



# Peartree Spring Primary School Newsletter — 03/10/2025

## 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](http://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals).

## PE Noticeboard

**Girls' Football** - The Year 6 girls played exceptionally well and worked hard yesterday at the Stevenage School Girls' Football Tournament. Well done, girls—keep up the team spirit!

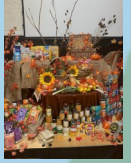


**KS2 Swing Golf** - Well done to all that took part in the festival on Tuesday - a fun time was had by all.

## NOTICES



**Harvest Festival** - Thank you for all the donations for our Harvest Festival and to everyone who watched the assembly via Livestorm this morning.



**Year 6 Residential Trip** - A reminder that **consent and deposit of £50.00** for your child to attend the residential trip must be paid by **Friday 10th October 2025**. Places are on a 'first come first serve' basis.

**Individual School Photos** - A reminder that children will be having individual photographs taken on the following days:

**Wednesday 8th October 2025 - Years 2, 5 & 6**

**Thursday 9th October 2025 - Reception, Years 1, 3 & 4**



If you would like to view your child's photos you will need to pre-register beforehand using the following link and passcode: <https://baxandmephography.gotphoto.co.uk/login> Access code: **Peartree25**

The deadline for pre-registration is **Monday 6th October 2025** - you will not be able to register after this deadline. When registering, please ensure you add your child details in the students section and correct class.

**Java Class Assembly** - This is being held on **Thursday 9th October 2025** at **9.15am** via **Livestorm** - further details were emailed to parents yesterday.

**Secondary Transfer** - A reminder to parents of children in Year 6 that the deadline to apply for a secondary school place is **Friday 31st October 2025** via [www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/admissions).



**Clubs** - Due to our Open Afternoon being held for prospective 2026/27 Reception parents on **Thursday 6th November 2025**, there will be **NO Mrs Brown After School Club** or teacher led clubs.

**Teacher Led Clubs** (Years 1 to 6) - A reminder that **ONLY** the Yr 4, 5 & 6 gate by the zebra crossing will be open for parents to collect children from the pick up points.

**Parent Consultations** - Further information regarding parent consultations will be emailed to parents on **Friday 10th October 2025**.

**Pantomime (Years 1 to 6)** - Further information regarding children visiting the pantomime in December 2025 has been emailed to parents today.

# October 2025

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Amazon Class Swimming		Wednesday Workshops (8.45am to 9.00am) Please book via school cloud  Individual photographs (Yrs. 2, 5 & 6)	Nile Class Swimming  Individual photographs (Yrs. Rec, Yrs. 1, 3 & 4)  Java Class Assembly @ 9.15am via Live storm  NSPCC workshop Yrs. 2, 5 & 6 (during school day)	Thames Class Swimming		
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
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20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Amazon Class Swimming  <b>NO teacher led clubs this week due to Parent Consultations</b>	Parent Consultations via video link (3.30pm to 7.00pm)	Wednesday Workshops (8.45am to 9.00am) Please book via school cloud  Flu Vaccinations  Parent Consultations via video link (3.30pm to 7.00pm)	Nile Class Swimming	Thames Class Swimming  <b>End of term - school finishes at 3.15pm</b>		

## Birthdays

(children will receive their birthday pencil next week)

### Reception -

Year 1 - Anaya C

Year 2 -

Year 3 - Ted A, Elizabeth R

Year 4 - Isla P

Year 5 - Grace M, Max W, Gabriel T N, Evie-Mae B

Year 6 - Eliza C



## Whole School Attendance (%)

1st	Ladybird	99.7%
1st	Java	99.7%
2nd	Butterfly	99.3%
3rd	Rabbit	99%
4th	Bumblebee	98.6%
5th	Savannah	98.3%
6th	Rainforest	97.6%
7th	Pyrenees	97.4%
8th	Thames	97%
9th	Amazon	96.9%
10th	Nile	96.8%
11th	Desert	96.4%
12th	Hedgehog	96.2%
13th	Caspian	96%
14th	Rainbowfish	95.9%
15th	Rockies	95.7%
16th	Starfish	95.5%
17th	Alps	92.4%
18th	Coral	92.1%
19th	Jellyfish	89.4%
20th	Squirrel	83%