



UPDATE

Another bumper edition of the school newsletter to come! Thanks to all of the families who completed the survey over the last couple of weeks. School Leaders and Governors will be looking at the results and will be providing some feedback and next steps, via the newsletter, in the weeks to come. Hope you all have a lovely weekend and enjoy the weather!

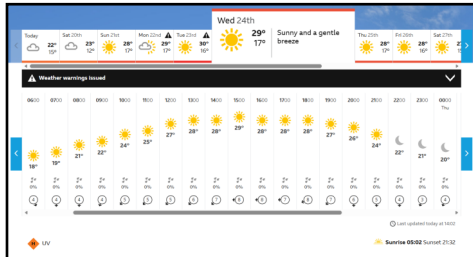
SQUISHIES

We have seen a huge increase in squishies coming into school in recent weeks. Unfortunately, we are going to have to ask that squishies stay at home please. Some children may require fidget toys as part of their provision but this will have been agreed with Mrs Bedford/Class teacher or may appear as a recommendation within a professional report. We have lots of alternatives to squishies that can be used in school if necessary and will be provided by Mrs Bedford.

Unfortunately, they are proving too much of a distraction, are often traded leading to argument and upset and also can cause injury in the event of them being popped or damaged, with a number of high profile stories in the news over the last couple of weeks. If they come into school we will ensure that they are returned directly to you at the end of the school day and will ask that they are not returned. Thank you for your support.

SPORTS DAY UPDATE

It looks like we are in for some hot weather next week. There is a weather warning in place on Monday and Tuesday and I will review things over the weekend before making a decision about whether we got ahead with Sports Day or have to postpone to our reserve date. Always a difficult decision but I will update you with as much notice as possible of any cancellation.



YEAR ONE WOOLEY FARM VISIT



Year 1 had a wonderful day at Woolley Animals on Wednesday. They particularly enjoyed watching the goats being milked, holding the guinea pigs, and feeding lots of animals. It was brilliant that the center put on their social media how well behaved and good mannered the children were.

YEAR 5 and YEAR 6 CRICKET



An outstanding performance from our Hayward's Cricket team resulted in them going unbeaten at the regional qualifiers. They managed to beat four other schools and have secured their place at the County Championship Finals at Devon. The children played so well that they managed to beat the other teams by an average of more than 50 runs. The children should be incredibly proud of their efforts and are already looking forward to their finals appearance.

YEAR 3 and YEAR 4 TENNIS

This week some Year 3 and Year 4 children had the brilliant experience of professional tennis coaching at Exeter Golf and Country Club. We enjoyed the facilities, learned new skills and had loads of fun as you can see! Maybe with Wimbledon coming up, we have a few upcoming stars in the making!



CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH



The Church are running their annual summer holiday club again this year. If you are interested in booking, please click on the following link:

<https://creditoncc.churchsuite.com/events/re2x0noa>

NAYAMBA FUNDRAISER



Please may we say, on behalf of Hayward's School Council—who organised our Nayamba charity day—a HUGE THANKYOU to all of our children and families. We raised £270!

It was wonderful to see the children dressed in the bright African colours and prints. The generosity of the families was amazing. We have had lots of donations of stationery which is much needed in Nayamba. We are always so proud of how our families support events we hold for the children. The colouring competition closes on Friday June 26th when the school council will be judging some lucky winning butterflies!



NEXT WEEK—SUMMER FETE



Friends of Hayward's School

Haywards Summer Fete

Friday 26th June

6pm onwards

Festival Theme

- Traditional fete stalls
- Inflatable assault course
- BBQ and Bar
- Teacher stalls
- Summer Raffle
- and much much more...

LIVE MUSIC



Our Hayward's Summer Fete is now only a week away. We are hoping for beautiful weather—looks good so far—and an evening of fun and excitement.

There is no cost for entry and the fete is open from 6pm to 8pm.

Thank you in advance to all of the PTA volunteers who will be giving up their time to support the event and the staff who will be running some of the stalls.

KEY REMINDERS

OUR AMAZING PTA

We are incredibly fortunate to have a PTA who raises thousands of pounds each year to provide opportunities and experiences for the children at Hayward's. Without their support, there are many things that we would struggle to be able to provide.

At the end of this school year, be losing a number of key, long-standing members and are desperately in need of some volunteers who can step into some crucial roles; chairperson, treasurer and secretary. We also need to boost the number of volunteers who attend meetings in order for us to be able to effectively share the load around amongst the team. Without this additional support, there is a real danger that we would have no PTA at school.

If you are able to give up some of your time to support the PTA, I would be extremely grateful and it will ensure that we continue to make a massive difference to the children.



OUR PTA NEEDS YOU!

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS PLUS PEOPLE FOR THREE VITAL ROLES FROM SEPTEMBER

 <p>CHAIRPERSON</p> <p>Lead the PTA, chair meetings and help drive our plans forward.</p>	 <p>TREASURER</p> <p>Manage our funds, budgets and ensure we're financially responsible.</p>	 <p>SECRETARY</p> <p>Take minutes, keep us organised and help communications run smoothly.</p>
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IF THESE ROLES AREN'T FILLED, THERE WILL BE NO PTA.

 <p>INCREASE IN PRICE OF SCHOOL TRIPS</p> <p>Without PTA support, trip costs will increase.</p>	 <p>NO FUNDRAISING EVENTS SUCH AS DISCOS</p> <p>No discos, fairs or events that our children love.</p>	 <p>A HUGE LOSS FOR OUR SCHOOL</p> <p>These roles keep our school community vibrant and our children happy!</p>
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PLEASE STEP FORWARD AND HELP MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

If interested, please contact friends@haywards.devon.sch.uk

PRIMARY SPORTS



Well done to all of the children who have received their Primary Sports awards from Mr Kelly this week; Thomas, Nola, Amelia, Jayden, Fleur and Caia. Well done to everybody!



PRIMARY SPORTS SUMMER HOLIDAY

Primary Sports will be running their 'Ultimate Activity Camp' at Lanscove Primary School this Summer. I have attached the flyer which provides information about dates, costs and session times. If you would like additional information about the camp, please speak with Mr Keast via email at nathank@primary-sports.co.uk.

Our very own Mr Kelly will be in attendance on a number of the days.



PRIMARY SPORTS & EDUCATION

LANDSCOVE ULTIMATE ACTIVITY CAMP

SCAN TO BOOK

6-12 YEARS OLD

NERF GUN BATTLES, FOOTBALL, LASER TAG, ARTS & CRAFTS, DODGEBALL, GLOW IN THE DARK SPORTS, TALENT SHOWS, CRICKET, SILENT DISCO & MUCH MORE!!!

<p>PRICES:</p> <p>STANDARD DAY - £25</p> <p>EXTENDED DAY - £30</p>	<p>TIMES:</p> <p>STANDARD - 8:45AM - 3:30PM</p> <p>EXTENDED - 8AM - 5:30PM</p>
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2026 Dates:

WEEK 1 - 23rd - 24th JULY

WEEK 2 - 27th - 28th JULY

WEEK 3 - 3rd - 7th AUGUST

WEEK 4 - 10th - 14th AUGUST

WEEK 5 - 17th - 21st AUGUST

WEEK 6 - 24th - 25th AUGUST

BOOKING LINK - <https://www.primary-sports.co.uk/events/2026/07/23/landscove-primary-school-summer-holiday-camps-2026>

LANDSCOVE PRIMARY SCHOOL

THRESHERS

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Ofsted Registered

More Information: nathank@primary-sports.co.uk / 07894732433

PLEASE SUPPORT—BOOKS FOR SCHOOLS



HELP US WIN £1,000 FOR OUR SCHOOL'S LIBRARY

NATIONAL BOOK tokens

In association with **Read for Good**

GO ALL IN.

National Year of Reading 2026

#rebuildthelibrary

Please follow the link and vote for Hayward's <https://www.nationalbooktokens.com/schools-prize#form>

The closing date for entries is Wednesday 8th July.

BIG STEP—YEAR 6 CHILDREN GOING TO QE



"I think this was one of the greatest experiences of my life, IT WAS AMAZING!"

Participating student: 2023

GET YEAR-7 READY

LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE

THE BIG STEP! TRANSITION PROGRAMME AT:

QUEEN ELIZABETH'S SCHOOL

3 - 7 AUGUST 2026

QE is partnering with 'The Big Step' to offer a transition programme designed to give your child the best start possible, helping them to feel at home in their new school before they start in September. To book and to find out more about costings for the activity week, please click [here](#).

PICK N' MIX SHARING

Summer 2: Wednesday 15th July 2026

HEADTEACHER AWARD



Well done to Catherine for passing her Goldfish 2, to Leon and Zack for passing their STANley 7, to Roxy for her recent football award, to Hannah for passing her recent grading, to Lily for showing great maturity, to Maisie for her amazing 'story in a box' model, to Rory for some brilliant work in Maths, to Finley, Grace and Noah for passing their latest grading, to Sienna for some excellent writing, to Kaitlin for some really well developed and edited writing, to Finn for some excellent home-learning and some impressive progress in his times tables, to Hayden for some brilliant writing, to Mia for some brilliant mathematical work, to Elliot for his Players Player trophy, to Millie for her Maths, to Thomas and Noah for their football awards, to Casper, Jackson and Charlie for reaching 105 stickers on their chart, Laura for her amazing number work and Finley and Ava for reaching their 105 stickers on a chart too, to Thomas and Maria for some brilliant writing, to Thomas and Ivy Rose for some amazing English, to Isla for winning a recent dog training competition, to Poppy and William for the amazing effort that are putting into their phonics and writing and to Arthur and Alice for the hard work and commitment that they are putting into their spelling. Well done everybody!



KEY DATES FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR

Wednesday 24th June 2026	Sports Day—KS2 (am) and EYFS/KS1 and EYFS (pm)
Friday 26th June 2026	Hayward's Summer Fete
Wednesday 1st July 2026	Reserve Sports Day—KS2 (am) and EYFS/KS1 (pm)
Thursday 2nd July 2026	Reception Vision Screening Visit
Thursday 2nd July 2026 at 6pm	Parents' Information Evening for children in Year 6 attending QE in September 2026 - find out essential transition information
Fri 3rd July 2026	Year 1 Poetry Celebration Assembly
Tuesday 7th July 2026	Year 6 Play Performance One
Wednesday 8th July 2026	Year 6 Transition Day – students will attend the Barnfield Campus, meet staff, experience lessons and complete orientation activities
Thursday 9th July 2026	Year 6 Play Performance Two
Fri 10th July 2026	EYFS Poetry Celebration Assembly
Tuesday 14th July 2026	EYFS Cake Sale (3:30pm)
Thursday 16th July 2026	Year 6 Graduation Evening (at the Boniface Centre) 6pm
Tuesday 21st July 2026	Last day of the Summer Term 2026