



# Hathern C of E Primary School

## School Update

Friday 25th February 2022

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### Living with Covid

Following the announcement this week from the government, we are striving to return to a 'normal' state at school. Covid is still with us (we have two cases in school this week) but we have to learn to live with it now. Changes from Monday include:

- The use of face coverings will be optional. Staff may continue to wear them for their own safety as we will all respect one another's right to be cautious.
- If a pupil comes in to contact with a positive case they do not have to do daily testing OR isolate.
- If a pupil or staff member has Covid symptoms and/or tests positive, it is still advised that they stay at home and avoid contact with others for at least 5 days, then continue to follow guidance until 2 negative test results are achieved on 2 consecutive days.
- The use of hand sanitizer will be encouraged and will be available in school as before.
- Classes will begin to mix socially again – Year 5 and 6 will enjoy lunchtime at Pasture Lane.
- Whole School assemblies and Acts of Collective Worship will resume at Pasture Lane.
- Extra-curricular clubs and activities will go ahead, including school trips and outings.
- Parents' Evening in March will take place in person.

Hopefully, these changes will benefit the children both socially and academically as we move through the school year.

### Diary Dates

#### Spring/Summer Term 2022

##### March 2022

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| Thur 4th              | Young Voices Choir restarts<br>Pasture Lane, 3.20-4.20pm |
| Mon 14th–<br>Wed 16th | Parents Evenings (face-to-face)<br>Pasture Lane          |
| Tues 15th             | Bags-2-School collection                                 |
| Fri 18th              | Comic Relief/Red Nose Day<br>Wear something red for £1   |
| Mon 21st–<br>Fri 25th | Bikeability—Year 6, Cross Street                         |

##### April 2022

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| Fri 8th               | School closes for Easter at 3.00pm |
| Mon 11th–<br>Fri 22nd | Easter Holiday                     |

##### May 2022

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| Mon 2nd                   | Bank Holiday                 |
| Mon 9th–<br>Fri 13th      | KS2 SATs Week                |
| Mon 16th                  | Young Voices Concert!        |
| Fri 27th–<br>Sat 28th     | Night under the stars—Year 6 |
| Mon 30th–<br>Fri 3rd June | May Half-term                |

##### June 2022

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| Mon 6th–<br>Wed 8th | Year 4 Residential to Beaumanor |
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##### July 2022

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| Thur 7th | School closes for summer at 3pm |
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### GDPR & Communication

In order to ensure compliance with our GDPR and Safeguarding Policies, we need to ensure that we have up-to-date contact details for your child. If anything has changed recently, e.g. home address, mobile phone numbers, additional contact details, etc. then please inform the office asap. Contact Cath or Sharon to make changes or check details.

## Registration

Class registers are taken each morning pretty much as soon as the gates are closed:

8.50am at Cross Street and  
8.55am at Pasture Lane.

Children arriving after these times will be marked as 'late'. Put simply, if your child has to be admitted through reception (at Pasture Lane) or by 'buzzing in' at Cross Street, then they will be marked as 'late'.

This figure counts towards overall attendance which is reported to County Hall (LCC).

Please ensure your child arrives promptly at school as being late is disruptive for your child and others.

If travelling from outside the village, please allow extra time for the predictable heavy traffic on the surrounding roads.

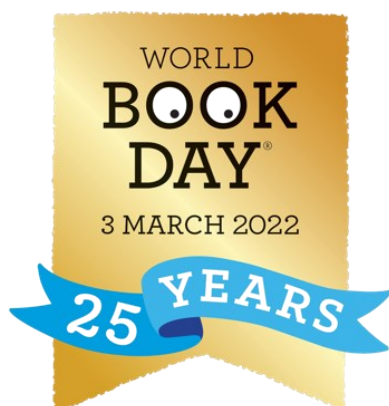


## Bag-2-School

On Tuesday 15th March there will be a collection of old/unwanted textiles by Bag -2-School. They accept the following '**good quality**' items for RE-USE\*:

- Men's, Ladies' and Children's clothing, Paired shoes, Handbags, Hats, Bags, Scarves and ties, Jewellery, Lingerie, Socks, Belts, Soft toys, Household linen, curtains, towels, bedding (bed sheets, pillow cases and duvet covers).

Each time we have done this, we have raised over £100 for school funds. So if you're having a sort out, save the items, bag them up and drop it off at school on Monday 14th March. Many thanks.

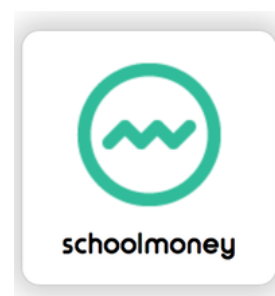


**Next Thursday the children are invited to celebrate World Book Day by dressing as a favourite character from a book or story. During the day, the children will undertake practical project work based around whatever class book has been chosen as well as having the opportunity to read and listening to stories even more than usual! They shall all receive a £1 book token which can be exchanged for a specially produced book at most book sellers.**

## School Money

Just a reminder that our preferred method of receiving payment (for lunches, Breakfast Club, etc.) is via **schoolmoney**. You can check your current balance or pay money at any time.

Lunches cost £2.40 per day and can be ordered daily or weekly. Breakfast Club bookings can be made online (again using schoolmoney). It really helps us to plan if bookings are made in advance. Don't forget that we accept [Tax Free Childcare](#) vouchers, allowing you to make savings—for every £8 you pay into this account, the government will pay in £2. Your employer may already have a scheme in place (we currently accept Sodexo, Klddivoucher, Edenred and Computershare). Anyone can apply!





# COMMUNITY NOTICES

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## Breakfast Club

Monday to Friday

7.30-8.45am ~ £6.00 per child

8.00-8.45am ~ £4.00 per child

includes breakfast and a drink

Book online or contact the office



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Tuesdays from 6.00 to 8.00 pm

Or up stairs at

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At the A&B Learning Centre, The Old Curiosity Book Shop

Viking Court, Viking House,  
Shephed Rd, Hathern LE12 5LZ

Activities for - 13+

Activities include

~ Life skills ~ Games ~ Arts ~

~ Cooking ~ Trips out ~ Awards ~

~ Bushcraft ~ Support ~

~ Help or just a chat! ~

£2 per person



Only 12 spaces

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# HATHERN YOUTH CLUB

**Hathern youth club is held most Fridays for children aged 7-11 from 6:15 - 7.30pm at the Village Hall. Children can start attending in the term in which they turn 7.**

**They have a range of games, fun activities and theme nights planned!**

**It costs just £1 to get in, but bring extra money for the tuck shop! Just turn up to join!**