

HEPS News



Week beginning 2.10.2023

The Week Ahead...

	Cocklemoor	Haymoor	Leazemoor	Perrymoor	Portmoor	Saltmoor	Kingsmoor
Monday			Bring in PE kit		Wear PE kit		Booster 15:30-16:30
Tuesday		Bendy bodies 15:30-16:30	Bendy bodies 15:30-16:30	HEPS Harmonies Secret coders Rugby 15:30-16:30	HEPS Harmonies Secret coders Rugby 15:30-16:30	HEPS Harmonies Rugby 15:30-16:30	HEPS Harmonies Rugby 15:30-16:30
Wednesday		Bring in PE kit			Netball 15:30-16:30	Netball 15:30-16:30 Wear PE kit	Netball 15:30-16:30
Thursday		Storynory 15:30-16:30 Individual photos	Storynory 15:30-16:30 Individual photos	Arty crafty Cheerleading 15:30-16:30 Wear PE kit Individual photos	Arty crafty Cheerleading 15:30-16:30 Individual photos	Arty Crafty Cheerleading 15:30-16:30 Individual photos	Arty crafty Cheerleading 15:30-16:30 Individual photos
Friday	Bring in PE kit Bake sale	Bake sale	Bake sale	Please bring cakes in	Bake sale	Bake sale	Swimming 13:00-15:00 Bake sale 17:00 London information meeting

Quick link to our Twitter Feed:

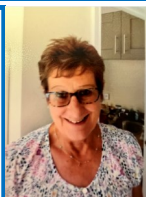
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Quick link to Calendar Dates:

[HEPS Diary Dates](#)

HEPS Chair of Governors:
Mrs Julia Gadd



**Deputy Designated
Safeguarding Lead and
Safeguarding Governor:**
Miss Chadbourne
Deputy Headteacher



**Designated Safeguarding
Lead:**
Mrs Doughty Davis
Headteacher



Letters/emails sent out recently or reminders:

Meals reminder	All pupils
Phone lines	All pupils
Kingsmoor homework	Y6 pupils
Y6 transition	Y6 pupils

School Lunches: Please make your menu choices and/or book and pay on Schoolcomms by 09:00am on Tuesday, 3 October 2023 for meals W/C 9 October 2023 (week 3 menu). You do not need to select a pudding when ordering a packed lunch.

Cocklemoor and Haymoor: We kindly ask parents and carers of Haymoor and Cocklemoor children to only bring book bags to school unless it is the day for PE. We don't have the storage space for rucksacks and other types of bags and it makes it very time consuming for staff to sort out reading books. We would prefer our staff spend time with the children. Thank you for your understanding.

Snacks at break: The school rule for snacks at breaktime is for fruit only. Cocklemoor, Haymoor and Leazemoor have a piece of fruit supplied to them free of charge. KS2 pupils should bring a piece of fruit into school.

Concert: We have a wonderful opportunity for our community and children to experience the Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra performing in our School Hall this weekend on Saturday 30 September at 17:00. There are still some tickets available. Please go to www.westlandsyeovil.co.uk or call 01935 422 884 to book tickets.

Kingsmoor Booster: There will be no booster session on Monday 9 October due to the interhouse competition.

Thinking ahead: Please speak with neighbours, local friends and family about booking in a school visit with us if they have children due to start school next September. For any tour, Mrs Doughty Davis will be happy to accompany individuals or family groups around HEPS so please call the School Office. Even those living close to the school are unaware that HEPS consistently has some of the best results across the county and has such fantastic facilities.

Kingsmoor London residential: There will be an information evening on Friday 6 October at 17:00. Please enter via the Kingsmoor door at the front of the school.

Harvest donations: Thank you for your kind and generous donations of both food bank provisions and 'Breads and Spreads' for our Harvest Assembly.

School field: The school field is a fantastic resource which is much loved by our children. Occasionally, you may see it being used after hours by ex-HEPS children. If the gate is open on the field it means that they have been given permission to use the field. If the gate is closed and there are no staff cars in the car park, please email the school so we can resolve the situation which may mean asking a member of staff to go to the field.

Tissues: Please send your child in with a little pack of tissues in their bag. If they have a cold, please send in a couple of packs which they can take into the classroom. This is an area where we are trying to encourage and improve independence.

Clothes donations: Please start saving your unused clothing ready to bring into school on Monday 20th November 2023. This is a school fundraiser with money going towards the library project.

Somerset Music Club: We would like to inform you of a great Saturday Music Club that has amongst other things a great orchestra and rock guitar group. It is called COSMIC- Centre of Somerset Music Club.

[https://somersectcosmic.org/#:~:text=The%20Club%20meets%20at%20Crispin,levels%20\(adults%20and%20children\).](https://somersectcosmic.org/#:~:text=The%20Club%20meets%20at%20Crispin,levels%20(adults%20and%20children).)

Safeguarding: Whilst we understand we are not able to extend our school policies beyond our boundaries, we would like to ask that parents, carers and friends wait until they are away from the school surroundings to smoke. This is particularly important in front of the school on the pavement where space is limited and children cannot avoid being engulfed in smoke.

We would also kindly ask that parking around the school and in the local car park is thoughtful towards other drivers and pedestrians. If cars are parked in front of gates, outside of allocated bays or on pavements, children are put at risk by having to cross between parked cars and moving cars which are swerving to avoid poorly parked vehicles. Thank you for your consideration.

Question on the gate: "When is the disco?"

"We have provisionally booked the date of the disco for Friday 10 November. We will send more details as soon as arrangements have been made."

Sparkle Jar Reading—5 reads a week minimum including holidays

Cocklemoor	Haymoor	Leazemoor	Perrymoor	Portmoor	Saltmoor	Kingsmoor
	88%	95%	96%	94%	95%	82%

Dates for your diary

We will put dates in the newsletter at the beginning and end of each term. In the meantime, please click on the pink link on this newsletter on page 1 which will take you to this page on the website. All dates and events are subject to change although as always, we aim to minimise this wherever possible. **Bold type means there has been an amendment since first published.**

Week commencing	Assemblies with parents (top gate 14:55 please)	Bake Sale (please bring cakes into Coronation Room Friday morning, thank you)	Events and information
04/09/2023			Monday – INSET (no children) No Early birds. No clubs. RSE letter and policy home. Mufti day for house points. Home visits for R23. Cockle Moor in until 12:00.
11/09/2023	Wednesday Kingsmoor celebration		Home visits R23. Cockle Moor in until 13:00. House point mufti day on Friday for Y1 and Y2 green team. Curriculum overviews sent home. Settling phone calls to parents.
18/09/2023		Saltmoor	
25/09/2023	Friday Portmoor celebration		Harvest Festival – Wed. Flu vaccination - Friday morning.
02/10/2023		Perrymoore	Christmas card design. School photos – Thursday. Kingsmoor London information evening, 17:00, enter via Kingsmoor door at the front of the school.
09/10/2023	Friday Leazemoor celebration		Leazemoor church visit – Thursday. Interhouse orienteering – Monday, after school.
16/10/2023			Friday - INSET (no children) No busy Bees – Thursday. Vocab mats sent home.
23/10/2023			
30/10/2023		Haymoor	London Y6 residential Wed-Fri. No Early Birds – Monday. Deadline for secondary school applications. House point mufti – Friday.
06/11/2023	Friday Cockle Moor celebration		Remembrance week. Remembrance Service Friday. Provisional date for disco.
13/11/2023		Kingsmoor	Children in Need mufti – Friday.
20/11/2023	Friday Saltmoor celebration		
27/11/2023		Portmoor	
04/12/2023	Friday Perrymoore celebration		Parents evenings Wed and Thursday. No clubs. Interhouse photography 'leaf' - Monday 09:00 deadline.
11/12/2023			No clubs. Vocab mats sent home. Nativity dress rehearsal - Wed PM (no parents). Nativity – Wed. Christmas jumper day – Thu. Carol Service KS2 - Friday. Christmas lunch and Christingle Service – Fri.