



Northlands News

Northlands Primary School and Nursery

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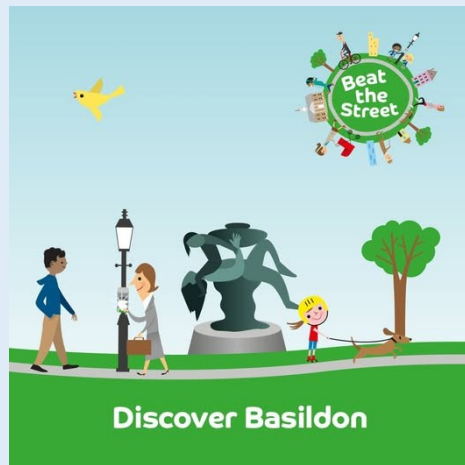
Dear Parents, at this time of year, there is always so much going on in school, with a wide range of events, trips and activities taking place. While academic achievement remains important, we firmly believe that personal development is just as valuable, which is why so much thought, time and care goes into planning these opportunities for our pupils. By encouraging our pupils to try new things and embrace different opportunities, we hope every child can discover their strengths, develop new interests and grow into thoughtful, well-rounded young people who make a positive contribution to society. I hope you enjoy a sunny and enjoyable weekend. **Mr Figg**



Celebration Assembly Stars



Well done to the children who starred in our Celebration Assemblies this week. These children were recognised for their commitment to our school values for being the most hard-working, respectful, ambitious and honest children in their class.



Beat The Street has started! For more information ask in the office for a pack. At the moment Northlands is in the lead!

Oliver Twist



On Monday Year 5 and Year 6 enjoyed a fantastic visit

from a theatre company who performed an engaging adaptation of *Oliver Twist*. The pupils were captivated by the actors bringing Charles Dickens' classic story to life. Following the show, the children took part in an interactive workshop exploring careers within the theatre industry. They learned about the many roles involved in creating a production, from actors and directors to costume designers, stage managers and technicians.

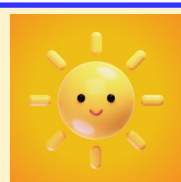
The workshop provided a fascinating insight into the teamwork, creativity and planning required to put a successful theatre production together.



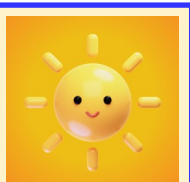
Magistrates in the Community

Year 6 enjoyed an exciting and informative Magistrates in the Community Day this week, giving them a valuable insight into the justice system.

During the sessions, the children learned about the different roles within a courtroom, including Magistrates, Solicitors, witnesses and court staff. The children then took part in a mock trial. Taking on a variety of courtroom roles, they presented evidence, questioned witnesses and considered the arguments from both sides. The Magistrates then deliberated before reaching a verdict based on the evidence presented.



Warm Weather Reminders—temperatures are set to rise over the next week. To help keep children be as comfortable as possible, please could parents: **provide children with a refillable water bottle (that is filled up at the start of the day), apply sun cream before school and ensure children have a hat.** Thanks for your support



Father's Day

We would like to say a Happy Father's Day to all wonderful Fathers, Grandfathers and Father figures in our school community. Another big thank you to everyone who supported our Father's Day sale and raffle, every penny raised goes towards making Northlands even better.



Attendance Update

Congratulations to our top three classes this week:

1st Place Sycamore 99.4%

2nd Place Birch 99.3% 3rd Place Willow 98%

Coming soon!! Keep an eye out for our final attendance competition of the



Nursery Spaces: Now Enrolling For September

We are now accepting applications for nursery places starting this September. Places in both our 2-year-old room and preschool provision are filling quickly. A range of fully funded childcare options are available for eligible families.

Give your child the very best start in a nurturing, fun, and stimulating environment where they can grow in confidence, develop their curiosity, and build the independence and skills they need for future learning. With sessional places starting from just **£12 per session**, our nursery offers exceptional value alongside high-quality care and education.

For further information, to discuss funding options, or to arrange a visit, please contact the school office. We would be delighted to welcome you and your child to our nursery community.



Outside School Success

We love hearing about our pupil's successes outside of school. This week well done to:

Andreea for being awarded a certificate in her swimming.

Emily for competing in her second golf competition and improving from 5th to 3rd!

A huge well done goes to Ronnie who received a Blue Peter badge for completing some voluntary homework.

Finally, well done to Millie for going up a level with her swimming.



Summer Term Diary 2026

Tuesday 23rd June	2:20pm Beech Class assembly to parents
Wednesday 24th June	Year 3 trip & 10:45 Acorn 2 AM sports day & 2:15 Acorn 1 & 2 PM sports day
Thursday 25th June	1:45pm Reception Classes Sports Day & 2:20pm Willow Class assembly to parents
Friday 26th June	Elm Class at Forest School
Monday 29th June	Year 6 Residential trip to Isle of Wight & 1:45pm Year 1 & 2 sports days
Tuesday 30th June	Hazel Class trip to Hyde Hall
Wednesday 1st July	Chestnut Class trip to Hyde Hall & 1:45pm Year 3 & 4 Sports Day
Thursday 2nd July	Maple Class trip to Hyde Hall & 2:20pm Hawthorn Class assembly to parents
Friday 3rd July	Elm Class at Forest School
Monday 6th July	Start of Science Week
Tuesday 7th July	Move Up Mornings & 2:20pm Sycamore Class assembly to parents
Thursday 9th July	2:20pm Cherry Class assembly to parents
Friday 10th July	Elm Class at Forest School & 1:45pm Year 5 & 6 sports day
Tuesday 14th July	3:15-5:00pm Summer Fete
Wednesday 15th July	2:20pm Elm Class assembly to parents
Thursday 16th July	2:00pm Acorn 1 and Acorn 2 nursery Teddy Bears Picnic
Monday 20th July	Year 6 Leavers' Party
Tuesday 21st July	2:00pm Year 6 Leavers' Assembly to parents & End of academic year
Wednesday 22nd July to Monday 31st August Summer break	
Tuesday 1st September	Reception to Year 6 children return