



Hall Green News!

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Welcome to this month's newsletter. It has been a great start to this academic year, with our pupils well settled into their new classes and enjoying a wide range of learning opportunities both in and out of the classroom. I am continually impressed by their enthusiasm, behaviour and commitment to learning.

I would like to take a moment to thank you as parents and guardians for the ongoing support shown towards our school. We are a team and when we work together, 'great things can happen.'

It was lovely to see so many of you at the recent Parents' Evening event, we hope you found it informative. Our staff certainly enjoyed meeting with you all, many for the first time.

Mrs Gilbert



Attendance

Results are in... the year group with highest attendance so far, this academic year is **Year 4** with **97.4%** - **Well done!**

Congratulations also go to Nursery FT who have the best attendance with **98.9%**.

Excellent work to classes **1A, 1B, 2B, 4A, 4B and 6A** who all have **over 96%** attendance.

Our aim is to get ALL classes to at LEAST 96% attendance,

You will have noticed our new banners that have been placed on the gates of our school, detailing some of the pupils' designs.

A message from our Governors

We understand it has been a busy and exciting start to the school year, with various visitors including the School Health Team, Marsh Lane Church, Bikeability, staff from other local primary schools and Phoenix Collegiate.

We have also had the pleasure of coming into school (Mrs Lamb-Chair; Mr Westbury-Vice Chair and Mrs Paddock-Co-opted) to talk with the children and teachers.

We were impressed to see the schools' values: **resilience, honesty, ownership and respect** being used. We look forward to continuing to support our school community in the lead up to Christmas.

SCHOOL TRIPS



We have reintroduced school trips this academic year and, wherever possible, have subsidised the cost to help keep them **affordable for families**. However, it is important to understand that the contributions requested are needed to cover the actual cost of the visit.

Unfortunately, if we do not receive sufficient contributions from families, we will be unable to meet the costs involved and regrettably, the trip may have to be cancelled.

We would also like to reassure parents and carers that the school does **not** make any profit from educational visits. All monies received are used solely to cover the costs associated with providing these valuable learning experiences for our pupils.

REMINDER

Please label all your child's belongings.

We have had a significant quantity of unclaimed, unlabelled children's clothing this half-term.

Without name labels we cannot re-unite these items to their owners.

New School Lunch Menu from November

We are pleased to let you know that we will be introducing a new school lunch menu from November.

The new menu offers a variety of tasty and nutritious options for our pupils. To view the menu and find out more, please click the link below:

[AUTUMN2 - 2027 DINNER MENU](#)

We hope the children enjoy the new choices available to them.

PLEASE REMEMBER:

WE ARE A **NUT-FREE, PEA-FREE, BEAN-FREE** SCHOOL DUE TO SIGNIFICANT NUMBERS OF PUPILS WITH ALLERGIES

Please do **NOT** send any of these items into school.

Thank you

Parent Governor Election

Thank you to everyone who voted in the Parent Governor Election.

We would also like to thank all candidates who put themselves forward for this important voluntary role, which requires commitment, time and dedication.

We are pleased to confirm that **Carla Baker** and **Cherrie Seeney** have been elected as our Parent Governors and will each serve a four-year term of office. **Conaratuations to them both!**

Celebrating achievements



Football Update

Our boys have been busy with several fixtures recently. In a league match against Ryders Green, the team put in an excellent performance and secured a fantastic 7-2 victory.

The team also represented the school at a tournament held in the West Bromwich Albion Indoor Dome, competing against 15 other schools. Despite facing some strong opposition, the boys performed brilliantly, drawing two games and narrowly losing three, showing great determination and teamwork throughout.

In another league fixture, we played Hateley Heath and, although the result did not go our way, the team worked hard and battled well in a 7-3 defeat.

We are also due to play Eaton Valley today and look forward to sharing the result in our next update.

With several more boys' fixtures and some exciting girls' matches coming up, there is plenty of football still to look forward to this term. Well done to all our players for their effort, sportsmanship and commitment!

DATE	EVENT	DATE	EVENT
22.10.26	Autumn Disco – tickets available on Arbor	09.12.26-11.12.26	Year 2&3 Residential to Frank Chapman Centre
23.10.26	Training Day -school closed to pupils	10.12.26	Year 4 Cadbury World trip
25.10.26-30.10.26	HALF TERM HOLIDAY	11.12.26	Non-Uniform Day - £1.00 donation
02.11.26	Pupils return to school	16.12.26	Christmas Lunch
05.11.26	Bonfire themed school lunch	17.12.26	Christmas Extravaganza (letter to follow)
05.11.26	Year 3 Thinktank Science trip	18.12.26	Party Day
13.11.26	Children In Need	21.12.26-01.01.27	CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS
20.11.26	Non-Uniform Day – donation of sweets	04.01.27	Training Day – school closed to pupils
27.11.26	Non-Uniform Day – donation of chocolates	05.01.27	Pupils return to school
27.11.26	Year 5 National Space Centre trip		

FURTHER INFORMATION

Please remember our website contains lots of information, news, letters, photos and much more...

<https://www.hallgreenprimary.co.uk/>

WINTER DAYS

With dark nights setting in, please have a safe half term holiday when it comes and extra careful when crossing the busy roads.

REMEMBER: Don't forget the clocks go **back one hour** on Sunday 25th October

YOUR CHANCE TO SHINE