

# HEMBLINGTON NEWS

Week beginning Monday 3rd June 2024

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## Welcome

Welcome back to Summer Term 2! We hope you enjoyed a lovely break with your families!

We look forward to hearing about the adventures our pupils have had!

Before half term, some Year 4 and 5 pupils thoroughly enjoyed a wonderful residential to How Hill. While the remaining Year 4 and 5 pupils joined Year 3 and had a fantastic time taking part in a Tennis Festival and a Swimming session.

We are very proud of how superbly these pupils represented the school and were consistently showing the Hemblington 4Bs!

We have a busy term ahead, so please ensure you check diary dates carefully and as always if you have any questions or concerns please speak to Miss Brugger either on the gate or email [office-hp@yare-edu.org.uk](mailto:office-hp@yare-edu.org.uk)

This week we look forward to the Year 5/6 mixed gender Cricket competition on Tuesday and the girls on Thursday. We also will be thinking about the last of our six school and federation values "being hopeful".

Finally, please note the Friends have had to move the school disco to Thursday 6th June.



## Be Responsible

Well done to the Year 4 and 5 pupils who responsibly took part in their first school residential at How Hill.

## Be Resilient

Well done to Year 3 and 4 who demonstrated resilience at the tennis festival and competition last week.

## Be Respectful

Well done to the Year 5 pupils who showed respect at the performing arts session at TSAHS last week.

## Be Ready

We are ready for the final term of the academic year!



## Be The Best You Can

Be responsible, Be respectful, Be resilient and Be ready

## Mrs Swift's 50K in 5 days!!

Congratulations to Mrs Swift who completed her 50K in 5 days challenge!

Mrs Swift finished her final 10K with an incredible personal best time of 51 minutes!!

She ran the last km around the school field, cheered on by the whole school and accompanied by the House Captains. Thank you to everyone who have contributed to the fantastic £2000 Mrs Swift has raised for the MS Society!



Thank you to every pupil who donated £1 towards the society. The school raised £134.25

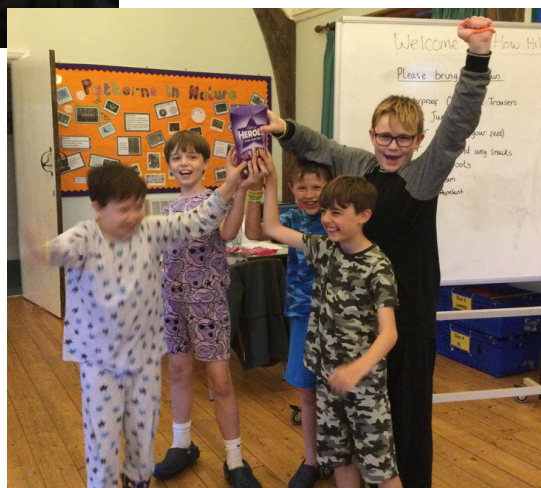


# Fantastic Learning

Year 4 and Year 5 pupils at How Hill



Their first residential!



# REMINDERS

## **School Tuck Shop**

For children in Year 3,4,5 and 6 the Tuck Shop will be available daily, selling apples, bananas or raisins for 50p each. Year 6 pupils will be running this outside next to the equipment shed.

## **School Lunches**

The menu for after half term is now on the school website. Orders must be placed (or cancelled) via Arbor Parent Portal by 8 am on the day

## **School Uniform**

Pupils are expected to wear a royal blue sweatshirt with the school logo, white polo shirt, black or grey trousers, shorts or skirt with grey or white tights or socks and plain black, flat shoes with a good sole grip. Blue and white gingham dresses are also permitted. Your child's teacher will confirm when the class are learning PE and on these days children are expected to attend in their house colour t-shirt, black shorts, dark colour trainers, black, grey or white socks and the navy school logo sweatshirt or black, navy or grey tracksuit. Please note all clothing must be plain or showing the school logo. For health and safety reasons, hair longer than shoulder length should be tied back at all times in school.

## **School Day**

The site opens at 8.30 am and the doors at 8.35 am. The gates close at 8.45 am as this is registration. Any child arriving after 8.45 am will need to enter by the main office. In the afternoon the gates open at 3.05 pm ready for Reception to be collected at 3.10 pm and Year 1-6 at 3.15 pm.

## **White Rose App**

Within school, we use White Rose Maths and they have released a free app called '1-Minute Maths' to help children to practise at home. The app is aimed at children in Reception and Key Stage 1 so if you have children in those year groups please download the app and encourage your child to have a go!

## **Parking**

Parents and carers are reminded to be considerate of local residents at the start and end of the school day. Please use Heathlands or the Tamarind for parking before and after school.

## **Clubs**

Clubs will be on offer after half term: Monday - gardening or art and Tuesday, Thursday and Friday Premier Sports. For gardening and art, please sign your child up using the Arbor Parent Portal. Please click this link for a list of [Athletics Clubs in Norfolk](#).

## Guide for parents worried about Neurodiversity Differences/Additional Needs

This NHS [guide](#) (on the SEND page of the school website) signposts families to resources and services to support you on your journey as well as useful information about training, EHCPs and help with sleep and mental health difficulties. Please reach out to these services for help.

## Hedgehogs - Breakfast and After School Club

Breakfast club sessions run from 7:30am to 8:35 am and cost £6. A choice of cereals and toast are available. After school sessions run from 3:20pm to 6:00pm and cost £12. All children are provided with a school snack pack. Sessions currently take place in the Owlery. To book a session please email: [head-ds@yare-edu.org.uk](mailto:head-ds@yare-edu.org.uk)

## School Governance - Can you help?

The Governing Body of Hemblington and Dussindale Primary Schools currently have vacancies for parent representation from each site. As volunteers, school governors carry out a valuable role in supporting and constructively challenging our schools in the best interests of pupils. If you would be interested in this role and want to know more - please email [head-ds@yare-edu.org.uk](mailto:head-ds@yare-edu.org.uk)

## Lost Property

Please name all items of clothing so it can be returned to pupils. Unnamed items will be kept in the box by the corridor down to the hall.

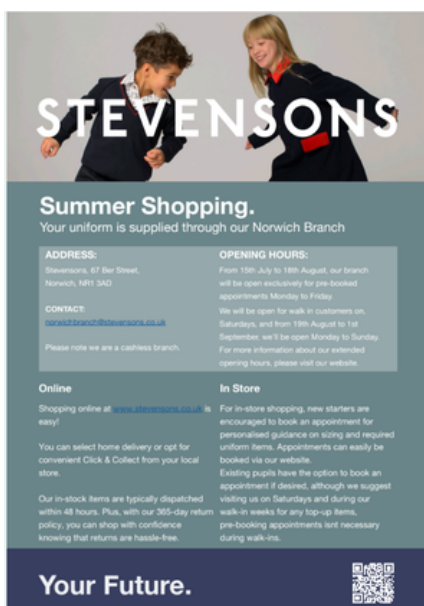
## Dyslexia Awareness Parent/Carer Workshops

<b>Tues 18 Jun 2024</b> <b>9.30 – 11.45AM</b>	<b>Reading/Spelling Strategies (primary age)</b> – The workshop will look at the types of challenges a dyslexic young person might face when doing reading and spelling, and explore a wide range of practical support tools, resources and apps that you can use at home to support your child.	<b>£10</b> per person
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To book your place please click [here](#)

Please contact Laura Bates for further information or to book a place at:  
[dosadmin@taverhamhigh.org](mailto:dosadmin@taverhamhigh.org) or telephone 01603 860505 ex 239

## Parent Support



**STEVENSONS**

### Summer Shopping.

Your uniform is supplied through our Norwich Branch

**ADDRESS:**  
Stevensons, 47 Bar Street,  
Norwich, NR1 3AD

**CONTACT:**  
[norwichbranch@stevensons.co.uk](mailto:norwichbranch@stevensons.co.uk)


Please note we are a cashless branch.

**OPENING HOURS:**  
From 15th July to 18th August, our branch will be open exclusively for pre-booked appointments Monday to Friday. We will be open for walk-in customers on Saturdays, and from 19th August to 1st September, we'll be open Monday to Sunday. For more information about our extended opening hours, please visit our website.

**Online**  
Shopping online at [www.stevensons.co.uk](http://www.stevensons.co.uk) is easy!  
You can select home delivery or opt for convenient Click & Collect from your local store.  
Our in-stock items are typically dispatched within 48 hours. Plus, with our 365-day return policy, you can shop with confidence knowing that returns are hassle-free.

**In Store**  
For in-store shopping, new starters are encouraged to book an appointment for personalised guidance on sizing and required uniform items. Appointments can easily be booked via our website. Existing pupils have the option to book an appointment if desired, although we suggest visiting us on Saturdays and during our walk-in weeks for any top-up items, pre-booking appointments isn't necessary during walk-ins.

**Your Future.**



## Are you Separated or Separating?



Worried about your child getting caught in the middle?  
Family Transitions Groups can help



**What parents have said -**

**"Has had significant benefits and an insight into how to overcome challenges with co parenting"**

**"The teachers (course leaders) were kind, thoughtful, helpful and supportive"**

Completely Free! Five week online course.  
One session per week.

Monday 3rd June 09:30-11:30  
Wednesday 5th June 18:00-20:00  
Thursday 6th June 12:30-14:30  
Monday 10th June 10:00-12:00

To book contact [roxanne.mcdowell@norfolk.gov.uk](mailto:roxanne.mcdowell@norfolk.gov.uk)

# DIARY DATES

- Tuesday 4th June - Year 5/6 Cricket event (limited number of pupils attend)
- Thursday 6th June - Year 5/6 Girls Cricket event (limited number of pupils attend)
- Thursday 6th June - School Disco
- Friday 7th June - Eagles Class provide cakes for Friends Cake Sale
- Week beginning 10th June - Year 1 phonics screening
- Monday 10th June - 'Change for Life' event for pupils with additional needs
- Monday 10th June - EYFS/Preschool Cycle event
- Monday 10th June - Friends meeting 8 pm tbc
- Wednesday 12th June - 2024/25 Year R Parents information evening
- Wednesday 12th June - TSAHS Year 6 SEND and vulnerable groups transition event 5 pm
- Monday 17th June - First Aid with East Anglia Air Ambulance
- Monday 24th June - Wednesday 26th June - Year 6 residential to Hautbois
- Monday 24th June - Year 3/4 girls NCFE Football event (limited number of pupils to attend)
- Wednesday 26th June - Dance workshops
- Friday 28th June - Year 6 Mystery Trip
- Monday 1st and Tuesday 2nd July - Year 6 transition days to Acle
- Tuesday 2nd July - Kingfishers to Congo Rapids
- Thursday 4th July - SPORTS DAY! All day!!
- Friday 5th July - Swans educational visit
- Friday 5th July - Friends Summer BBQ
- Monday 8th July - Robins to Time and Tide Museum
- Monday 8th July - Friends meeting 8 pm tbc
- Wednesday 10th July - Transition Day
- Wednesday 10th July - School Reports to parents
- Thursday 11th and Friday 12th July - Year 6 transition day to Thorpe St. Andrew High School
- Friday 12th July - Friends 'Dress down day - summer theme
- Monday 15th July - Bikeability Years 5 and 6
- Tuesday 16th July - Music concert 9 am
- Tuesday 16th July - Bikeability Years 5 and 6
- Wednesday 17th July - Bikeability Years 5 and 6
- Thursday 18th July - Bikeability Years 5 and 6
- Friday 19th July - 2 pm Year 6 Leavers Assembly
- Friday 19th July - Last day of term
- Monday 22nd July - Tuesday 3rd September - School Holidays
- Wednesday 4th September - First day of autumn term for Year 1 - 6
- Monday 9th - Thursday 12th September - Reception attend in groups
- Friday 13th September - Reception attend full time

White dates - schools open to pupils  
 Yellow dates - pupil holiday  
 Red dates - term holiday

Five staff training days will be selected from yellow dates, we suggest 2 & 3 September, 6 January and 22 April. Some may choose to use twilight hours for staff training instead of some or all of these.