



St Hardulph's C of E Primary School

School Newsletter



2025/26
5 December

Warwick	9
Hastings	14
Newark	11
Edinburgh	7

Refreshments will be available at every performance. Provided by the PTFA

Headteacher's Treat

Owlets: Archie A
Pangolins: Finn
Beavers: Arthur

Headteacher's Awards

This week have been awarded to:

Oscar R-C Elijah Harry (x2)
Samuel William E Edie Finn
James P Oscar T Arthur
Vivienne Lily A

Bronze Cup

Oscar R-C

Attendance

Our average attendance this year to date.

	% attendance this year
Owlets	97.5%
Pangolins	98.7%
Beavers	96.4%
Total	97.7%

Number of minutes lost this week due to children arriving late: 0

May Christ dwell in your hearts through faith, as you are being rooted and grounded in love. Ephesians 3:17

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Headteacher – Mrs Kelly Ellis

Reminders for next week :

Monday Owlets & Beavers PE - PE Kit needed
Tuesday Forest School see schedule on the last page
Pangolins & Beavers Christmas Performance 2:00pm in school
Wednesday **No After School Sports or After School Wrap-Around**
Owlets Nativity in church 2:15pm (All children will return to school afterwards to get changed)
Pangolins & Beavers Christmas Performance 3:30pm
PE - All Classes
Thursday Owlets Nativity in church 2:15pm (All children will return to school afterwards to get changed)
Friday Christmas Jumper Day (see last page for details of how to donate PTFA Raffle to be drawn after school)

Reminders for the last week of term

Monday Owlets & Beavers PE - PE Kit needed
Tuesday Forest School see schedule on the bottom of the last page the calendar
Wednesday PE - All Classes
Thursday Children can come dressed in their party clothes
Christmas Dinner - Order on Relish now.
Christmas Party
Friday Last Celebration Assembly of the year

Christmas dinner is now available to order on Relish for Thursday 18th

December - Please order by Monday 8th December

Christmas dinner is now on Relish to order for 18th December. Packed lunches are currently showing as an available option, but they will not be available on that day (if you have already ordered a packed lunch for your child on that day, please revise your child's order, as this order will be removed when the menu is updated).

All orders for 18th December must be ordered on Relish before Monday 8th December, so that the kitchen has the numbers in time to order the ingredients.

Parental Consents

If your child is in year 1 or above you may find that additional consents have, or will soon be added to your child's Arbor page. This is just where we hold separate consent for those items (e.g. Dog Mentor, Sun Safe, etc.) or a title has changed, or consent directly implied from something else (e.g. If you have given consent for plasters to be used, it implies consent to administer first aid, but not the other way round!).

Once the exercise is complete we will open up the consents section for parents to consent or decline where any consents are missing. If you wish to withdraw your consent for any item, you can do this at any time by contacting the school office.

REMEMBER TO CHECK THAT ALL OF NEXT WEEK'S SCHOOL MEALS HAVE BEEN ORDERED & PAID FOR

Staff News

We are delighted to announce that Miss Garratt and her partner are expecting their first child in March next year. We wish their family all the very best as they wait for their new arrival

Mrs Robe's last day at St Hardulph's will be Wednesday 17th December. She will still be working with us in a more strategic capacity, from her role at St Botolph's as part of the BeSkilled group. We will be recruiting for someone to take on this role.

Free School Meals

Information on who can get free school meals and how to apply:

If your child isn't registered for Free School Meals and you receive any of the following benefits, your child may be able to get free school meals:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of Pension Credit
- Working Tax Credit run-on - paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit
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- Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190)
- Universal Credit - if you apply on or after 1 April 2018 your household income must be less than £7,400 a year (after tax and not including any benefits you get)

Currently all children entitled to free school meals will receive them until the end of the academic year 2025/26. This continues even if your income increases. This is called transitional protection.

From the start of the 2026/27 academic year, it is the Department for Education's intention that all protections will be discontinued, alongside an extension to the eligibility criteria for free school meals. From this point, households must meet the eligibility criteria to be entitled to free school meals.

To apply for Free School Meals please go to: [Apply online for free school meals](#) on the Leicestershire County Council website.

If your application is successful you need to let school know as school is not automatically notified.

Christmas Community Events

13 December at 6pm - Carols on The Green
20 December at 4:30pm - Lantern Trail



School information can be provided in different languages, large print, simple text only or Braille. Please speak to Mrs Ellis or the Office if you have a particular requirement.

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Pictures from our beautiful Christingle service this morning and from Panto earlier in the week



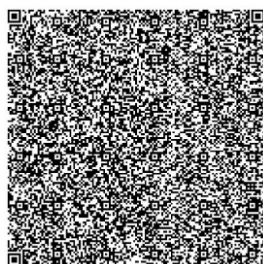
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Diary Dates

2025/26	Who?	What
09/12	C2&3	Christmas Performance 2pm
10/12	C1	Nativity in Church 2:15pm
10/12	C2&3	Christmas Performance 3:30pm
11/12	C1	Nativity in Church 2:15pm
12/12	All	Christmas Jumper Day
18/12	All	Christmas Lunch
18/12	All	Christmas Party (children can come to school in party clothes)
19/12	All	Last Day of Term
05/01	All	Back to School
10/02	All	Safer Internet Day
12/02	All	Valentines Theme Lunch
16/02 to 20/02	All	Half Term Break
23/02	All	INSET Day
05/03	All	World Book Day
13/03	All	Mother's Day Lunch
13/03	All	Mothers' Day Service in church 2:15pm
18/03	All	Parents' Evening
26/03	All	Easter Themed Lunch
27/03	All	Easter Service in church 2:15pm
27/03	All	School Closes
30/03 to 10/04	All	Easter Break
13/04	All	School Opens
22/04	All	Earth Day - Themed biscuits available with lunch
04/05	All	May Day Bank Holiday
11 to 14/05	Y6	SATS week
18 to 22/05	All	Safety Week
20/05	All	World Bee Day - Themed biscuits available with lunch
25/05 to 29/05	All	Half Term Break
08/06	All	World Ocean Day - Themed biscuits available with lunch
19/06	All	Fathers' Day Breakfast 8:00am
24/06	All	Sports Day
24/06	All	Sports Day Parent Lunch
06/07	Y6	Y6 Leaving Activity
09/07	All	Family Picnic 12:00
09/07	All	Final Celebration worship
09/07	All	School Closes for summer break

Christmas Jumper Day

Our Christmas Jumper Day this year is on Friday 12th December we are collecting money for Save the Children via our Just Giving page - Click the Christmas Jumper Day logo or scan the QR code below.



Forest School Schedule (Forest School kit needed)

Block 3	Block 4	Block 5	Block 6
1/12/25 – 23/01/26	26/01/26- 13/03/26	16/3/26 – 15/5/26	18/5/26 – 10/7/26
Tuesdays Owlets & Pangolins	Tuesdays Owlets & Beavers	Tuesdays Owlets & Pangolin	Tuesdays Owlets & Beavers

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