



# Hathern C of E Primary School

## School Update

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### In this weeks update:

- Year 6 residential
- Harvest
- Reminder from the office
- School sport
- Boom Reader

### Boreatton Park (PGL)

Last week our amazing year 6 enjoyed their residential trip to Boreatton Park. The children got to experience some challenging activities and push themselves to their limits. Each child had the opportunity to: canoe PGL's very own wild river; scale the Crazy Moose climbing wall; attack the challenge course; soar through the



skies on the zip line; duel their friend in fencing; walk in the clouds on the high rope and sing to the moon at the campfire. The children were



amazing whilst away and did our school proud. True ambassadors of the CARE code.

### A note from the office

Please let the office know if there have been any changes in your contact details (phone number, address etc) or medical issues that have occurred over the summer holidays.

### Harvest festival service in church

Friday 30th September—KS1 9.30am, KS2 10.30am  
Parents welcome.

### School Sport

Our sporting dedication has been on show again already this term with over 40 children taking part in inter-school competitions. It is amazing that we have over a 1/5 of our children taking part in sport competitions. Our cross country team of 25 had an amazing time at Prestwold Hall and performed superbly. We also sent two football teams out this week to take part in the Foxes School Sports inclusive



and league tournaments. They represented the school tremendously well and came first in the league event.



As you are aware, we have rolled out our new digital reading diary this week and you rchild has brought home their login details. This is a new system that I believe the children will really enjoy and also makes the recording of reading both at home and in school easier. If you are having any problems please speak to the class teacher and we will try and sort it as soon as we can.

Stuart Bailey - Head Teacher



# We join the nation in mourning the death of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II 1926 – 2022

As a school community we were saddened to learn of the death of our much loved monarch, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II. This week we have been reflecting and celebrating the life of a truly inspirational woman and leader. Our thoughts and prayers are with her family at this time.

The Bishop of Leicester, Right Reverend Martyn Snow, offered the following:

*"I learnt of the death of her Majesty the Queen with enormous sadness at the loss of a faithful, courageous and inspirational monarch.*

*"She was a great gift to our country, ruling for 70 years with complete dedication to her people and to her vocation. She succeeded in being Queen for all of us, whatever our status, beliefs or background. As we all know, she was held in deep respect and admiration across the world, by both ordinary people and international leaders.*

*"Having had the privilege of meeting her personally, I found Her Majesty to be warm and approachable, intensely interested in others and always keen to remind us that it is our common efforts that forge and maintain our community life. Her Christian faith provided an inspiration and encouragement to many, and was the motivation to her life-long desire to serve her country and the Commonwealth, and their people. We owe her a deep debt of gratitude.*

*"Today we pray for the Royal Family in their own grief, and extend our deepest sympathy to them."*

**The school will be closed on Monday 19th September to observe Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II's State Funeral.**