

The Horsley School Bag

Wednesday 20th July

Newsletter 20 from Mr Price, *Head Teacher*

Our value this term is: **Truthfulness**



GOODBYE!

We say a very fond farewell to our wonderful Year 6 leavers, who will be continuing their learning journey in local various secondary schools. We will all miss them, but perhaps particularly their buddies in Foxes class will be sad to see them go. They are pictured here with cards that they have made for each other.

Go well, lovely Year 6s; don't forget us; we will miss you, but know that you will shine just as brightly in your next school.



The Autumn starts on Tuesday 6th September, but until then, we wish you all a very happy, relaxing and sunny Summer holiday! Stay safe, have fun and come back in September HUNGRY for learning again!

From all the staff at Horsley, a very big THANK YOU for all the thoughtful end-of-term gifts. They are absolutely not necessary, but warmly received. We have been touched by your generosity and kindness. Thank you.



MUSIC MARK
SCHOOL



The beat of the drum...

Gloucestershire Music Service ran samba drumming workshops for each class this week, teaching the children various rhythms and pulses on different instruments. Below is Isabelle and Katie's account of their session: *'On Monday, 17th July, Owls class did a samba workshop. We practiced on different instruments, including an agogo, sumbar, tambourin and much more. It was a really fun experience and at the end of the day all the classes got to perform for each other. Thank you, Mr Evans for a great class!'*

The day culminated in each class sharing their learning with each other. The whole event was kindly funded by our FHS, for which we are very grateful - thank you!



2022/2023 Academic Year Dates

Term 1: Tues 6 Sep - Fri 21 Oct 2022

Term 2: Tues 1 Nov - Fri 16 Dec 2022

Term 3: Wed 4 Jan - Fri 17 Feb 2023

Term 4: Mon 27 Feb - Fri 31 Mar 2023

Term 5: Mon 17 Apr - Fri 26 May 2023

Term 6: Mon 5 Jun - Fri 21 July 2023



2022-2023



INSET days next year

Mon 5 Sep 2022

Mon 31 Oct 2022

Tues 3 Jan 2023

Mon 24 July 2023

Tues 25 July 2023

See next page for a calendar of these dates.

Diary Dates

September

6-9 Whole School Arts Week

29 School photos - individual/siblings

October

2 Parents' Evening 3.30-5.00pm

3 Parents' Evening 5.00-7.00pm

November

8 Prospective Parents' Open Morning 9.30-12.00am

9 Prospective Parents' Open Afternoon 1.30-3.15

Prospective Parents' Open Evening 5.00-7.00pm

December

2 Flu immunisations (consent forms to follow)

January

10 Young Voices Concert



SCHOOL TERMS AND HOLIDAYS

2022/23

SEPTEMBER					OCTOBER					NOVEMBER						
Mon	5	12	19	26	Mon	3	10	17	24	31	Mon	7	14	21	28	
Tues	6	13	20	27	Tues	4	11	18	25	Tues	1	8	15	22	29	
Wed	7	14	21	28	Wed	5	12	19	26	Wed	2	9	16	23	30	
Thur	1	8	15	22	29	Thur	6	13	20	27	Thur	3	10	17	24	
Fri	2	9	16	23	30	Fri	7	14	21	28	Fri	4	11	18	25	
Sat	3	10	17	24	Sat	1	8	15	22	29	Sat	5	12	19	26	
Sun	4	11	18	25	Sun	2	9	16	23	30	Sun	6	13	20	27	
DECEMBER					JANUARY					FEBRUARY						
Mon	5	12	19	26	Mon	3	9	16	23	30	Mon	6	13	20	27	
Tues	6	13	20	27	Tues	3	10	17	24	31	Tues	7	14	21	28	
Wed	7	14	21	28	Wed	4	11	18	25	Wed	1	8	15	22		
Thur	1	8	15	22	29	Thur	5	12	19	26	Thur	2	9	16	23	
Fri	2	9	16	23	30	Fri	6	13	20	27	Fri	3	10	17	24	
Sat	3	10	17	24	31	Sat	7	14	21	28	Sat	4	11	18	25	
Sun	4	11	18	25	Sun	1	8	15	22	29	Sun	5	12	19	26	
MARCH					APRIL					MAY						
Mon	6	13	20	27	Mon	3	10	17	24	Mon	1	8	15	22	29	
Tues	7	14	21	28	Tues	4	11	18	25	Tues	2	9	16	23	30	
Wed	1	8	15	22	29	Wed	5	12	19	26	Wed	3	10	17	24	31
Thur	2	9	16	23	30	Thur	6	13	20	27	Thur	4	11	18	25	
Fri	3	10	17	24	31	Fri	7	14	21	28	Fri	5	12	19	26	
Sat	4	11	18	25	Sat	1	8	15	22	29	Sat	6	13	20	27	
Sun	5	12	19	26	Sun	2	9	16	23	30	Sun	7	14	21	28	
JUNE					JULY					AUGUST						
Mon	5	12	19	26	Mon	3	10	17	24	31	Mon	7	14	21	28	
Tues	6	13	20	27	Tues	4	11	18	25	Tues	1	8	15	22	29	
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Sat	3	10	17	24	Sat	1	8	15	22	29	Sat	5	12	19	26	
Sun	4	11	18	25	Sun	2	9	16	23	30	Sun	6	13	20	27	

Term Time	Holidays
Bank Holiday	Inset Days

Term 1: Mon 5 th Sept – Fri 21 st Oct, 2022	35 days
Term 2: Mon 31 st Oct – Fri 16 th Dec 2022	35 days
Term 3: Tue 3 rd Jan - Fri 17 th Feb 2023	34 days
Term 4: Mon 27 th Feb – Fri 31 st Mar 2023	25 days
Term 5: Mon 17 th April – Fri 26 th May 2023	29 days
Term 6: Mon 5 th June – Wed 25 th July 2023	37 days
Total	195 days*

Christmas Bank Holidays	26 th December 2022 27 th December 2022
New Year Bank Holiday	2 nd January 2023
Good Friday	7 th April 2023
Easter Monday	10 th April 2023
Early May Bank Holiday	1 st May 2023
Spring Bank Holiday	29 th May 2023
Summer Bank Holiday	28 th August 2023

*195 days are defined as "School days". In the school year 2022/23 pupils must attend for 190 days. Schools may decide individually or collectively which 5 days in the year are INSET or non-contact days (days pupils do not need to attend).

Please Note: Schools considering alternative dates or considering changes to their school opening times may wish to contact our Transport Team to discuss transport implications and contact local childcare providers to discuss what impact this could have.

SUMMER CYCLING

**A FREE DROP IN AND RIDE
SESSION FOR STARTERS,
DEVELOPERS AND
CONFIDENT RIDERS**

**ARCHWAY SCHOOL
THURSDAY 4TH, 11TH,
18TH, 25TH AUG**

**BETWEEN
10AM AND 3PM**

**FOR AGES 4
AND OVER**

**TO CYCLE SAFELY
WITH FRIENDS AND
FAMILY**

**TO HELP ME IMPROVE
MY RIDING ABILITY
AND HAVE FUN**

YOU'LL NEED:

- A BIKE
- A HELMET
- A DRINK
- A RESPONSIBLE ADULT WHO CAN SUPERVISE YOU AND/OR RIDE WITH YOU TO JOIN IN THE FUN!!!

ACCESS BIKE PROJECT

WILL SUPPORT EACH SESSION WITH:

- ADVICE ON MAINTAINING YOUR BIKE
- A SELECTION OF BIKES FOR USE AND BIKE RELATED ITEMS TO PURCHASE
- ON SITE TWEAKING OF ANY BIKE NIGGLES

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How do
butterflies grow?
9/8/22
10:30-11:30am

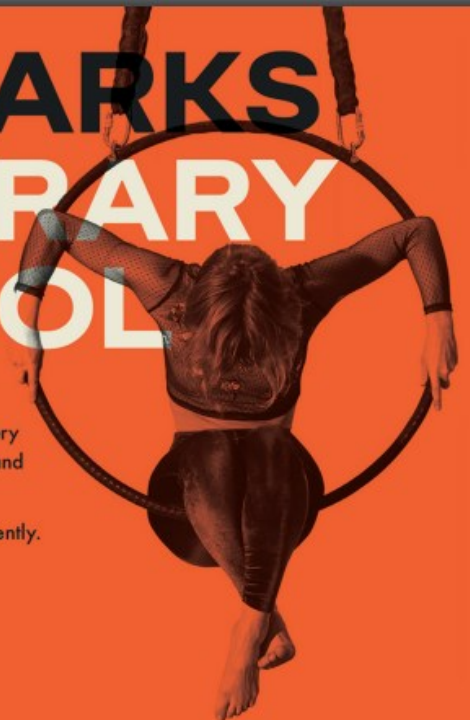


What is the
biggest animal?
27/8/22
10:30-11:30am

DO SOMETHING AMAZING IT'S YOUR MOVE



SCHOOL OF LARKS A CONTEMPORARY CIRCUS SCHOOL



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THE LARKS WE OFFER

Classes always involve stimulating physical warm ups, safety briefings and cool down stretching.

UP WITH THE LARKS: AERIAL

Trapeze
Silks
Rope
Hoop

LARKIN' IT UP: CIRCUS SKILLS

Juggling (scarves, balls, clubs, rings etc)
Diabolo
Devilsticks
Balancing (tightrope, unicycling, rolla bolla)
Hula hooping
Acrobatics (floor, partner and group)

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