



21st June 2024

## Hauxton Primary School Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

At last the sun is shining! Let's hope that this continues into next week and the weather is kind for Sports Day next Friday afternoon. In case of poor weather, we will notify you by Class Dojo on Friday morning and postpone the event until 2nd July 2024. Thanks to Mrs Cooke for all the hard work that goes into making the event such a fun and enjoyable one for the children. For those of you that may not have attended before, don't forget to wear your running shoes. We'd hate you to miss out on the chance to show your running prowess in the parent races!

On Saturday 29th June, between 12 noon and 3pm, the HSA will be hosting the Golden Jubilee Summer Fete to celebrate the School's 50th birthday. Do come along and join in the fun. With a silent disco, a workshop from Those History People and numerous stalls and games, there really does promise to be something for everyone. If you're able to offer half an hour's support on one of the stalls or activities, please do let the Office know when you're available and we can allocate you to a stall. The more volunteers we have, the more fun we can offer to everyone.

Finally, thank you for your patience and understanding whilst the Governors have been working tirelessly behind the scenes to negotiate and finalise management arrangements for September 2024.

A letter has been emailed to all parents and carers today outlining the new interim management structure and plans for moving forward as we enter the new academic year. I am delighted that Sasha Howard will be joining the school as Interim Headteacher. She is an experienced Headteacher who understands the challenges of leading a small school and I am confident that she will use her wealth of expertise to guide the school over the coming year. I have no doubt that you will offer her the same warm welcome and support that you have afforded me over the past year and wish her all the very best for September 2024.

Have a lovely weekend.

Helen Hurworth

### CLUBS

**Tuesday**  
Gardening Club (Mrs Cooke) 3.15pm to 4.15pm **\*FULL\***

**Wednesday**  
Multi Sports Club  
EYFS/KS1 3:15pm to 4:15pm

**Thursday**  
Multi Sports Club KS2  
3:15pm to 4:15pm

**Friday**  
KS2 Running Club (JS Sport & Education /Mrs Hurworth)  
8am to 8.45am

### DIARY DATES

**28th June 2024**  
**Sports Day (afternoon)**

**Saturday 29th June 2024**  
**Golden Jubilee Fete**  
**12noon—3pm**

**8th—12th July 2024**  
**Maths Week**

**10th and 11th July 2024**  
**KS2 Production 6pm**

**16th July 2024**  
**Move Up Morning**

**18th July 2024**  
**Willow Trip to the University Botanic Gardens, Cambridge.**

**19th July 2024**  
**Last Day of Summer Term**

# Being the best we can be.



## Bikeability Level 1 Training

Years 3 and 4

September 2024

Just a reminder that children who will be in Year 3 and 4 in September 2024 will have the opportunity to take part in Level 1 Bikeability during the first week of the Autumn Term. Level 1 equips participants with the skills to ride their bike with excellent control. The training is based around fun, practical games to encourage pupils to begin making off-road journeys by bicycle.

Level 1 takes place in 1x 2-hour session conducted entirely on the playground.

Level 1 Activities: • Pedal independently without stabilisers (this is not a learn to ride course) • Apply brakes to bring the cycle to a smooth and quick stop • Look behind over each shoulder while pedalling in a straight line • Pedal one handed in a straight line • Use gears (if present) • Avoid hazards

To participate your child will need a bicycle and a helmet (this is compulsory). If you have not yet signed up for the course, please speak to the Office urgently. The deadline for school to share information with Bikeability is Wednesday 26th June 2024.



Thank you to those children who shared their Eid-ul-Adha stories with the whole school during the assembly on Wednesday. Eid-ul-Adha (Festival of the Sacrifice), one of the main Islamic holidays, took place earlier this week. The children and staff enjoyed hearing about the festival and how the celebrations differ from country to country.

## Reminders:

- ♦ **Year 3/4 permission slip for Bikeability**
- ♦ **Permission slip and deposit for residential visit (Autumn Term 24)**
- ♦ **Donations for the Golden Jubilee Fete (please leave in the lobby)**
- ♦ **Sunhats and sunscreen (whilst summer is here!)**