



# INAMOS

Yateley Manor's Weekly Newsletter • In a Manner of Speaking

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## Next Week's Diary

### MONDAY

	World Book Day Book Sale
11.30am	Sports Council Meeting
4.45pm	Ypres Trip Briefing for Parents
5.30pm	Year 7 Parent/Pupil Counsels

### TUESDAY

	World Book Day Book Sale
11.30am	School Council Meeting
6.00pm	Music Recital for Exam Candidates

### WEDNESDAY

World Book Day Book Sale

### THURSDAY

	World Book Day Charity Dressing Up Day (see page 3)
8.50am	Year 4 Assembly (Year 4 parents invited)
4.15pm	Governors Meeting
4.35pm	Academic Team Leaders Meeting

### FRIDAY

2.30pm	Years 7 & 8 Art and Technology Afternoon
3.00pm	Minimus Latin Reading Competition at Portsmouth Grammar School
7.30pm	FYMS Quiz Night

## After School Clubs

After school clubs and coaches are running next week except:

**Thursday:** Swimming Squad Training due to IAPS swimming event

## Good Luck

Good luck to our swimmers who are taking part in the IAPS regional event next week.

## The Hub Gallery Opens

The new Hub Gallery was officially opened this week by the Headmaster. The gallery will be used to display children's artwork and the recent art project of some Year 5 children are the first to be featured. Year 5 parents were invited to enjoy a glass of Bucks Fizz while viewing the gallery on Wednesday evening during their parents' evening. Everyone was very impressed with the artwork on display.



We are looking forward to displaying other year groups' art in the future.

## Wellington College Young Singers Choral Day

Twenty-four members of the Chamber Choir visited Wellington College to take part in their Young Singers Choral Day.

The day was led by Peter Hunt, one of the UK's most respected choral trainers and conductors. With over thirty-five years' experience Peter was the inspiration behind the VOICEWORKS series of handbooks for singing and in 2005 he launched SONGSTREAM, a collection of arrangements for mixed voice young choirs with fellow English composer Bob Chilcott. He has specialised in leading singing projects in schools, conducting the Berkshire Youth Choirs and Early Years Music and is in demand as an adjudicator and vocal clinician.

The day concluded with a short concert for parents in Wellington College's Performing Arts Centre. It was a really fantastic opportunity for the children to work with choirs from a number of other schools under such an experienced vocal and choral coach.



## Time for Brains

Robert Upton's latest blog can be found on the School website. The following is a taster:

In 'The Wizard of Oz', the Scarecrow thinks he has no brain. In fact he is a highly reflective thinker and, given a little time to think, he produces some amazing solutions to problems. How true is this of many of us? Sometimes we all need some space to think.



To read the rest of this article and the Headmaster's other blog posts visit the website.

## Headmaster's Commendations

*Globe Cake:* **Olivia Baker**

## Pre-Prep Awards

*15 Star Certificate:* **Joey Alexander, Nicholas Perham**

*10 Star Certificate:* **Will Taylor, Finley Sperring, Lachlan MacIntryre**

*Reception Smiles:* **Aaron Ade, Nana Afful Acheampong, Annabel Barnes, Daniel Brunner, Ollie Chestnutt, Darcy Cornish, Joan Dunstan, Adhya Elipe, Brodie Innes, Sylvie Jones, Abigail Kidman, Lucius Li, Ruby Porter**

## Drama Masterclass

Please note that the Senior Drama Masterclass for Years 7 and 8 will not run for two weeks, Tuesday 3rd and Tuesday 10th March due to The Wonderful Wizard of Oz rehearsals. Masterclass will recommence on Tuesday 17th March.

## LAMDA Sessions

There will be no LAMDA classes during the week beginning 9th March and the week beginning 16th March due to rehearsals and performances of The Wonderful Wizard of Oz. LAMDA classes will recommence on Monday 23rd March.

## Early Years Funding

If your child was born between 1st April 2015 and 31st March 2017 you should have received the Hampshire County Council Parent Declaration forms in order to claim the Early Years Funding entitlement for the Summer 2020 term (subject to the conditions on the form). This form, along with the guidance notes, can also be found on [the school website](#).

This Parent Declaration form, together with the Nursery Session form (if applicable) is due to be returned to the school office by 28th February 2020. If you have not already done so, please complete the forms and return them to the school office as soon as possible to ensure your account is prepared correctly for the next term. Thank you.

## Lost Property

**Jacob Joyce (5AER)** has lost his named science folder. If you have seen it please let Jacob or Matron know.

Thank you.

## House Points and Bonuses

	Bonuses	House Points	Overall
Fyson	2nd =	4th	4th
Kingsley	4th	2nd	3rd
School	2nd =	3rd	2nd
Stanley	1st	1st	1st

Bonus Point Winner: Stanley

House Point Winner: Stanley

Overall Winner: Stanley

## Year 4 Assembly

The Year 4 assembly will take place on World Book Day, next Thursday 5th March. Year 4 parents are invited to join us for assembly and refreshments will be served in The Hub for those who are able to stay.

## Environment Poster Competition Exhibition

Nine of the posters entered by Yateley Manor children into the Yateley Town Council's Climate Change poster competition have been chosen to be displayed in an exhibition which will take place at Yateley School this Saturday, 29th February between 11am and 3pm.

If you would like to see the posters or find out how the local development plan will help to tackle climate change please do visit the exhibition.

## Royal Academy Art Summer Show

The Royal Academy of Arts Young Artists Summer Show is an opportunity for children aged 5 to 19 to exhibit their work online and at the Royal Academy. Children are invited to submit up to three artworks for consideration. A panel of artists, art experts and curators will judge the works in key stage groups and the selected artworks will be shown in an online exhibition and an exhibition at the Royal Academy. Judges will also award prizes for two inspiring artworks from each key stage.

Artworks must be submitted to the Royal Academy by Friday 24th April 2020 and the exhibitions will open on Sunday 12th July.

Visit the Royal Academy website to see a [brief film about the Summer Show](#) and to see the [2019 online exhibition](#). If you are interested in submitting artwork please see Mrs Hayter.

## Music Recital

The Music Recital for exam candidates will take place on Tuesday 3rd March at 6.00pm in Manor Place Hall.

Parents will need to enter the school through the pedestrian side gate beside the Nursery, which will be unlocked, and walk across to Manor Place.

Mrs Gough will be running a music practice club between 4.35pm and 5.25pm that evening. This is only open to children who are taking part in the Recital but is entirely optional.

Children who are remaining at school between the end of school and the recital, should come to the Music School after clubs, at 5:15pm, and Mrs Hustler will supervise them. If children are planning to stay at school for a club they may bring a packed tea from home which they can eat at this time. Please remember that the tea must be nut free and please no fizzy drinks or sweets.

We are looking forward to a lovely relaxed evening of music.

## Congratulations to ...

**Sam Reader, Harry Phillips, Alex Purslow** and **James Harvey** who along with past pupils **Isaac Marriage** and **Henry Gillam** won the U13 Tournament Cup at Eversley indoor cricket centre. It was a particularly impressive victory as they were up against some much older players. Well done boys.



## Happy Birthday

Daniel Brunner 5  
Matteo Drago 11  
Siraj Hussain 13  
Maniska Khadka 8  
Maulik Khadka 8  
Pip Mason 4  
Edward Skerry 4  
Felix Woolledge 6



## Chess Players Wanted

Hampshire Junior Chess Association is looking for players for its Under 11 and Under 9 mixed teams and its Under 11 Girls team.

The Under-11 team (born after 31-August 2008) has a day match for 20 players at Cox Green School, Maidenhead on 7th March.

The Under-9 team (born after 31st August 2010) has a day match for 16 players at Cantell School, Southampton on 14th March.

The Under-11 girls team (born after 31-August 2008) has a day of matches for 12 girls on 21st March.

All these are EPSCA matches.

If you are interested please contact [John Upham](#), Hampshire Junior Chess Association and for more information visit [Hampshire Junior Chess Association](#) and [EPSCA](#).

## FYMS

**FYMS End of Term Discos:** Please note that the date for the FYMS end of term discos has changed. Discos will now take place on the penultimate day of term, **Thursday 26th March** not on the last day of term as published in the school calendar. Timings of the discos remain unaltered.

### Other Dates for your Diary

Pre-Prep Easter Egg Hunt

Thursday 26th March

May Fair

Saturday 16th May 2020

**Carnival Processions:** FYMS have been given the opportunity to be in the processions for both the Hartley Wintney Festival and Fleet Carnival Processions. For more information and to register interest in your child taking part in these visit the [FYMS Facebook page](#).

**Helpers Needed:** FYMS still need volunteers to help at the Quiz night and at the end of term discos. If you are able to help please email [Natalie Harris-Briggs](#).

## Usborne Book Sale

A reminder that World Book Day will be celebrated at Yateley Manor with our annual Book Fair between Monday 2nd and Wednesday 4th March.

Vouchers worth £1 have been distributed and these may be used at participating bookshops or with Usborne Publishing at our Book Fair in Manor Court.

Manor Court will be accessible to parents to view books at drop off and pick up times up until 4.35pm. There is no need to sign in at Reception but we ask that parents do not go beyond Manor Court.

## Year and Tutor Group Photographs

All photographs ordered by the deadline have now arrived in school. Photos for children in Nursery to Year 4 have been distributed to their respective classrooms.

Photos for children in Years 5 to 8 will be available for collection from School Reception from Monday.

Orders may still be placed online using the log in details which are on the proof envelope but postage will now need to be paid.

## Charity Dressing Up Day

To celebrate World Book Day next Thursday, 5th March, all children from Nursery to Year 8 are invited to come to school dressed as any character from a book. Dressing up is open to all children but is entirely optional.

In exchange we ask for a donation of £2 which will go to the Yateley Manor charity of the year, BIBS (Babies in Buscot Support). We are looking forward to seeing who the children come dressed as.

We ask that children should be **dressed appropriately for school**.



### LUNCHTIME MENU: SPRING TERM

WEEK 8 w/c 2<sup>nd</sup> March



	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	Soup of the Day	Soup of the Day	Soup of the Day	Soup of the Day	Soup of the Day
MAIN COURSE	Chicken Fajitas	Honey Roasted Gammon	Spaghetti Bolognaise	Thai Chicken	Battered Fish
VEGETARIAN OPTION	Vegetarian Fajitas	Cauliflower Cheese Bake topped with Garlic Crumb	Tomato and Basil Pasta Bake	Thai Green Vegetable Curry	Butternut and Squash Filo Pie
SIDES	Guacamole, Rice, Grated Cheese, Sour Cream	Baby Roast Potatoes, Carrots, Courgettes	Broccoli, Crudities, Garlic Bread	Braised Rice, Stir Fried Vegetables	Chipped Potatoes, Baked Beans and Garden Peas
DESSERTS	Fruit Shortbread	Bread and Butter Pudding with Cream	Lemon Meringue	Banana Cake and Custard	Fresh Fruit Salad
AVAILABLE DAILY	Jacket Potatoes and Fillings, Salad Bar Cut Fresh Fruit and Homemade Yoghurt with Assorted Fruit Toppings				



## Next week's fixture list

Wednesday	2.30pm <b>Sports Enrichment Programme</b> for Years 5 to 8
Thursday	2.00pm IAPS <b>Swimming</b> Qualifying Gala at Crosfields School (coach leaves 1.15pm & returns approx 5.00pm)
Friday	1.30pm Hampshire Primary Schools <b>Swimming</b> Championships U11 at Hart Leisure Centre (coach leaves 12.55pm & returns 4.30pm)
Saturday	9.00am IAPS National <b>Basketball</b> Championships U11 at Sevenoaks School (meet Mr Daines at Sevenoaks at 8.30am) 1.00pm IAPS National <b>Basketball</b> Championships U13 at Sevenoaks School (meet Mr Daines at Sevenoaks at 12.15pm)

## Sports Enrichment Programme

The Years 5 to 8 Sports Enrichment Programme began this week and the children had a fantastic afternoon taking part in some exciting activities.

Year 6 travelled to Chertsey for an afternoon at Top Golf while Years 7 and 8 took part in adventure games. Year 5s were able to choose between Laser Run, Triathlon, and



Aeroball and Climbing on the new school equipment donated by FYMS.

Next week the groups will rotate around the activities so everyone will have the chance to try something new.



## Alex Hibbert Polar Explorer

If you would still like to purchase a copy of one of Alex Hibbert's books at the reduced price please make sure that your orders are given to Rachel Arris on Monday morning as she will be completing the order then. An email with full information was sent to parents of children in Years 3, 4, 5, 7 and 8 on 12th February.

## Sports Matches

The Sports Enrichment Programme began for children in Years 5 to 8 so there were no sports matches on Wednesday for the Year 5 to 8 teams.

Our Year 3, 4 and 5 swimming squad travelled to Crosfield for a friendly swimming gala. A report on this and on all the netball and rugby matches played on the Friday before half term [can be found here](#).

Reports on both the IAPS U11 and the IAPS U13 netball tournaments will be in next week's INAMOS.

## Thank You to .....

**The Salvage Family (Bunny)** for their donation of toys, books and games for Nursery and Pre-Prep.

## National Schools U19 Chess Championships

**Yateley Manor A 1½ Eton College A 4½**

Our run in the U19 National Schools Chess Championships came to an end after a defeat by Eton College.

The team tried very hard, but were not able to match the maturity of the opposition on the day.

**Andrew Kirby** scored an excellent victory on Board One, playing faultless chess and **Daniel Shek** made a fighting draw on Board Two. Well done everyone!

Congratulations to: **Andrew Kirby, Daniel Shek, Guy Miller, Shourya Patre, Leon Towell, Fraser Gibbs**

## IAPS U11 Regional Netball Tournament

Congratulations to the U11 netball team for their excellent performance in the IAPS U11 Regional Netball Tournament. The girls won three of their four group stage matches, finishing in second place in their group, qualifying for the knockout stages. The team's run ended in the quarter finals but the team played some of their best netball this season.

Very well done girls.

A full match report will be in next week's edition of INAMOS.

