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Next Week's Diary

MONDAY

- Individual and Sibling Photographs
- 7.00pm Reading Workshop for Parents of Children in Years 3 and 4

TUESDAY

- Individual and Sibling Photographs
- 1.30pm Health and Safety Meeting

WEDNESDAY

- 9.00am Year 5 Geography Field Trip to Yateley Common
- 7.00pm 'A Look at Life in Years 7 and 8' Talk for parents of children in Years 3 to 6

THURSDAY

- 9.00am National Poetry Day
- 4.00pm Parents' Evening for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2
- 6.00pm Governors' Meeting

FRIDAY

- 8.00am FYMS Bags 2 School Textile Collection
- World Mental Health Day (see below)

SATURDAY

- 7.30pm FYMS Barn Dance

After School Clubs

After school clubs and coaches will be running next week except:

Tuesday: Basketball, Laser Run

Friday: Pre-Prep Chess, Open Chess (due to chess match)

Years 7 and 8's Paralympian Visit

During their enrichment afternoon on Thursday, Years 7 and 8 were really fortunate to meet Paralympic Rugby Gold Medalist Kylie Grimes and to hear her incredibly inspirational story. A story of resilience, determination and positivity.

Kylie was a very active sportswoman in her teens competing in rugby, show jumping and netball before suffering a life changing injury in her late teens. She did not let this prevent her from pursuing her dreams and this summer travelled to Tokyo for the Paralympics.

Kylie is the only female member of the Great Britain (mixed) Paralympic Rugby team and is the first woman to win a rugby gold medal. After all taking their turn to hold her gold medal the senior pupils had plenty of interesting and insightful questions!

We are very grateful to Kylie for giving up her time to speak to years 7 and 8 and show them what determination and resilience can achieve.



Carpe Diem (Seize the Day)

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

We all have times when we feel like giving up - when our jobs feel too hard or our relationships feel too stretched or life just feels too challenging. Of course, our children are sometimes going to feel this way too. When our children are struggling, how can we teach them determination and perseverance? How can we help our children to build the character that comes through perseverance? What do we say when our children feel like giving up?



[To read the rest of this article click here.](#)

[To view other blog posts visit the Headmaster's Blog page of the school website.](#)

World Mental Health Day - Friday 8th October

To mark World Mental Health Day on Friday 8th October we will be supporting [Young Minds](#), a children's mental health charity.

As part of their #hellyellow campaign we ask children to come to school wearing a yellow accessory such as a tie, socks, hair ribbon, etc and in exchange we ask for a £2 donation to Young Minds.

The mental health of many children and young people has suffered over the last 18 months. Let us raise funds for this excellent charity and show young people that they are not alone with their mental health.



Headmaster's Commendations

English - Letter Writing: **Sophie Kleiber, Carry Milligan Croisdale-Appleby, Zach Mockett, Caitlyn Nica**

Mandarin Lesson: **Henry Huang**

Butser Ancient Farm Recout:

Gianna Alexander, Joey Alexander, Jessica Green, Maisie Sigley, Dougie Walley

Excellent Effort in Writing Activities:

Jake Brown

Pre-Prep Awards

10 Star Certificate: **Evie Lee, Caitlyn Nica**

Reception Smiles: **Leo Batcheler, Katelyn Kirichenko, Jacob Perry**

Stars of the Week

RAH: **Rory Burke**

RSB: **Austin Pickup**

1JAV: **Callum Maclean**

1SLD: **Darcey Bilcliff**

2GHC: **Elizabeth Gasser**

2LAH: **Sylvie Jones**

Individual and Sibling Photographs

On Monday and Tuesday next week the children will be having their individual and sibling group photographs taken.

Those children who are having a sibling group photo will have been given the time of their photograph by their form tutor.

All children will also have an individual photo taken and children will go to the Gym with the rest of their tutor group for these. Children will again be given the time for their photo by their form tutor.

Please ensure that children come to school in their full uniform, **including blazers**.

They may also bring in their own brush or comb for their hair if necessary.

Photographs are taken with jumpers off and blazers on. School colours and badges can be worn on blazer lapels, but any non-school related badges should be removed. Hair should be worn as per the school rules.

Harvest Festival Celebration

The school community will be celebrating Harvest Festival on Friday 15th October.

We are not sure at the moment what form our celebrations will be able to take but we will definitely, once again, be collecting donations of fruit, vegetables and store cupboard items. These will be distributed to people in our local community who are in need. More information will be available nearer the time.

House Points and Bonuses

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

Prep Bonus Point Winner: School

Prep House Point Winner: Kingsley

Prep Overall Winner: Kingsley

Pre-Prep House Point Winner: School

A Look at Life in Years 7 and 8 - next week

Following on from Monday's 'No Ceiling on Learning - Year 7 and 8 Curriculum Explored', Robert Upton will be leading a meeting entitled A Look at Life in Years 7 and 8 on Wednesday 6th October at 7.00pm. Please note that this is a change to the date published in the calendar.

This meeting looks more at the pupil's perspective of the whole experience of Life in Years 7 & 8 including extracurricular, the enrichment programme, leadership, citizenship and the Yateley Manor Awards Scheme. Some of our current Year 8 pupils will also be at the meeting and parents will have the opportunity to hear from them and ask them questions.

The meeting is aimed particularly at parents of children in Years 3 to 6 but is open to anyone and children are welcome to watch too.

If you would like to attend this meeting please complete and [submit the form using this link](#) or email [Penny Charles](#).

Years 7 and 8 Question and Answer Session

Robert Upton, Simon Head, Claire Thompson and Julie Callan will be hosting a Zoom Question and Answer session on Monday 18th October for parents considering Years 7 and 8 for their children. Rather than a formal presentation, this is an opportunity for parents to ask questions on anything such as entrance exams, the curriculum, the enrichment programme, Yateley Manor Award Scheme, Leadership or PSHE. If you would like to attend this session, [please complete the form that can be found here](#).

Reading Workshop for Parents of Years 3 & 4

The Reading Workshop for the parents of children in Years 3 and 4 will take place next Monday, 4th October at 7.00pm.

The aim of the workshop is to explain how reading will be covered in school and how you can support your child at home. It is scheduled to last approximately 45 minutes. A link to this meeting will be sent home to parents on Monday morning.

Congratulations to ...

Evelyn Wilson (6CD)

who, last Saturday, had her first lesson as a Junior Associate of the Royal Ballet School in London. Very well done, **Evelyn**. We hope you enjoy your lessons there. .



Happy Birthday to ...

Will Cater 6
Ellie Chapman 8
Eta Chick 10
Thomas Gasser 9
Jamal Idowu-Fearon 7
Isaac Neville 12
Phoebe Pickup 8
Toby Sherwin 12



Inter-House Poetry Competition

Children and parents are reminded that the Inter-House Poetry Competition will be taking place next week so there are only a few days left for the children to perfect the lines of their poems.

Children will be given the opportunity to perform their poems during English lessons next week and they will be assessed on poetry challenge, clarity, expression and engagement, and memory.

Everyone who takes part will earn points for their house as well as developing their public speaking abilities and confidence.

We look forward to a lovely week of poetry and performance.

Dyslexia Awareness Week

Next week, 4th to 10th October, is Dyslexia Awareness Week and we will be raising awareness of 'invisible dyslexia' throughout the week.

To find out more about dyslexia and 'invisible dyslexia' visit the [British Dyslexia Association website](#).

Friends of Yateley Manor School

Bags 2 School – Friday 8th October

Our next collection will be on Friday 8th October from 8.00am-8.30am in front of Manor Court. Please note that we now only accept clothes and shoes (no uniform, bedding or towels). We ask you to use black bin bags please and ensure that the bags are tied.

Please do not drop off anything to School Reception ahead of the event. If you cannot make the drop off, please let one of the FYMS team know by emailing fyms@mail.com

Barn Dance – Saturday 9th October

With just over a week to go until the barn dance, there are only two tickets remaining! Do not miss out on a fun night of dancing to a live band, a delicious BBQ and the chance to win a raffle prize. Just head over to the [FYMS events site](#) to book your tickets. See you on 9th October

Pre-Prep Christmas Cards

Following last years' success, FYMS are once again partnering with IQ Cards in their Christmas fundraiser to print your child's designs onto high quality stationery including Greeting Cards, Postcards, Gift Wrap and, Sticky Gift Labels with the funds raised through your purchases benefiting the school.

For Nursery and Pre-Prep children, the designs will be created in school and sent home shortly. All orders must be placed by Friday 8th October. If you wish to create additional designs, spare cards for decorating are available in School Reception.

For any Prep children wishing to participate, please collect a design card from Jo or PJ in Reception and return with your order by Friday, 8th October at the latest. If you have any questions please email fyms@mail.com.

Yateley Manor Holiday Club

The Autumn Half Term Holiday Club and the Nursery Extended Care will run as follows:

Monday 25th October - Friday 29th October

Monday 1st November - Friday 5th November

Bookings will open on Friday 8th October and friends and family of Yateley Manor School are welcome. There will be an array of activities including tennis coaching, playball and swimming, subject to lifeguard availability. Please note children have to arrive before 9.30am or entry will not be possible and pickup is not before 4.00pm. Nursery children may be collected at any time. [Visit the holiday club page of the school website to book.](#)

Menu week commencing 4th October

PALMER & HOWELLS

Yateley Manor School

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Beef Bolognaise	Pulled Pork	Roasted Plum Tomato & Basil Pasta	Butter Chicken	Battered Fish
Wild Mushroom Bake	BBQ Vegetables	House Made Pesto Pasta	Curried Cauliflower	Roasted Aubergine
Jacket Potato Choice of Topping	Jacket Potato Choice of Toppings	Jacket Potato Choice of Toppings	Jacket Potato Choice of Toppings	Jacket Potato Choice of Toppings
Spaghetti Herb Bread Fine Beans	Parsley Crushed Potato Cabbage Caramelized Onion	Shredded Turkey House Garlic Bread Confit Garlic Leeks	Brown Rice Savoy Cabbage Sweet Potatoes	Chips Garden Peas House Tartar Sauce
Salad Bar	Salad Bar	Salad Bar	Salad Bar	Salad Bar
Dessert Selection	Dessert Selection	Dessert Selection	Dessert Selection	Dessert Selection

Freshly Bread, Seasonal Salads, Fresh Fruit are available daily

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Independent School Caterers



Next week's fixture list

Saturday	8.30am IAPS U13 Southern Football Qualifiers Tournament (7-a-side) at Moultsford Prep 8.30am St George's Windsor U10 Football Tournament (7-a-side)
Sunday	12.30pm Bradfield U10 Football Tournament (6-a-side)
Tuesday	10.00am IAPS U11 Southern Football Qualifiers Tournament (7-a-side), Trinity School, Croydon (leaving school at 7.45am)
Wednesday	Football v Sherfield U10A Home, 1st XI, U11A Away Hockey v Crosfields U10A, U11/U10B, U11./U10C & U10D Home at Yateley Hockey Club, U13A, U11A & U11B Away
Friday	2.45pm Bradfield U10 Hockey Tournament with a Masterclass beforehand at 1.15pm (leaving 11.30am) 5.00pm Chess v St Catherine's, Bramley Away

Sorry Sam

We apologise to **Sam Poole** whose goal in last week's U11A match was wrongly attributed to someone else. Sorry **Sam** and well done!

Winter Uniform Reminders

Parents are reminded that all pupils should be in winter uniform for the second half of the Autumn Term and throughout the Spring Term.

- Girls' uniform for children up to Year 6 is the school kilt (or school pinafore for Year 1, Reception, and Nursery girls), white shirt, school tie and grey pullover with plain grey socks or tights and black shoes.
- Boys' uniform for children up to Year 6 is grey trousers or shorts, white shirt, school tie and grey pullover with plain grey socks and black shoes.
- Variations apply to the Nursery and Reception, senior school pupils and prefects.
- All pupils should look smart and tidy.

Please also remember to clearly name all uniform so that it can be returned to the owner if it gets lost. It is impossible to reunite unnamed items of uniform with their owner.

Lost Property

Tishya Bhattacharjee, Wil Cantelo and **Niamh Lumpkin** have lost their blazers, **Miguel Simoes Da Silva** has lost his red school coat and **Maisie Sigley** her school swimming costume. These items are all named.

Would parents please check their children's blazers, red coats and swimming kits to make sure that they have not picked up the wrong one by mistake
Thank you.

Chess Fixtures

Please note that chess fixtures and chess team sheets are now on SOCS. The password for chess teamsheets is the same as for sports matches.

Matches

Junior Football Fixtures (Friday 24th September)

The Year 3 and 4 boys played against Crosfields last Friday with mixed results. Everyone worked really hard, gave 100% and should be very proud of their efforts.

U9A lost 0 – 7

U9B lost 0 – 5

U9C lost 1 – 5 **Rex Macoraghty-Mines**

U8A won 7 - 2 **Niryan Toor** (4), **Albert Bilcliff** (3)

U8A won 10 - 0 **Will Taylor** (7), **Freddie Andrews** (2), **Isaac Perry**

U8C lost 0 - 7

Three Year 4 boys scored hat-tricks including an incredible seven goals for **Will Taylor** who is now in the lead in the race for the Golden Boot.

Junior Hockey Fixtures (Friday 24th September)

After a difficult afternoon the U9A and U9/U8B matches did not take place and the girls returned to school for a training session.

The U8A and U9/U8C team played teams from Eagle House and St Neot's with the U8A winning 2 - 0 against Eagle House with goals from **Rose Symcox** and **Phoebe Pickup** and losing 0 - 1 against St Neot's.

The U9/U8C team had a tough game against Eagle House and lost 0 - 2.

Wednesday Football Fixtures

All the boys in Years 5 and 6 who wanted to play in a match were able to do so on Wednesday. Although all six of the matches were very close, Yateley Manor secured six wins and conceded only five goals. This is a fantastic set of results which shows the quality of our defence and how well the goalkeepers are doing. Our goal tally of sixteen across the games also demonstrates the hard work of our midfield and forwards. A really great set of results boys, well done. Goals were scored by **Milo Montford, Lucas Neville (2), Alex Nash, Kaio Santino (2), Sam Codd, James Stuart-King, Charlie Sutton (2), Harry Hennessy, Samuel Butler, Jasper Dobson, Maulik Khadka, Tanay Patel** (and an own goal).

Wednesday Hockey Fixtures

The Senior and Year 5 and 6 girls took on Daneshill on Wednesday. The senior team had a fantastic afternoon beating two Daneshill teams 3 – 0 and 4 – 0. Goals were scored by **Hope Horne (2), Honor Middleton (2), Sophie Boston, Hazel Tennant** and **Erin Harris**.

The U11A drew their match with a great goal from **Matilda Upfold** and the U11B, thanks to **Carys Marriage and Isla Gillett's** goals, secured a 2 – 1 win in a thrilling game. It was a tough afternoon for the U10A losing 1 – 4 despite **Clara Goodby's** great consolation goal and for the U11/U10C who, although they put up a good fight, lost 0 - 3. **Farah Knight's** goal helped the U11/U10B to a 1 – 1 draw and the U10D remain unbeaten this season with a 1 – 0 win, thanks to **Charlotte Clark's** goal.