

Friday 26 April, forthcoming events for the week commencing 29 April 2019			
Monday	29.4.19	8am-9am 3.15pm -4.30pm 3.15pm-4.30pm 3.15pm-4.30pm	Breakfast Club Hang Out after school club After school football club with Oxford United Chance to Shine Cricket club after school
Tuesday	30.4.19	8am-9am All morning All afternoon 3.15pm -4.30pm After school	Breakfast Club Orchard Class forest school Peachtree forest school Hang Out after school club Oak class forest school
Wednesday	1.5.19	8am-9am All morning 3.15pm -4.30pm 3.15pm-4.30pm 3.15pm-4.30pm	Breakfast Club Oak and Willow PE session with Mr Mawn Hang Out after school club May Pole practice with Mr Harris Tech Club starts
Thursday	2.5.19	8am-9am 3.15pm -4.30pm 3.15pm-4.30pm After school	Breakfast Club Hang Out after school club Year 2 and 3 after school art club May Pole practice with Mr Harris
Friday	3.5.19	8am-9am All day 3.15pm -4.30pm	Breakfast Club Non uniform day in aid of Hornton May Day Hang Out after school club

Head of School – September 2019

Following my decision to move on in September the governors met at the end of last term to put together an advert and job description for a new role of Head of School. For you as parents this new role is the essentially the same as the Head Teacher role I currently occupy; the new incumbent will be the face of the school and will take on almost all of the tasks I have been doing for the last few years. Chris and Joss, our Chairs of Governors sent a letter out yesterday explaining much more detail about the new role. We have placed an advert and job description on our school website if you are interested in taking a look or applying.

Speeding in the village

I share news from the Parish Council that they are taking action to try and reduce the speed with which people drive through the village. They have invested in recording equipment which will be placed in the village with the hope of recording speeding motorists. This recording equipment will be set up in the village and any details of speeding motorists will be sent to the police who will issue a warnings and will take possible further action if necessary. As a number of our children now walk to school, I am pleased to hear the parish council taking a stance against speeding as it will mean that the risk of any potential accident because of motorists break the law will be reduce.

Tech Club

Our new after school Tech Club starts this Wednesday 1 May.

Maypole Dancing practices

The remaining two practices for the maypole dancing are this coming Wednesday and Thursday. We are keeping our fingers crossed for good weather on the Bank Holiday Monday.

Chance to Shine Cricket

Our three week cricket course starts on Monday 29 April, it is not too late to book your child on to it, just let Mr Fox or the office know by Monday morning please.

Willow Class Swimming

Swimming lessons start next Friday 3 May. We are paying for the coach to take us to and from Sibford School from our curriculum budget so are asking for voluntary contributions each week of £1 per pupil to help cover the cost please. Don't forget to send your child in with their swimming kit, including a swimming hat, on Friday.

Posts on the Green

The Parish Council have contacted us to say that they are getting quotes for repairing the wooden posts on the Green, some of which need replacing after the wear and tear of protecting the grass areas. Please can you make sure that children do not play or climb on the posts in the meantime. Thank you.

Key Stage 2 PE Kit

Both Willow and Rowan class will be doing PE together this coming Monday afternoon, please make sure that your child has their kit with them.

Attendance – this week	Thought for the day...
Year R. – 93% Year 1 – 87% Year 2 – 77% Year 3 – 92% Year 4 – 98% Year 5 – 98% Year 6 – 98% Whole School Average – 93%	<i>Another turning point, a fork stuck in the road Time grabs you by the wrist and directs you where to go So make the best of this test and don't ask why It's not a question but a lesson learned in time. - The Time of Your Life, Green Day</i>
Diary Dates	
29.4.19 – Cricket clubs starts 1.5.19 – Tech Club starts 3.5.19 – Willow class swimming lessons begin 6.5.19 – Hornton May Day celebrations WC 13.5.19 – Yr 6 SATS week	
PTA News	
No news this week	

Class Dojos			
100 dojos	300 dojos	400 dojos	500 dojos
		Tommy, Leo	Roy, Kayden, Jojo
600 dojos		700 dojos	
Riley C, Edie, Pippa, Sam, Cameron		Jake, Lottie, Riley F, Connie, Lucy Mck	
HPS Achievements this week			
Work of the Week			
Orchard Class – Kylan – for his hard working improving his hand writing this week			
Oak Class – Bella – for her kindness to her classmates this week			
Willow Class – Kayden – for his fantastic attitude and ability to all aspects of PE this week			
Rowan Class – Tula – for her kindness towards others and her effort to improve her learning			
Sports News			
Our new Chance to Shine after school cricket club starts on Monday and our after school football club with Oxford United begins again. If you missed letters about either of these clubs, please see Jenny or Tracy in the office who will be able to provide you with them.			

With very best wishes,

Matt Green
Headteacher