



Peartree Spring Primary School Newsletter — 20/06/2025

School Meals

KS2 children - The price of a school meal is £3.45 per day, £17.25 per week, unless your child is in receipt of Free School Meals. Ordering your child's lunches and payments are to be made via SchoolGrid. **Please note** - children's meals **MUST** be paid for in advance, unless you have set up a direct debit with SchoolGrid. **SchoolGrid** - If your child is absent from school due to illness, it is the parent's responsibility to cancel their own child's lunch by 8.50am on the day, otherwise you may incur a charge for the meal.

Special Dietary Requirements - Please be advised that if your child has any special dietary requirements, you will need to apply for a special menu for your child directly through Hertfordshire Catering Limited (HCL). Special menus available include Dairy Free, Vegan, Egg Free & Vegetarian, Pork Free, Beef Free, Beef & Pork Free and Pescetarian. To apply, simply go to <https://specialmenu.hcl.co.uk>

REMINDER - Due to some of our children having severe nut allergies, please do not put items in your child's packed lunch box that contains nuts, this includes Nutella.

Free School Meals - If you think that your child/ren could be entitled to Free School Meals please apply directly through the HCC Website - www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals.

PE Noticeboard



Sports Day - Well done to all the pupils/staff that took part in the event on Wednesday - a fun time was had by all and luckily the weather was kind to us. Reception, Years 1 and 2 Sports Day (weather permitting) are being held on

Wednesday 2nd July - Reception @ 9.30am Years 1 & 2 @ 1.30pm

Please contact the class teacher via the class email account if you are not sure what team your child is in. **Only the main pedestrian and School Close gates will be open for entry.** Please ensure your child brings in a named water bottle, sun hat and sun cream (if required) for this event.

NOTICES



School Uniform - If your child/ren require new uniform for the next academic year, please can we ask parents to place uniform orders **NO LATER** than **Friday 18th July 2025** via **Schoolgateway**. Due to limited stock, parents are required to pre-order items. Please can we also ask that you only order a maximum of 3 of the same item in the first instance for your child. Parents will be able to order more uniform in September 2025. Thank you.

Free School Meals - If your child is moving from Year 2 into Year 3 in September and you believe that your child is entitled to free school meals, you will need to re-apply as entitlement is not automatically renewed. Please apply online now at www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals to ensure that your child's free school meal entitlement is in place for September 2025.



Community - St Mary's Church Fete - **Saturday 5th July 2025** from **11am to 2pm**, in the churchyard behind the Old Red Lion Pub. All children's sideshows at affordable prices with a prize every time. Hope to see you there.



Year 6 events - A letter with further information regarding end of term events for Year 6 children has been emailed to parents today.

Wednesday Workshops - Please see information below regarding Wednesday workshops:

2nd July - no workshops due to sports days

9th July - no workshop for Squirrel Class due to school trip



Late Arrivals - A reminder that children who arrive after the start of the school day must be signed in at the school office by a parent/carer.



Warmer weather - Please can we remind parents to ensure that children come into school wearing sun cream and a hat when the weather is hot.

Events - This week, lots of children have participated in various events, including: Rainforest Class visit to Whipsnade, Years 4, 5 & 6 Athletics at Ridlins, Rainbowfish Class Scooterbility, Years 3/4/5 & 6 Sports Day, Stevenage Parliament (Head boy and girl), Year 6 visit to Crucial Crew and a Fun in the Sun event at Fairlands Valley.

June 2025

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Ladybird Class visit to Mead Open Farm Desert Class Swimming Science Week	Year 6 Barclays Bank workshop	Bumblebee Class visit to Mead Open Farm Stevenage Primary Schools Festival (Choir children only)	Butterfly Class visit to Mead Open Farm Jellyfish Class Assembly @ 9.15am via Livestorm Rainforest Class Swimming Thames Class Pedestrian Skills Science Evening from 5pm to 7pm - please book tickets via Eventbrite.	Savannah Class Swimming		
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Desert Class Swimming						

July 2025

	1	2	3	4	5	6
	Hedgehog Class visit to Gullivers Amazon Class Pedestrian Skills	Reception Sports Day @ 9.30am Years 1 & 2 Sports Day @ 1.30pm	Year 2 visit To Old Hurst Zoo Hedgehog Class Assembly @ 9.15am via Livestorm Rainforest Class Swimming Nile Class Pedestrian Skills	Savannah Class Swimming SECOND HAND UNIFORM SALE ON KS2 PLAYGROUND AT 3.15PM.		

Birthdays

Reception - Chiara P, Molly S-H **Year 1** - Marco L **Year 2** - Raven P
Year 3 - **Year 4** - Jack W, Leo J, Teddy D-S
Year 5 - **Year 6** - Evan C, Jack P



Whole School Attendance (%)

1st	Savannah	98.3%
1st	Caspian	98.3%
2nd	Java	97.3%
3rd	Amazon	96.7%
4th	Starfish	96.1%
5th	Butterfly	95.7%
6th	Rockies	95.5%
7th	Rainbowfish	95.3%
8th	Coral	94.8%
9th	Pyrenees	94.8%
10th	Hedgehog	93.9 %
11th	Ladybird	93.7%
12th	Thames	93.3%
13th	Rabbit	93.1%
13th	Desert	93.1%
13th	Nile	93.1%
14th	Squirrel	92.5%
15th	Bumblebee	92.2%
16th	Rainforest	90.6%
17th	Jellyfish	83.9%
18th	Alps	82.5%



Rabbit - Jairus A

for working so hard on forming his letters correctly.

Tamanna A

for working really hard practising for sports day.

Butterfly - Syed A

for his fantastic effort in our
Fit Kidz session.

Jellyfish - Jayden L

for making an improvement in your
behaviour this week! Keep it up!

Desert - Jessica-Rose T

for showing great determination and
teamwork during sports day.

Amazon - Ashley L

for producing a
unique play script.

Caspian - Georgie-Rae H

for her brilliant maths skills when tackling decimals.

Scarlett P

for developing her independent skills in Maths this week.

Alps - Corey F

for his focus during this weeks
Science experiment.

Stars of the Week

Squirrel - Noah H

for making fantastic progress in blending
sounds to read new words.

Bumblebee - Adelyn R

for her brilliant description
of Puck the Fairy.

Rainbowfish - Grayson O

for his excellent contributions to our class discussions on the life cy-
cles of amphibians and humans.

Rainforest - Michael W

for persevering this week, even when he
found things difficult.

Nile - Lloyd T

for persevering in Maths and
always giving 100%.

Coral - Willow M

for working really well with the Year 1 children and taking the time
to listen to their answers.

Pyrenees - Struan F

for a great geographical
mind this week.



Hedgehog - Indiana M

for her descriptive writing based on our story Romeosaurus
and Juliet Rex.

Ladybird - Victor C

for his fantastic work when
comparing numbers to 100.

Starfish - Shahzain J

for his brilliant comparisons between new and old toys
in History this week!

Savannah - Marzia F

for her resilience when creating an algorithm to play
'Happy Birthday' on Scratch.

Thames - Hannah S



for displaying great knowledge and understanding during our
Science lesson all about how sound is made and heard.

Java - Aesah R

for always putting 100% effort and focus
into his learning.



Rockies - Emma G

for her effort and determination in athletics and
sports day this week.

Star Children

Reception - Kiara A, Ruby A, EmiliaB, Norah L, Jack M, Bobby S, Skylar P, Esmé R

Year 1 -

Year 2 - Tawhid K, Rio R

Year 3 - Matty B , Ava C Andreea G, Theo S, Marzia F , Stanley Q

Year 4 - Demi-Mae B, Alexander M, Max C, Ancia G Millie H, Safiya M, Jacob M, Chi N, Anastasia P, Olivia R, Gabriel T-N, Lilly-Mae W, Flavius F, Jacob M, Jenson M, Grace B, Alex D, Max W, Raylan B, Matthew H, Kiana A, Lloyd T, Kara A

Year 5 - Grace B, Cameron N, Esme L, Gracie B, Dominic L, Matilda B

Year 6 -

