomes
- Annual checks will now take place
- Apply now to make sure your child's entitlement is in place for September 2026

How to apply

Apply online today



For further information on the recent changes, eligibility criteria, and how the changes may affect you, please visit our website.

SCHOOL SHOE EVENTS

Everyone is welcome! ❤️



FREE SCHOOL SHOES – SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY

Wednesday 22nd July, 10am-1pm

Woodley Precinct
Woodley, RG5 3JP

Monday 27th July, 11.30am-1.30pm

Shinfield School Green Centre
Shinfield, RG2 9EH

Wednesday 29th July, 1-4pm

Clements Close Play Park
Spencers Wood, RG7 1HH

Thursday 6th August, 11am-2pm

Frensham Green
Shinfield, RG2 8EH



In partnership with
SALS SHOES



- We recommend having children present to try on their shoes
- Don't forget to bring a pair of socks with you!

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