



Royal Russell Junior School

Bulletin

Summer Term



Dear Parents,

A final week of the year that will live long in the memory and commenced with new staff and pupils arriving at RRJS throughout Monday. It was great fun to welcome the next generation of Russellians, safe in the knowledge that they are in great hands going forwards. My particular thanks to our new staff who joined us for the day, especially Mr McLarnon who had only stepped off a 'plane from Hong Kong the day before and to Mrs Tunmore who sent a very entertaining show reel for her class as she is still in Dubai.

Year 6 took to the stage on Monday and Tuesday night as they energetically sung, danced and acted their way through two highly entertaining performances of "Rock Bottom". I will never cease to be amazed by the talents of our pupils and my huge thanks to the team who have coerced them through rehearsals in the past few weeks to create such a memorable show.

I was lucky enough to sneak onto the Chessington coach on Wednesday morning to join Year 6 for some thrill seeking during the morning and then a quick dash back around the M25 for Lower Junior Sports Day in the afternoon. Year 6 did not disappoint with the thrills and the Lower Juniors gave it their all in each and every event. Thank you to the Year 6 team for taking the trip and to the Sports Department, ably supported by Y5, for running the show on Wednesday.

It was inevitable that Thursday was going to be an emotional day and final assembly certainly tested my dry eye powers. Russell's Got Talent lived up to top billing and my congratulations to the winner, Brendan singing Opera in Italian! A quick BBQ lunch and then off to Upper Junior Prize Giving and before I knew it ten years were all but over....just the small matter of the staff party tonight.

I'm not really sure how I sign off after ten years, except to pluck some lines from my speech on Saturday...

I came here as one person and I leave as another. Someone indelibly changed, affected and improved by the experience of attending Royal Russell.

Other schools have qualities, they have attributes. Many have values. Here we have Powers. We have Russell Powers and what powers they are. Collaboration, communication, persistence and resilience. Initiative, originality, curiosity and risk taking, reflectiveness and decisiveness.

I am going to need them all to leave you.

Every day I am surrounded by children who cannot help but be authentic. When they love they love. When they are sad they are sad. And when they learn they learn with a passion, speed and hunger that puts us adults to shame. I want to take that authenticity, that relish for life with me – it is the greatest Russell Power of them all.

Find something you love, be brilliant at it and change lives. In small ways and not so small ways. I know you can. I know you will.

**Mr James C Thompson
Junior School Headmaster**

The staff we are all going to miss at Royal Russell



We wish them all the very best of luck!

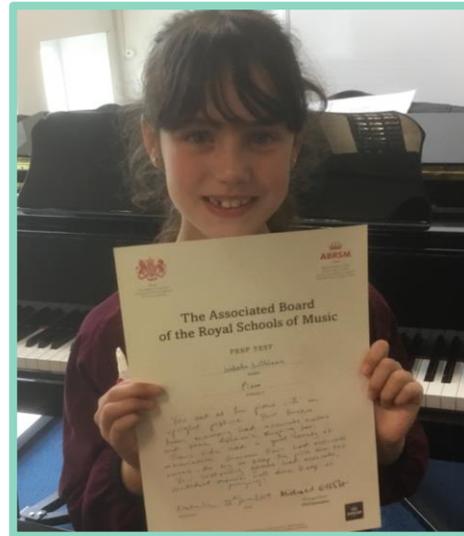
Nursery had a 'Stay and Play' morning to welcome our September newcomers!





Music Exams

We are delighted that Isabella, Amelia, Maryam, Isa, Mina, (all piano), Michael (clarinet) and Thomas (trumpet) have all passed their Prep Test on their respective instruments.



Well
Done!

ROCK BOTTOM



After months of rehearsals Year 6 took to the stage to Krak-a-toeortwo! They sung and danced their socks off, and entertained the audience for two nights in a row!



A huge well done to every single member of Year 6 for taking on their roles so well and giving such a fantastic performance.



Rock Bottom rocked!!!









Junior School Sport



Lower Junior Sports Day







A great time was had by all the children and everyone gave it their all on the day. Well done!

Year 6 Trip to Chessington World of Adventures

Year 6 thoroughly enjoyed their day out at Chessington World of Adventures, a well deserved treat for a great years work and the production of Rock Bottom. A full day out in the sunshine laughing, eating and overcoming fears!!

Well done everyone and good luck for Senior School.



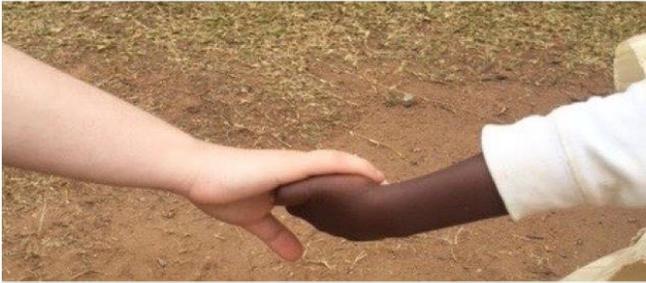








Hope For Malawi Foundation Inc



"The Light within You is the same as the Light within me and together we are One"

Hope for Malawi is a non profit charity whose hope is to make a difference in the lives of those who live in the challenging lands and times that is todays Africa.

One Community at a Time

Can you help?

This charity is asking for donations of junior school age **reading books**, **text books** and **school uniform** (*that cannot be used by the second hand uniform shop*).

Donations can be brought to the **PAC Reception** during the school holiday between 10.00 am and 4.00 pm.



Silver Star Awards

Emily M – 6F

For volunteering your time to help the office staff deliver a huge number of lost property items to pupils across the school

Samuel H – 3E

For using excellent manners to hold the door open for all the children from a visiting school.

Jojo S – 4T

For using his initiative and improving the school environment by devoting his lunchtime to picking up litter

Now's the time to clear out any old school uniform and donate to our second hand shop.

'Pre-loved' uniform sales are a great way to save our parents money and add to the 1853 parents' committee fund for the school.

PLEASE BRING YOUR DONATIONS INTO THE SCHOOL OFFICE - WE ARE HERE THE WEEK AFTER THE SUMMER HOLIDAY BEGINS





**Clubs and
Activities
For the Summer
Holidays**

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**HOLIDAY
DROP-OFF**
HOLIDAY SPORTS CAMP

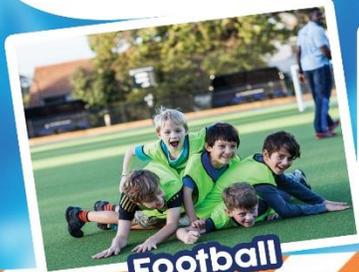
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8AM - 6PM
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Organised by World Champion Chris Snode
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DIVING TEAM

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ONLINE**

Dates 2019

Week 1 - Tue 30th July to Fri 2nd Aug

Week 2 - Tue 6th Aug to Fri 9th Aug

Week 3 - Tue 13th Aug to Fri 16th Aug

Week 4 - Tue 20th Aug to Fri 23rd Aug

Week 5 - Tue 27th Aug to Fri 30th Aug

Visit our website for details



Edén Cheng (16)
Senior European Champion

Crystal Palace National Sports Centre London SE19 2BB

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Assistant Head Coach at Gemstones Gymnastics Club

Monday 22nd July - Friday 26th July
Monday 5th August - Friday 9th August

Time: 8:30 - 16:30

Venue: Streatham & Clapham Prep School, Wavertree Road, SW2 3SR

Full week - £250 or £60 per day
Ages 5 - 16

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Phone: 07756682646

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29TH – 30TH OF JULY

10AM-2:30PM

**Venue: CALAT
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Katharine St, Croydon
CR9 1ET**



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MDL TENNIS CAMP DATES 2019

EASTER 2019:

EA1 Mon 8th Apr to Fri 12th Apr.

EA2 Mon 15th Apr to Thurs 18th Apr.

MAY 2019:

M1 Tues 28th May to Fri 31st May.

SUMMER 2019:

SU1 Mon 22nd July to Fri 26th July.

SU2 Mon 29th July to Fri 2nd Aug.

SU3 Mon 5th Aug to Fri 9th Aug.

SU4 Mon 12th Aug to Fri 16th Aug.

Dates below are not at Royal Russell.

SU5 Mon 19th Aug to Fri 23rd Aug.

SU6 Tues 27th Aug to Fri 30th Aug.

TEAM TENNIS & COACHING

MORNINGS
(7 YEARS TO 13 YEARS).
SCHOOL YEARS 3-8.

MINI TENNIS COACHING & FUN

MORNINGS
(4 YEARS TO 8 YEARS).
SCHOOL YEARS R-4.

TEEN TENNIS & COACHING

AFTERNOONS
(10 YEARS TO 16 YEARS).
SCHOOL YEARS 6-10.

* PARTICIPATING CLUBS: Purley Bury LTC, South Croydon Sports Club, Sanderslead LTC, Sanderslead Village LTC, Cheam Fields Club.

ALL OUR COACHES ARE DBS CHECKED



ONE OF THE GIRLS

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girlsattackit@gmail.com

FUN SKILLS TRAINING AND MATCH PLAY.



Summer Netball Camps 2019

- Two weeks of attacking/ defensive strategies, girls 6-15, 10am-3pm (9am-4pm available)
 - 29th Jul - 1st Aug
 - 12th - 15th Aug

Structured and enjoyable program with specialist sessions run by experienced England Netball trained coaches

Netball for all:

- Saturday Netball Club 10-11.30 minis/juniors
- Monthly minis workshops on Sundays
- Ladies get back to netball, 8.30pm Mondays
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Come and join us for lots of fun at Hazelwood School, RH8 0QU

CONTACT THE TEAM AND BE ONE OF THE GIRLS!





www.hillcrestnetball.co.uk

SUMMER CAMP

MON 29TH JULY TO FRI 2ND AUGUST 2019 9.30AM - 3.30PM

Mini
Netball
8-11yrs
(yrs 4-6)

SKILLS · COACHING · GAMES
T-SHIRTS · COMPETITIONS
TOURNAMENT · CERTIFICATES

Junior
Netball
12-14yrs
(yrs 7-9)



AT WARLINGHAM RFC, LIMPSFIELD RD, WARLINGHAM
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HILLCREST NETBALL CLUB

Summer Camp 2019

MON 29TH JULY – FRI 2ND August 2019 / 9:30AM-3:30PM
Boys & Girls aged 8-11 (Minis) and Girls aged 12-14 (Juniors)



NETBALL SKILLS · COACHING · GAMES · T-SHIRTS
COMPETITIONS · TOURNAMENT · CERTIFICATES



Waringham RFC, Limpfield Road, Waringham, CR6 9RB
Tel: 0208 660 1873 / Mob: 07957 187 314

Hillcrest Netball Club was started in 1969 by a small nucleus of mums looking for an outlet from the nappy washing and shopping at a sports field in Coulsdon situated on the brow of a hill, hence the name 'Hillcrest.'

It was soon to be established as one of the top six clubs in Surrey having played in all the leagues Croydon and Surrey had to offer and boasting numerous County and England players along the way.

We currently have three courts, two of which are floodlit.

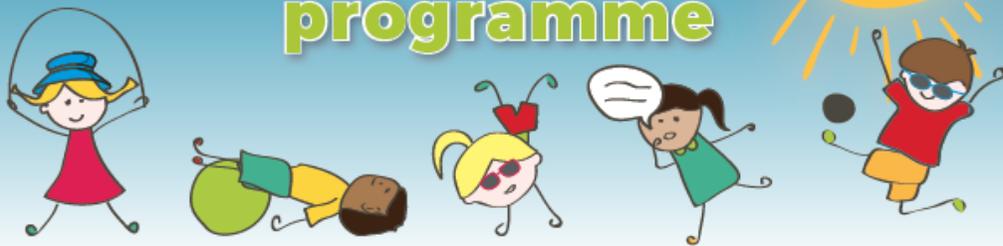
Hillcrest currently runs four senior teams, teams for all junior age groups and a "Back to Netball" section on Thursdays from 7.30pm to 9.00pm. We also run a minis section (8 -11 years) on alternate Sunday mornings from 10.00 – 11.30am and a junior section (12-14 years) on a Monday evening from 6.00 – 7.30pm both at WRFC.

Despite being very competitive, Hillcrest is a very sociable and friendly club of all ages and abilities where one can make many lifelong friends, so you see, from little acorns, great oak trees can grow! Good Luck and enjoy yourselves!

Heather Edmondson
Founder Member

Check out our website: www.pitchero.com/clubs/hillcrestnetballclub

Kids First Summer Holiday programme



*** Social Communication Groups** – For these sessions, parents must attend and be part of the session. The purpose of these sessions is an opportunity for parents to have a therapist explain and support key developmental skills, eg: social interaction, attention and listening, play and understanding use of language.

*** Phonics Booster** – During this 5-day course we will be running our Sound Smart Programme. This is ideal for children who struggle with phonics.

*** Literacy Booster** – Ideal for key stage 1 and 2, looking at strategies for reading comprehension, inferencing, verbal reasoning.

*** Story and Play** – Ideal for younger children; a sensory story including elements of drama and craft.

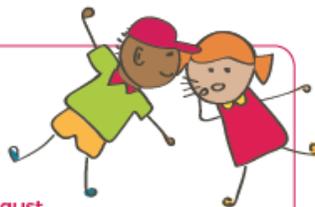
*** 1:1 sessions** – £65 for 45 minutes (recommended for existing clients). We will be able to offer 1:1 sessions throughout the time we are open. We recommend a minimum of 3 sessions be booked (we cannot guarantee you will have the same therapist throughout).

*** Assessments** – From £220. If your child requires an assessment prior to starting their next school year, we will be able to offer this service. Please call Emma to book this and discuss which assessment will be required.

*** Consultancy sessions** – This is a great opportunity to come and meet a therapist and talk through your concerns and allow the therapists to do some informal assessing, give you advice, model some strategies, discuss next steps of support and take home some resources to work on.

Drama workshop

We are collaborating with a drama teacher to offer a Speech and language-based drama workshop. These will be aimed at children in key stage 2 and will be run during the week commencing 5th August at a venue close to the KF Centre. Please speak to Emma if you would like more details.



Week 1	Course	Time	Price
Mon 5th Aug Wed 7th Fri 9th	Drama – Claire Venue TBC Speak To Emma for more details	10-12	ETBC
Mon 5th Aug – Fri 9th	1:1 sessions/assessments	10-3	£65
Mon 5th Aug Wed 7th Fri 9th	Story and Play	1-2.30	£20 per session
Mon 5th Aug – Fri 9th	Consultancy / 1:1	1-3	£50
Tue 6th Aug Thur 8th Aug	Social Communication – Pre-school (age 3-4)	10-12	£100
Tue 6th Aug Thur 8th Aug	Social Communication – Key Stage 1	1-2	£100
Mon – Fri 9th	Phonic Booster -	10-11	£45 per session. It is encouraged that child attend all 5 sessions as they will be working through a programme.

Week 2	Course	Time	Price
Wed 21st Aug Thur 22nd Aug	Social Communication – Key Stage 2	10-12	£100
Wed 21st – Thur 22nd	1:1	10-3	£65
Wed 21st – Thur 22nd	Consultancy	1-3pm	£50

Week 3	Course	Time	Price
Wed 28th Aug Thur 29th Fri 30th Aug	Literacy Booster – Key Stage 2	10-12	£45 per session. It is encouraged that child attend all 5 sessions as they will be working through a programme.
Wed 28th – Fri 30th	1:1 sessions	10 - 3	£65
Wed 28th – Fri 30th	Consultancy	1 - 3	£50

For more information, please contact Emma Ryall – Kids First Practice Manager
0208 4070746 or emma@wordsfirst.uk



Summer Camp 2019

OWCC will be running a camp during the summer holidays at the Whitgift Sports Club Ground. Please feel free to pass this on to any friends/family that might be interested in joining OWCC.

WWW.OLDWHITGIFTIANSCRICKETCLUB.COM/REGISTER/OWCC-SUMMER-CAMP-2019/

Boys & girls from the ages of U7-U13 are welcome to attend, the activities are designed to cater for a wide range of cricketers.

Dates: Monday 29th July 2019 – Friday 2nd August 2019

Timings: 9.00am – 3.30pm (drop off is between 9.00-9.30am)

Cost: £35 per day or £145 for the week.

Venue: Whitgift Sports Club, Croham Manor Road, South Croydon, CR2 7BG

**Bring snacks, a packed lunch and plenty of drinks (there will be water available throughout the day)*

**Discount(s) are available if more than 1 child from a family is attending*

If you have any questions please feel free to email –
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