



# Peartree Spring Primary School Newsletter — 20/03/2026

## School Meals

**KS2 children** - From the 1st April 2026 the price of a school meal will be increasing to £3.55 per day, £17.75 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.hc.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.

## PE Noticeboard



**Football** - Our Year 3/4 team represented Peartree Spring this week. Some superb play by all, however they just lost 4-3 after playing a great game. Mrs Williams was very proud of their efforts. 🙌🙌🙌

Well done to the Year 6 boys who played this week. They done some great challenges and supported each other, after losing 2-0.

**KS1 Inspire Festival** - Some of our lovely KS1 children had a fun afternoon developing their teamwork and problem solving skills at the KS1 Engage and Inspire Speed Stacking Event yesterday. Well done!



## NOTICES

**Comic Relief 2026** - Well done to all the children/staff that dressed up today in aid of Comic Relief—so far we have raised £287.00.



**Book Fair** - This is being held until **Tuesday 24th March 2026 from 3.20 to 3.45pm** in the **Community Room**. Children are able to use their £1.00 book token at our book fair.

**Book Swap** - In addition to book fair, we also will have a small Swap Shop. Please feel free to bring in any unwanted books and swap them for others available in the swap shop. If you have books for the swap shop, then please bring them with you to the book fair.

**Parent Consultations** - Parent Consultations are being held via video link on **Tuesday 24th and Wednesday 25th March**. **Rabbit Class and Ladybird Class consultations are being held on Wednesday 25th and Thursday 26th March 2026**. Please sign up to our parent evening system if you have not already done so via <https://peartreespring.parentseveningsystem.co.uk>. **The booking system will close on Sunday 22nd March 2026.**

**Wednesday Workshops** - A reminder that these run on a Wednesday from **8.45am to 9.00am** - please ensure you book your required session via <https://peartreespring.schoolcloud.co.uk>.

**Teacher Led Clubs (Years 1 to 6)** - Clubs have now finished for this term. A flyer will be emailed after Easter regarding clubs for the Summer Term 2026.



**Easter Bonnet Challenge** - All children will have the opportunity to be filmed wearing their Easter bonnets on **Monday 23rd March 2026**. Parents will be able to view this event via Livestorm on **Friday 27th March 2026 at 10.00am**. Children who make an Easter Bonnet will also receive a small crème egg from Mrs Skeggs.

**Year 4 performances** - The Year 4 performances are being held on **Tuesday 21st April 2026 at 1.45pm** and **Wednesday 22nd April 2026 at 6.30pm**. Further details to follow after Easter.

# March 2026

Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Nile swimming  Book Fair (from 3.20pm to 3.45pm in the Community Room)	Parent Consultations  Book Fair (from 3.20pm to 3.45pm in the Community Room)	Wednesday Workshops 8.45am to 9.00am (book via Schoolcloud)  Parent Consultations	Parent Consultations  Starfish Class Assembly @ 9.15am via Livestorm  Thames swimming	<b>NO Mrs Brown's After School Club</b>  Easter Bonnet Parade @ 10.00am via Livestorm  <b>End of term (school finishes at 1.30pm)</b>		



## Whole School Attendance (%)

1st	Desert Class	98.3%
1st	Rockies Class	98.3%
2nd	Pyrenees Class	97.7%
3rd	Bumblebee Class	97.3%
4th	Thames Class	96.9%
5th	Hedgehog Class	96.7%
5th	Squirrel Class	96.7%
6th	Ladybird Class	96.3%
7th	Butterfly Class	96.2%
7th	Savannah Class	96.2%
8th	Rabbits Class	95.3%
9th	Starfish Class	95.2%
9th	Nile Class	95.2%
9th	Coral Class	95.2%
9th	Java Class	95.2%
10th	Caspian Class	95.0%
11th	Amazon Class	94.7%
12th	Rainbowfish Class	94.5%
13th	Jellyfish Class	92.1%
14th	Rainforest Class	91.0%
15th	Alps Class	90.3%

# April 2026

Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
<b>Back to school</b>  Meet the Teacher (more info to follow soon)		Wednesday Workshops 8.45am to 9.00am (book via Schoolcloud)  Year 5 and 6 visiting Marriotts School - performance of Shrek (more info to follow soon)				

## Birthdays

(children will receive their birthday pencil next week)

Reception - Ryan M, Adam D, Beatrix E      Year 1 - Ernie McD, Callie C

Year 2 - Gabriel D      Year 3 - Alexander C, Arvi T

Year 4 - Abraham N-W, Joshua P      Year 5 - Kiana A, Raphael J, Jacob M      Year 6 -

