



Dates for the Diary

Summer Term 2022

- Thursday 23rd June** – Enterprise Fayre in the Year 5/6 playground
- Friday 24th June** – Road Safety Workshop – whole school
- Monday 4th–8th July** Arts Week
- Thursday 7th July** – Nurse Drop-in Session

School Nurse Drop In Session



If you have any medical concerns, please pop along on:

Date: **Thursday, 7th July**
Time: **8:45 am – 9:30 am**
Location: **Main School Reception**

- Thursday 7th July** – Community afternoon event for parents & carers – Eid Celebration
- Friday 8th July** – Modern Day Slavery Event
- Tuesday 12th July** – 1L Raphael's Park Trip
- Wednesday 13th July** – 1H Raphael's Park Trip
- Thursday 14th July** – 1R Raphael's Park Trip
- Thursday 21st July** – Last day of academic year – school closes at 12pm for Year 6 & 1pm rest of school.

Thrive School of Excellence



Team Points

TEAM POINTS

	Tigers	487
	Bears	425
	Wolves	519
	Sharks	453
	Komodo Dragon	531

Dear Parent/Carer,

The sunshine this week has brought improvements to people's moods due to the increased serotonin, but the high temperature has affected some people by making them more irritable. We must all be mindful of how we relate to and communicate when we are feeling agitated. The easiest thing to do is to pause and breathe before engaging in conversation.

This week, we have had a host of events and activities taking place. Some of these are highlighted within this edition of Snippets and some will be reported next time. Thank you to all parents/carers who accompanied educational visits and trips this week. Without you, the children would not be able to access this element of the wider curriculum.

Whilst on the subject of access – Parenthub has a new feature which we are lucky to be piloting for them. Parenthub now supports "Translation" so parents can translate messages sent by us into more than 100 languages. Please give us feedback about this feature. We have included a guide within this edition.

We would like to end our message with a quote from an external moderator who worked with our Year 2 teachers this week. "...the day was hugely successful that was down to all the internal preparation and knowledge from the whole team. A lot of hard work went into not just the day but the whole year and this was very evident. The children are very lucky."

We have a great school community that makes up the Hunters Hall family. Thank you.

Have a wonderful weekend,

Selina Frazer & Michael Kaitell,
Co-Headteachers

Attendance

Congratulations to 1R in Key Stage 1 who achieved 98.52% this week and to 5N in Key Stage 2 with 99.18%

Class	Attendance %	Class	Attendance %	Class	Attendance %
RB	81.51	2M	91.25	4R	89.73
RH	97.35	2T	90.84	5N	99.18
RR	95.56	3D	96.48	5P	93.44
1H	95.82	3G	90.31	5R	90.11
1L	95.65	3T	81.22	6A	98.55
1R	98.52	4E	94.07	6L	98.62
2K	96.95	4G	94.26	6Y	89.86



Parent Hub

We would like all parents/carers to join us on Parent Hub.

Parent Hub is a FREE app that helps keep you up to date with what's going on at school. You'll receive messages, pictures, documents and newsletters, all in one handy place.



1. Download the Parent Hub app from your app store (iPhone or Android).
2. Create yourself an account.
3. Choose "Add a School" and enter:

@HuntersHallIPS

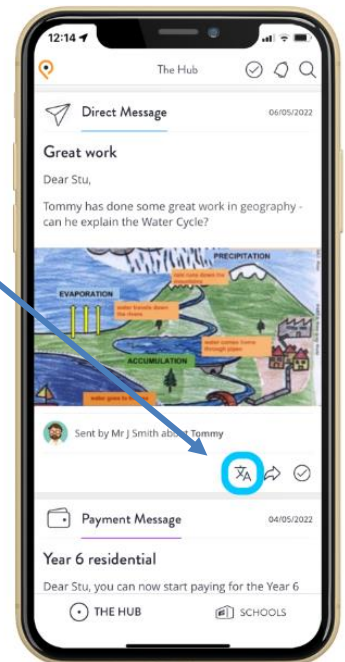
How to translate messages in the Parent Hub app (guidance for schools)

In the app, parents just tap the 'translate' button in the bottom right of a message.

This applies to old messages, as well as new ones.

To find out more, click the link below for a useful guide.

<https://support.parenthub.co.uk/hc/en-us/articles/6172951020689-How-to-translate-messages-in-the-Parent-Hub-app>



School Uniform

School uniform can be purchased every Monday from 3:00-4:00pm in the dining hall.

Uniform can also be purchased online:

www.schooluniformdirect.org.uk/schools/product-category/schools-and-clubs/hunters-hall-primary/

Or

Telephone: 01992 763679

Email: info@schooluniformdirect.org.uk



Year 6 Enterprise Week

Days	Events
Tuesday 21 st June	Staff breakfast 8.00-8.30 Staff car wash Torture the teacher- year 6 only at break time (10.50-11.10)
Wednesday 22 nd June	Staff breakfast 8.00-8.30 Torture the teacher year 6 only at break time (10.50-11.10) Staff car wash
Thursday 23 rd June	Enterprise fayre in the Year 5/6 playground after school. Torture the teacher for all children. Stalls selling: cakes, popcorn, drinks and donuts, bracelets and various other food items.

Quad Sports & Girls' Football Festival

On Wednesday 15th June, a selection of sporty children attended a sports event accompanied by Mr Read and Miss Harries.

We finished second in the year 4 relay. We won a silver trophy. All the children were extremely well behaved and polite.

On the same day, Miss Hall took a team of keen footballers to Barking Abbey for the Girls' Football Festival.





Science Fair

On Tuesday, Ms Vernon and Mrs Glover took a group of Scientists from Year 5 to attend the National Great Science Share which was being held at Eastbrook Primary. This was a chance for the children to display their Science knowledge and share it with children and teachers from other schools in the borough. Whilst there, the children were able to work with artists to create their own piece of artwork which was centred around the protection and conservation of Sea Life. Every child was a fantastic ambassador for Hunters Hall Primary and a fun day was had by all.





5 Incredibly Fun GAMES to Teach Self-Regulation (Self-Control) | Social Emotional Learning

Social-emotional learning (SEL) is the process of developing the self-awareness, self-regulation, and interpersonal skills that are vital for school, work, a...

[youtu.be](https://youtu.be/H_O1brYwdSY)

Click the link to find out more: https://youtu.be/H_O1brYwdSY

Summer Club



**BE PART OF
EM3 KIDS CLUB
THIS SUMMER!**

**(FOR AGES 4-11)
8am - 6pm : £24
9am - 3pm: £20**



Sign Up!

Contact:

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07804543273

em3kidsclub@outlook.com

or

stpeters@em3kidsclub.com

Online:

www.em3kidsclub.com

**25 July
to
26 August**



10 PHRASES TO CALM AN ANGRY CHILD

gozen.com

Instead of: Stop throwing things!

Try this: I'm going to move these toys to keep our bodies safe.



Instead of: Don't you dare hit!

Try this: It's OK to be angry, but I won't let you hit. We need to keep everyone safe.



Instead of: Big kids don't do this!

Try this: Big kids and even grown ups sometimes have big feelings. It's OK, these feeling will pass.



Instead of: You're being so difficult!

Try this: This is a tough one, huh? We're going to figure this out together.



Instead of: Eat your food or you will go to bed hungry!

Try this: What can we do to make this food work right now?



Instead of: We. Are. LEAVING!

Try this: What do you need to do to be ready to leave?



Instead of: Stop complaining!

Try this: Can you come up with a solution?



Instead of: I can't deal with you right now!

Try this: I'm starting to get frustrated, and I'm going to be right here calming down.



Instead of: You are impossible!

Try this: You are having a tough time.



Free Yoga Classes

With Benita Yoga at The Wilds

Thursday 26th May, 9th June, 16th June,
23rd June, 30th June, 7th July at 12 noon.

Only for residents of Barking Riverside,
Thames View, Waverley Gardens &
Scrattons Farm



Traditional yoga methods with mindfulness and light meditation to help with stress, difficulties sleeping, aches, pains and to make you feel energised and positive for the week ahead.

Please bring your own yoga mat or towel

Sign up today and secure your spot!

Email: alex@twcp.org.uk or via
Eventbrite



Enquire if you need free childcare at the event

Free Mindful Art Therapy

**Wednesdays 12:30-14:30: 15th June, 22nd
June, 29th June, 6th July, 13th July, 20th July**

Create Meditative Art with a local visual artist

During these 6 sessions we will be using techniques of meditative art and sacred geometry. We will make use of markers, watercolour mediums and pencils to transform inner chaos into outer beauty, while enjoying breathing techniques and guided meditation to ground ourselves and reclaim our peace of mind and wellbeing. No drawing or painting skills required.

**Materials and resources to be provided by the
facilitators.**

Main hall, the Rivergate Centre, Barking, IG11 0FJ

**Free classes only for residents of Thames View,
Barking Riverside, Waverly Gardens & Scrattons Farm**

Register to attend via Eventbrite or email
alex@twcp.org.uk & corinasava@gmail.com
for any event related questions





MINI ROCKERS

FOR RECEPTION TO YEAR 2

Fun and inclusive in-school rock and pop band lessons, for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. No experience or instrument required.



ROCK HEROES

FOR YEARS 3 AND 4

Fun and inclusive in-school rock and pop band lessons, for Years 3 and 4. No experience or instrument required.



ROCK ICONS

FOR YEARS 5 AND 6

Fun and inclusive in-school rock and pop band lessons, for Years 5 and 6. No experience or instrument required.

<https://www.rocksteadymusicschool.com/info-for-parents>

- ✓ **Learn to play in a band**
Learning an instrument should be fun. Your child can choose from the electric guitar, keyboard, drums or vocals and enjoy playing in a happy, supportive environment with their friends.
- ✓ **From first notes to favourite songs**
The Rocksteady Programme is for all children aged 4-11 and is proven to progress musicianship, confidence and teamwork skills with no prior experience necessary.
- ✓ **Lead by real musicians**
Your child's music teacher should also be their role model. Which is why all Rocksteady Band Leaders are carefully chosen, extensively trained musicians who know how to inspire a life-long love of playing music.
- ✓ **With regular live performances**
Playing on stage is a huge confidence booster. With termly concerts at school assemblies, your child will be able to show off their progress to friends, teachers and parents with the rest of their band.
- ✓ **In school time**
Lessons are 30 minutes long and take place in school time with all instruments provided, making it hassle-free for parents.
- ✓ **And happily affordable**
Rocksteady is one of the most hassle-free ways to learn an instrument on a rolling subscription that you can cancel at any time. It's risk free too – cancel in the first month and you'll get a full refund.

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You can scan the QR code or visit the website oneboroughvoice.lbbd.gov.uk/hunters-hall-school-street

From 13 June 2022 we will be making it safer for our children to get to **Hunters Hall Primary School**



From Monday 13 June 2022 the council intends to introduce a School Street at Hunters Hall Primary School to reduce traffic and improve road safety at pick up and drop off times.

The plans will make part of Alibon Road and Rockwell Road outside the school a pedestrian and cycle-only zone from the hours of **8am to 9.15am** and **2.45pm to 4pm** during term time.

Our aim is to transform the busy, congested and polluted road outside the school gate into a safer, healthier and more pleasant environment, and reduce the nuisance caused to local residents during the school run. We will operate the School Street for an initial 12 month period.

We are also working with children and parents to encourage walking, cycling and scooting to school. We would welcome your support with this so that everyone in the area can enjoy the benefits of quieter, safer roads.

Who is exempt?

No vehicles will be allowed into the school street zone during operating hours unless they have an exemption. Emergency services vehicles are automatically exempt.

Otherwise, you can apply for an exemption only if:

- you are a resident living within the School Street zone, or if you run a business within the zone
- you are a blue badge holder who requires immediate and regular access to the school
- you are a carer of a resident living within the zone, or you are a carer of a disabled or SEN child attending the school who needs to be dropped outside the school entrance, or
- you are a member of school staff.

You can see how to apply for an exemption at lbbd.gov.uk/apply-for-a-school-street-permit

Anyone who drives through the School Street zone without a permit may be liable to a penalty charge notice.

Children are exposed to up to **five times** higher pollution levels at the school gates



School run traffic accounts for **1 in 4 cars** on the road at peak times

40% of fatal road accidents involving children happen during school run hours



Pollution levels are often **higher** inside the car than outside



Half of local children do less than the recommended **30 minutes** of physical activity a day



The average school trip is **1km**



1,000 children a month are injured on school roads



WHO WE ARE

Our Youth Workers are on hand to inspire young people to lead healthier and more positive lives, raising their aspirations to become happy, caring, and responsible citizens with more to offer themselves, their families, the community and employers.

Every member gets to learn, develop, and grow with us and harness their skills and talents doing what they enjoy doing the most. With over 20 activities on offer 7 days a week, from boxing and climbing to cooking and dancing, there really is something for everyone.

Junior club (aged 8-12)
is open
Wednesday 4pm-8pm
Saturday 10am-2pm
Sunday 3pm-7pm.

Senior (aged 13 - 19)
is open
Wednesday 4pm-8pm
Saturday 10am-2pm
Sunday 3pm-7pm.

Future Youth Zone provides and caters for young people with a range of additional needs up to the age of 25.

Our Futurebilly sessions, are Sunday between 10am and 2pm.

£5
per year
+ 50p per visit

Each year it costs about £1.6 million to run the Youth Zone, and most of our budget is used to pay for Youth Workers who share their skills and passion with young people.



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