



*quality, excellence and passion*

Dear parents / carers,

Another couple of wet and windy weeks at school and I want to thank you for sending your children in with coats so that we can maximise outside plays whenever possible.

Our Year 6 pupils have completed some SATs papers in the last couple of weeks which they have done so with resilience and determination. These are to inform our Year 6 team of any gaps in learning that we can look to fill.



We have welcomed a new member of staff this week, Mrs Vitelli, who is a very experienced cover supervisor. She has settled quickly into the Heron Park team and will be working mainly with our older children, supporting them in their learning and covering classes.



Our Odd Socks Day and Children in Need fundraiser was great fun and well organised by our school council.

We had a fire drill this week so that the children know what to do in the event of the alarm sounding. They were outstanding and it only took 3 minutes and 10 seconds for all the children to evacuate the building and form quiet lines in the playground. We were very proud of all of them.

As a parent, I know how quickly our children grow and that we often have to replace winter coats before they have had their full use. If you have any winter coats in clean, good condition at home and would be happy to donate them please bring them in to the school office. We will have a display of them at the Xmas fair for anyone to help themselves to.

We will be holding a Christmas raffle as part of the Xmas fair and are currently collecting prizes. If you have any links with businesses who may be willing to donate something to this worthwhile cause then we would be very grateful. We are raising money to repair our trim trail which all the children in the school will benefit from.

Only 3 busy weeks now until the end of term. Please ensure that your children are in school every day to support their learning. Our whole school attendance so far this year is 93% which is below National Average – let's see if we can raise this in the next few weeks.

I hope you have a lovely weekend and that the sun finally shines!

*L. Richardson*

Mrs Richardson



On Monday, Harrisons ran a competition to celebrate the start of the World Cup.

Here are our winners!



# Year 1 & 2 Nativity

Monday 12th December at 2pm

Thursday 15th December at 9.30am

Tickets are free and limited to  
2 per family.

Details on how to book will be sent via email to  
Y1 & 2 directly



**Reception Christmas Sing**  
**Thursday 15th December**  
**2.30pm**

Reception parents/Carers are invited to watch our Reception children sing a medley of Christmas songs.

Tickets are free and will be limited to 4 per family.

Please can we remind parents/carers not to put nut products in your child's lunch box. We have nut allergy sufferers within school.

Thank you



From Monday, we will display our lost property in the office on a rail and a box.

This will be there every day until the end of term. Any items that are left on the last day of term, will be donated to a local charity.

Thank you



THE PARISH OF HAMPDEN PARK  
AND THE HYDNEYE

You are invited to our  
**Christmas Angel Fair**

10th December - 10:30 - 1:30  
Decoy Drive, Church and Hall

Refreshments, cakes, gifts,  
stalls, crafts, free activities for the kids  
Christmas Tree Festival, visit Santa,  
and much Christmas Joy!



**Have  
you  
seen  
the  
angels?**

**Free family fun, activities, crafts, carols,  
Angel trails + more this Advent & Christmas!**

This year, Eastbourne's churches, charities and groups have come together to share the joy of the angels!

Scan the QR code below or find us online to find a full list of events!

 [facebook.com/eastbourneangels](https://facebook.com/eastbourneangels)  
[www.eastbourneangels.com](http://www.eastbourneangels.com)

Supported by the Mayor of Eastbourne and Eastbourne BID



# TERM 2 PE DAYS

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Rabbits	Hedgehogs	Year 6 (Oak & Willow)	Year 4 (Badgers & Foxes)	Year 2 (Swans & Ducks)
Horse Chestnut	Sycamore	Year 3 (Hedgehogs & Rabbits)	Willow	Year 5 (Sycamore & Horse Chestnut)
Year 4 (Badgers & Foxes)	Year 1 (Ladybirds & Bumblebees)	Swans	Ducks	Year 1 (Ladybirds & Bumblebees)
	Swimming Oak			Reception

Children should come dressed in their PE kits  
on their allocated PE day.

# Weekly menu



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Macaroni Cheese And Ham With Garlic Bread	Pork Meatballs In Gravy Served With Mash Potato	Herb Roast Chicken Served With Roast Potatoes And Gravy	Beef Pasta Bolognese Served With Herb Bread Wedge	Breaded Fish And Chips Served With Chips
Macaroni Cheese With Garlic Bread	Vegetable and Rice Balls Served With Mash Potato	Cheese And Potato Puff Slice Served With Gravy	Vegetable Jambalaya Served With Rice	Homemade Cheese And Tomato Tart With Chips
Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Baked Beans
Jacket Potato With A Choice Of Cheese, Beans or Tuna	Jacket Potato With A Choice Of Cheese, Beans Or Tuna	NO Jacket potatoes	Jacket Potato With A Choice Of Cheese, Beans Or Tuna	NO Jacket potatoes
Tomato And Basil Pasta Pot.	Cheesy Pasta Pot	NO Jacket potatoes	Chicken And Vegetable Pasta Pot	NO Jacket potatoes
Lemon Shortbread Finger	Apple Crumble And Custard	Jam and Coconut Cake	Sultana Biscuit	Strawberry Ice Cream

**NO SANDWICHES, WRAPS OR BAGUETTES AVAILABLE THIS TERM**

Available daily

Fresh Fruit, Yoghurt and Homemade Bread

WEEK COMMENCING  
31.10 21.11 12.12 02.01



# Weekly menu

## Monday

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## Thursday

## Friday

Chicken Curry Served With Rice And Naan Bread

Beef Burger Served With Potato Wedges

Slow Cooked Gammon Served With Roast Potatoes And Gravy

Cottage Pie Served With A Herb Bread Wedge

Pork Sausages Served With Chips

Chickpea And Lentil Curry Served With Rice And Naan Bread

Vegetable Burger Served With Potato Wedges

Steamed Quorn Roast Served With Roast Potatoes And Gravy

Red Lentil And Vegetable Cottage Pie Served With A Herb Bread Wedge

Cheese And Onion Roll With Chips

Seasonal Vegetables

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Baked Beans

Jacket Potato With A Choice Of Cheese, Beans Or Tuna

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NO Jacket potatoes

Jacket Potato Filled With Cheese, BBQ Beans or Tuna Mayo

NO Jacket potatoes

Tomato and Basil Pasta Pot

Minestrone Pasta Pot

NO Jacket potatoes

Cheesy Pasta Pot

NO Jacket potatoes

Homemade Apple Flapjack

Syrup Cake And Custard

Homemade Rice Pudding

Chocolate And Vanilla Swirl Biscuit

Fruity Jelly

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W/C 7th Nov, 28th Nov, 9th Jan, 30th Jan

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Chinese Sticky Chicken Noodles

Chilli Con Carne Served With Rice

Roast Pork Served With Roast Potatoes, Gravy And Apple Sauce

Pork Sausage And Mash Served With Gravy

Golden Fish Fingers Served With Chips

Vegetable Chow Mein

Bean Casserole Served With Rice

Vegetable Pie Served With Roast Potatoes And Gravy

Quorn Sausage And Mash Served With Gravy

Quorn Vegan Nuggets Served With Chips

Seasonal Vegetables

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Baked Beans

Jacket Potato With Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo

Jacket Potato With Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo

NO Jacket potatoes

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NO Jacket potatoes

Pesto Pasta Pot

Tomato and Basil Pasta Pot

NO Jacket potatoes

Minestrone Pasta Pot

NO Jacket potatoes

Vanilla Shortbread Slice

Chocolate Cake

Traditional Sprinkle Sponge Cake

Mix Fruit Crumble And Custard

Vanilla Ice Cream

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W/C 14th Nov, 5th Dec, 16th Jan, 6th Feb

## Diary Dates:

### Term 2

Thursday 8th Dec -KS2 music concert for parents (2-3pm)

Thursday 8th Dec—Christmas Jumper Day (Chocolate donations please)

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> Dec - Year 1 & 2 nativity performance pm performance (2pm)

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> Dec – Christmas dinner day and Term 2 Reading Rewards

Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> Dec – School Christmas Fair 3pm onwards

Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> Dec - Year 1 & 2 nativity performance am (9.30am)

Thursday 15th Dec - Reception Christmas singsong 2.30pm

Friday 16th Dec - Last Day of Term

Monday 19th - Friday 30th Dec - CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

### Term 3

Monday 2nd January - BANK HOLIDAY

Tuesday 3rd January - INSET DAY

Wednesday 4th January - First Day of Term

Friday 3rd March - INSET DAY

Monday 6th March - INSET DAY

Friday 10th February - Last Day of Term

Monday 13th -17th February - FEBRUARY HALF TERM HOLIDAY

### Term 4

Monday 20th February - First Day of Term

Friday 31st March - Last Day of Term

Monday 3rd - Friday 14th April - EASTER HOLIDAY

### Term 5

Monday 5th June - First Day of Term

Wednesday 14th - 16th June - Year 5 Residential trip.

Thursday 25th May - Last Day of Term

Friday 26th May - INSET DAY

### Term 6

Monday 5th June - First Day of Term

Friday 30th June - INSET DAY

Monday 3rd July - INSET DAY

Friday 21st July - Last Day of Term

Calendar dates are subject to change, we will endeavour to give parents/carers as much notice as possible. Please note that where we have added INSET DAYS, we have given parents long weekends, to allow you to have a break away without taking time off during term time