

# HEPS News



Week beginning 17.06.19

## The Week Ahead...

Day	Information	Clubs
Monday 17 June	Deadline for permission slip return re Years 5 & 6 Sex Education lessons. Deadline for permission slip & contribution return for Parrett Class Trip (25 June).	Early Birds Breakfast Club Board Strategy Beginners Recorders Kickboxing Busy Bees
Tuesday 18 June	Deadline for return of KS2 (Years 3-6) paid meals order slips (for hot meals w/c 24 June).	Early Birds Breakfast Club EYFS & KS1 Athletics Busy Bees
Wednesday 19 June	Isle swimming 13:30-15:30. Y4 Multiplication Government Pilot for some children.	Early Birds Breakfast Club KS2 Athletics Busy Bees
Thursday 20 June	National Child Measurement Programme (height & weight); R & Year 6; 10:45. CLP Athletics Meeting (KS2); Huish Academy; 13:30-15:20. KS2 Fire Safety Talk from Somerton Fire Station; 15:00. Y4 Multiplication Government Pilot for some children.	Early Birds Breakfast Club Green Fingers Rounders Busy Bees
Friday 21 June	Levels Academy Trust Olympic Sports Day; Yeovil Athletics Arena (Pickett Lane, Yeovil BA21 3DS); parents/ carers welcome to come and support; 10:15-14:00.	Early Birds Breakfast Club Cricket Busy Bees

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### Letters sent out this week:

2019-2020 Staffing	All	For information
Sex Education (PSHE)	Years 5 & 6	Return permission slip by 17 June
CLP Public Speaking Competition	3 x pupils	Return permission slip ASAP
Learn With Us	Sedgemoor	Thursday, 27 June at 2.30pm

**Staffing:** We were delighted to welcome **Miss Beth Brown** who visited our school this week. Miss Brown will be the Class Teacher in Aller from September. Miss Brown will visit again on Transition Day, Wednesday, 3 July, to spend more time with the class.

**Whiteboards:** This week new whiteboards have been fitted in all classrooms. We should like to thank the PFA who contributed funds to pay for one of these. Sponsorship forms will be sent home this week to fundraise towards the cost of these essential classroom items. We thank you in advance for being supportive of this initiative.

**School Games Award:** On 11 June 2019, we heard that we have been awarded the GOLD School Games Award for all the sport and PE we do in and out of school. It is the fourth year running we have achieved the GOLD standard! Quote from our School Games Organiser Scott Brooks *'Congratulations Huish Episcopi Primary School on another great year, well done what a great effort, keep up the good work.'*

**Levels Academy Trust Sports Day:** A letter went out last week with information about the sports day on Friday, 21 June 2019 at Yeovil Athletics Arena (Pickett Lane, Yeovil BA21 3DS). Parents/carers are welcome to come to support from 10.15am, events should finish around 2.00pm. Although we have asked that supporters remain outside the track, at lunchtime we would like to see as many families eating lunch together so we will encourage everyone to come to our 'camp' on the other side of the track at that point.

**Safeguarding:** We kindly ask that parents and carers do not enter the school building in the mornings or at the end of the school day without a member of staff accompanying them. This includes on rainy days when children are sent directly into school rather than lining up on the playground.

**May Bank Holiday 2020:** Please note that the Government has changed next year's early May Bank Holiday from Monday, 4 May to **Friday, 8 May 2020**. So now the Monday will be a normal school day that week.

**PFA: Frozen Fridays:** The PFA are selling ice lollies outside the top gate until the end of term. Prices start at less than a £1.00. The **PFA AGM** will be at 3.30pm on Friday, 5 July 2019 at the school—all welcome! The **Year 6 Campout** will be held overnight on Friday, 12 July 2019; parents/carers of Year 6 children invited to a BBQ from 18:00-20:00 and again for breakfast at 07:00-08:00 on Saturday morning.

**Capture a Comment:** *"What was the best part of your week?"*

*"I liked making sushi—it was awesome. We had to be really careful and precise and follow the instructions really carefully. We learnt some more Japanese words which are difficult to say but then we got to eat the sushi at the end and it was delicious!"* (Kingsmoor pupil)

**Questions on the Gate:** *"Did the school commemorate D-Day?"*

Remembrance and commemoration are close to many of us in the school community. D-Day 75 will be given the status it deserves during our Remembrance Week in November when we will be focusing on this and other remarkable elements in our history. For the most effective understanding to take place, learning has to take place in context. Our Remembrance Week will build upon last year's and be the basis for the curriculum throughout the school during that time.