

Next Week's Diary

MONDAY - 1ST MAY

May Bank Holiday (school closed)

TUESDAY - 2ND MAY

Perform Drama Workshops for Pre-Prep
Food Committee Meeting - 10.30am

WEDNESDAY - 3RD MAY

U13A Mixed Cricket (hb) v Oratory Prep (H) - 2.15pm
13 Girls' Cricket v Eagle House (H) - 2.30pm
U11A&B (hb) C (ib) Mixed Cricket v LVS Ascot (A) - 2.30pm
U10A (hb), U10B&C (ib) Mixed Cricket v Oratory Prep (H) - 2.15pm

THURSDAY - 4TH MAY

FYMS Committee Meeting - 7.30pm

FRIDAY - 5TH MAY

The Big Bash - am
Coronation Celebration - 2.30pm -4.15pm

No clubs or late coach for Pre-Prep or Prep pupils this evening. Coaches at 4.30pm (no 5.40pm coaches or early shuttle bus) All children (including Nursery) must be collected by 4.30pm

Ypres 2023

Head of History and RS, Neil Davis, describes the thought-provoking recent visit to Ypres.

After lots of planning and a COVID cancellation, Yateley Manor School finally got to go back to the place that Winston Churchill called on all members of this country to visit for themselves, the city of Ypres.

[Read more here](#)

[Photos from the trip can be found here](#)



All Clubs are on this week except:

Tuesday: No Year 6-8 Maths Club

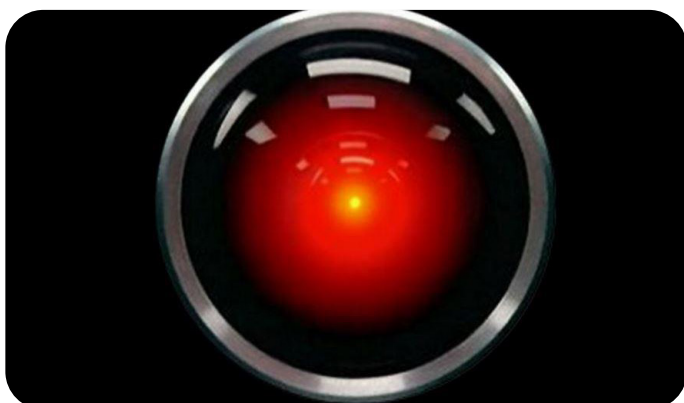
Friday: No After School Clubs or Late Supervision in Pre-Prep and Prep

Pause for thought

Open the pod bay doors, HAL

School staff, children, and parents use technology daily and it has become an essential element of teaching and learning in recent years. Yet, familiarity with educational technology hides a transformation occurring behind the scenes: so many forms of technology used in education today are beginning to incorporate artificial intelligence (AI) system.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Many happy returns to the following children who have birthdays coming up:

Aaron A (3PT) - 8
Jacques N (RAH) - 5
Jan K (1SLD) - 6
Angelina O (6BCS) - 11
Khaleesi S (3HJ) - 8

RECEPTION SMILES



Ollie B
Hera S
Robyn V
Aurelia C
Dominic F
Zoé G
Jacques N
Rory M
Alex D
Octavia M

HOUSE POINTS



	PRE - PREP HOUSE POINTS	PREP HOUSE POINTS
FYSON	3RD	1ST
KINGSLEY	1ST	3RD
SCHOOL	4TH	4TH
STANLEY	1ST	2ND

STARS OF THE WEEK



RAH: Joy B
RSB: Robyn V
1SLD: Beau S
1JAV: Grace B
2LAH: Catherine C
2VMN: Heidi L

GOLD STARS



30 GOLD STARS

Rupert G
Valentina A

Lunch menu for next week

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Soup	Soup of the Day	Soup of the Day	Soup of the Day	Soup of the Day	Soup of the Day
Main Event	Bank Holiday	Grilled Paprika and Lime Chicken	Pizza Theme day	Roasted Turkey	American Style Hot Dog
Vegetarian Section	Bank Holiday	Grilled Halloumi	Pizza Theme Day	Spinach and Crusted Potato Cake	Quorn Nuggets
Sides	Bank Holiday	Char Grilled Flatbread Houmous Warm Greek Salad Diced Potatoes	Pizza Theme Day	Roasted Potatoes Mixed Vegetables Yorkshire Pudding Gravy	Chips Baked Beans
Extras	Bank Holiday	Hot Pasta Bar	Daily Salad Selection Jacket Bar	Hot Pasta Bar	Daily Salad Selection Jacket Bar
Dessert	Bank Holiday	Dessert of the Day	Dessert of the Day	Dessert of the Day	Dessert of the Day

Holiday Club

The May Half Term Holiday Club and Nursery Holiday Club will run from Tuesday 30th May to Friday 2nd June 2023. Bookings will open on Wednesday 3rd May 2023 at 10.00am and bookings may be made for any combination of days. Holiday Club from Reception to Year 8 is open to friends and family of Yateley Manor School. The Nursery Holiday Club is for current Yateley Manor children only.

Exam Timetables for Year 5, 6, and 7

Please click on [Year 5](#), [Year 6](#) and [Year 7](#) for the exam timetables

For your information, the **Year 8** French Speaking exam will take place on **Thursday 25th May 2023**.

Year 8 exams will take place on **Tuesday 6th June**, **Wednesday 7th June** and **Thursday 8th June**.

A detailed timetable and revision booklet for Year 8 will follow nearer the time.

Watersports Club

Our new Watersports Club started last Friday afternoon. The children had lots of fun in their canoes and are looking forward to trying out other activities over the summer.



Coronation Picnic Invitation here on the Headmaster's Lawn on Friday 5th May 2.30pm - 4.15pm
Click [here](#) for more details

Gardening club

Gardening club started this week for children in Years 3-6. We scattered wildflower seeds across some areas of the nature reserve. We also prepared some planters and planted our seed potatoes. Hopefully we will get some lovely "before and after" photos as the weeks go on! The children are really excited to continue planting and enjoy being in the nature reserve.

Henrietta Jenkins



FYMS Corner

FYMS May Fair 2023!

We have a few new events planned for this year's Fair, see below for the details.

Cake Decorating Workshops

We are now taking bookings for our cake decorating workshops, which are being led by Mrs Hayter. Full details are available on our website. Judging of the best cake will take place late afternoon and you are free to take your creations home with you.

Bake Off Showstopper

We are inviting our creative bakers to bake a show stopping cake, to be judged at the May Fair. After requests from parents we are also accepting entries from both adults and children. The cakes will be judged at 1pm, with prizes up for grabs for the winners. The cakes will then be sold on our refreshment stand.

Jakes Farm

The lovely Jacki and her team will be running a small handling session for us. They will be bringing with them rabbits, guinea pigs, a small tortoise, a few rare breed chickens, stick insects and centipedes for the children to handle. No need to book in advance, but there will be a queuing system in place so as not to overwhelm the animals.

Raffle Tickets

Raffle tickets should have come home in bags this week and as always there is a Smyths voucher for the child who sells the most tickets! Additional books of tickets can be obtained from Jo and PJ. Spares can be handed back to them as well.

We look forward to seeing you there!



Congratulations and Well done!

Well done **Annabel B** who was awarded most improved girl and **Caitlyn N** the coach's player of the season. Both girls play in the U8s at Yateley Hockey Club.

Several Year 7 girls were part of the CN U12 Netball Team that comfortably won gold medals in Division 8 of the Junior Wavell League, not losing one game all season. Well done to **Michelle A, Evie N, Annabelle S** and **Matilda U**!

Kayleigh H in Year 8 who plays for Panthers U13 Netball Team, achieved a silver medal in division 6 of the Wavell Junior League, well done Kayleigh!

Speech Day 6th July 2023

We are very much looking forward to Speech Day on the final day of term on the Headmaster's lawn. Children from Year 1 upwards will all be attending the event. All children should arrive at school at their usual time. The event will start at **10.00am** and drinks will be served to parents afterwards. Term will end for all children at **12.30pm**. There will be no after school bus service. As we are expecting a large number of people to attend, families are advised to book tickets in advance. Tickets will be made available shortly.

Nursery

This week the children were excited to hear about Miss Emma's sky dive that she took part in last weekend. The children watched the video and asked lots of questions about how it felt jumping from the aeroplane. The children enjoyed playing with miniature parachute toys which they dropped from different heights. Miss Emma has raised over £400 for the charity MDS UK Patient Support Group in memory of her uncle.

Karen Barber



Reception

Reception were lucky enough to have a visit from Lieutenant Colonel Dodge this morning. She told them all about the recent Sovereign's Parade and meeting King Charles. They were excited to hear about the preparations and the ceremony.

The children were also enthralled to hear about her uniform, her medals, sword and life at the Royal Academy. It has been the perfect kick start to our Coronation celebrations.

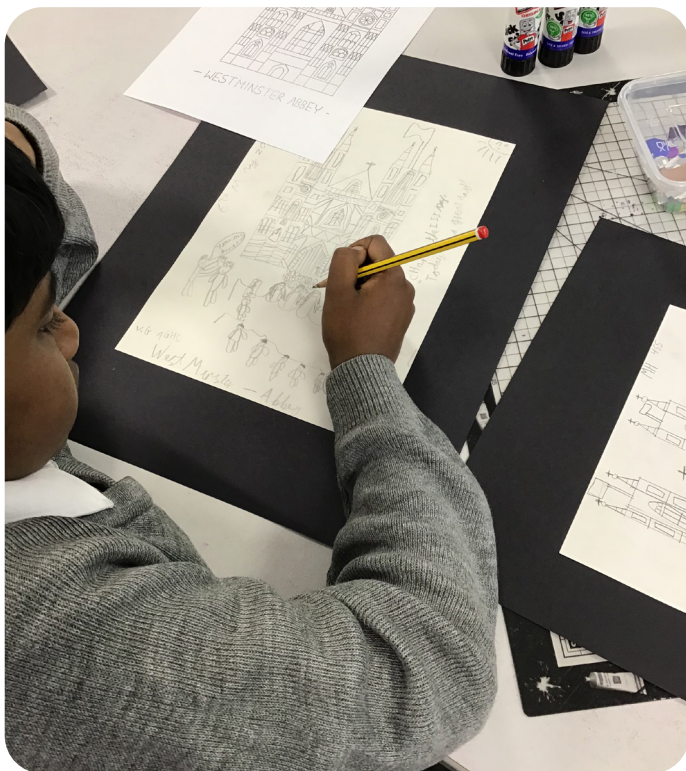
Angie Hall



Year 4

In Art, Year 4 have been looking at the detail of Westminster Abbey in preparation for the coronation.

Georgie Carrig



Year 5

Mrs Upton's Year 5 class have been investigating pulley systems and how they can make a mass easier to lift. They have tried adding counterweights and measuring the force required to lift the mass using a Newton Meter.

Henrietta Jenkins



Year 5

Our Year 5 Drama classes are jetting off to space this term! The children had a great time discussing and planning how they would feel on a rocket ship on a mission to find new worlds. Small groups then devised the lift off sequence - complete with soundscapes - and the moment they entered zero gravity. Next week we discover new planets and encounter the lifeforms within....wish us luck!

Erin Austin



Year 8

Children in Year 8 class concluded their Videogame topic by designing their own Videogame covers and persuasive blurbs and then competing against each other in an exciting 'Blurb Off'. The children spent last term learning about persuasive techniques, descriptive writing, and the use of colours and imagery to create atmosphere and mood in their own Videogame covers. We had some very impressive entries ranging from Japanese horror themes to cutesy Peppa Pig themes. Much fun was had by all, and the children really demonstrated the development of their skills both in their writing and in their creativity.

Erin Austin

