



# RIVERBRIDGE REVIEW

Spring Term

Week 12

28<sup>th</sup> March 2024

Today's rather wet weather will hopefully not be a sign of what is in store over the Easter weekend!

It is certainly a good reminder of the impact rain can have. Many of you will recall the disruption caused by flooding at Knowle Green in September 2022. This was significant and could have delayed the start of Reception for those children currently in Year 1. We have been fortunate to secure some additional funding from central government to address these issues and these works will begin over the holidays. Please read the section below regarding this.

There will undoubtedly be a lot of disruption during the works. There will be short term pain for long term gain here. Thank you in advance for your flexibility, patience and understanding.



Year 3's Freshwater Theatre visit



Reception learning about Spring



Maths with Year 4

As a school we are continuing to make attendance a priority. There is a letter attached to this week's Review which has been shared across the whole Lumen Learning Trust. This explains the significance of taking holidays during term time. Please read this carefully.

A further letter has also been shared with those parents and carers in Hedgehogs and Rabbits classes about how important regular attendance is to ensure the best outcomes for the children in their first years of education. Again – this is a 'must read'.

We will continue to be looking at this aspect of the school's provision when we return after the Easter holidays.

This is a good opportunity to thank all parents and carers for the support and commitment that has been shown over the course of the term. We look forward to continuing to work well with you when we return on **Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2024**.

Have a lovely holiday – fingers crossed for better weather!

## Major Works at Knowle Green

## Reception – Year 6

Major works will be starting over the Easter holidays regarding the drainage issues and flooding around Knowle Green Base. This means that the staff car park at KGB will be closed and although parents are unable to park here, all staff will be using the car park at Park Avenue meaning there will be no spare car parking spaces available there either. With this in mind we greatly recommend parents and carers to walk, or park locally to school and walk where necessary, until after the May half term.

## Swimming

4V

After Easter holidays, it will be 4V's turn to swim on a Monday. A letter has been sent out to the parents with further details.

## Maths

Year 4

This week, Year 4 have been looking at dividing numbers by ten using a place value grid and counters, practising moving the digits to the right. The children did a great job in their maths lessons.



## Enrichment Clubs

Whole School

A letter regarding the Enrichment Clubs on offer for the Summer Term has been sent out earlier today. Please complete the Google Form via the link in the letter by 9am on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April if your child would like to participate. A link to the letters can be found [here](#).

## Reading Survey

Year 1 – 6

We are constantly seeking to enhance every aspect of school life at Riverbridge and recognise that the views of our children are important. Therefore, we are asking children in Years 1-6 to complete a short survey focusing on reading at school. We would be grateful if you could support your child in answering these questions by 26th April. The link to this will also be available via Google Classroom.

<https://forms.gle/4opJ3124QehGpgr7>

## Ancient Egypt

Year 3



Year 3 took part in an interactive exploration of Ancient Egypt run by Freshwater Theatre company. They were taken on an immersive journey by a quirky tour guide and met a range of characters along the way - including Pharaoh Tutankhamun himself! Thank you to the PTA for funding this.

## Sex Education

Year 3 - 6

Following on from previous information given on our 'Sex and Relationships' curriculum, we are inviting Year 3 - 6 parents to attend a meeting to outline the purpose of RSE in the primary curriculum and an opportunity to view the material that will be shown to the children in our Changing Me unit. This will include scientific images, diagrams and animations where appropriate. The meetings will take place in the hall over at Park Avenue on the following dates:

Year 3: Monday 15th April at 2:45

Year 4: Tuesday 16th April at 2:45

Year 5: Wednesday 17th April at 2:45

Year 6: Friday 19th April at 2:45

Alternatively, if you are unable to attend the meeting, our website provides lots of information to help support parents at home with this puzzle piece.

Please take a look here: [Relationships & Sex Education and Parent Information](#)

## Outside Achievements

4V

Rosie N (6I) has passed her Grade 1 piano exam with merit. Her family and Riverbridge are very proud of Rosie's achievement. Well done Rosie, we have enjoyed listening to you play in the school concerts and at our assemblies!

## Vacancies

Whole School

### Lumen Learning Trust is recruiting:

We are seeking an experienced, enthusiastic individual for the role of Governance Professional and Clerk to Directors to join our growing Trust, this is a part time role that offers flexible term time working. For more information please see: <https://www.eteach.com/careers/lumenlearningtrust/job/governance-professional-and-clerk-to-directors-1403073>

We are looking to appoint a member of staff to support in the delivery of P.E lessons across the five Lumen Learning Trust (LLT) schools, this is an exciting role for anyone who is interested in coaching and developing youth sport. This role is supported by Sports Premium funding and therefore is a fixed term contract, expiring on 31<sup>st</sup> August 2025. There is the possibility that the contract will be extended subject to the funding from the DfE continuing: <https://www.eteach.com/job/sports-coach-1407402>

### Darley Dene Primary School is recruiting:

Are you ambitious and keen to make a difference? We are seeking to appoint a highly enthusiastic, proactive, flexible and reliable individual for the role of Teaching Assistant. For more information please see: <https://www.eteach.com/job/teaching-assistant-1410747>

Do you have a passion for Early Years? Are you motivated by working within a high performing environment? We currently have an opportunity for a dedicated Nursery Leader to join our team.

For more information please see: <https://www.eteach.com/job/nursery-room-leader-1411012>

We are seeking to appoint a highly enthusiastic, proactive, flexible and reliable individual who is qualified with a minimum of Level 3 Teaching Assistant to join our team. For more information please see:

<https://www.eteach.com/job/early-years-teaching-assistant-1410732>

**Walton Oak Primary School is recruiting:**

Are you ambitious and keen to make a difference? We are looking for a fixed term Teaching Assistant until the end of August 2024. This is an opportunity for an individual who is patient and emotionally resilient to join our friendly, inclusive and inspirational team of teaching and support staff. For more information please see: <https://www.eteach.com/job/teaching-assistant-1411306>

**Riverbridge Primary School is recruiting:**

We are looking to appoint an Office Assistant with a 'can do' attitude who is passionate about making a difference, to join our friendly, committed, hardworking team. For more information please see:

<https://www.eteach.com/careers/riverbridgeprimary/job/school-office-assistant-1410722>

Are you an ambitious teacher who is keen to make a difference? We are offering a wonderful opportunity to become an integral part of our exceptional community of children and adults. For more information please see: <https://www.eteach.com/careers/riverbridgeprimary/job/class-teacher-1412719>

**PTA**

**Whole School**

Riverbridge PTA is our school's fundraising community.  
Everyone's welcome to get involved.



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**Have a great Easter break!**

It's been another busy term for the PTA, with events including our Bag2School collection, sweet sale, sponsored leap and most recently our Easter Trail. All the money raised by our events goes directly towards extra resources, learning events and activities for the children. There's plenty more happening after the Easter holiday - see details below. Thank you to everyone for your support and we'll see you next term for Hot Dog Nights, school discos and our summer fair!

**Last few days to buy Hot Dog Night tickets**

If you haven't bought a Hot Dog Night ticket for your child yet, please make sure you do so from [www.pta-events.co.uk/riverbridge](http://www.pta-events.co.uk/riverbridge) by 8pm on Monday 1st April to avoid disappointment. Children will enjoy a great movie along with veggie or meat hot dog, biscuits, popcorn and fruit for just £5.50. This year's movies are:

- Reception/Year 1 - Zog collection (short films - U) on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> April (PAB Hall). Collection at 5pm.
- Years 2/3/4 - Luca (U) on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> April (PAB Hall). Collection at 5.45pm.
- Years 5/6 - Elemental (PG) on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> April (PAB). Collection at 5.45pm.

**Volunteers urgently needed for Hot Dog Nights**

We can only run events like Hot Dog Night for the children with help from other parents. We're still looking for volunteers to help out from 2.30pm on both dates with preparing and handing out refreshments. So far, we have no volunteers at all to help with the Years 2 to 6 events. If you are able to help out on either day, please let us know via one of the following links:

Reception and Y1 (16th April): <https://volunteersignup.org/BMXKD> Years 2-6 (18th April): <https://volunteersignup.org/HDJ9R>

Thank you in advance for your support.

**Book a Spring photo shoot for your family**

We are once again teaming up with Memory Cake Photography to offer fantastic photo shoots for Riverbridge families for a booking fee of only £5. The shoots, run by professional photographer and Riverbridge parent Kelly Anne Smith, are available on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> April. All shoots will take place in Commercial Road Park and will last 30 minutes. After the shoot you will receive a link via email to an online gallery of images from where you can make a purchase from a range of packages (minimum spend is £45). To view session times and book a shoot for your family, go to [www.pta-events.co.uk/riverbridge](http://www.pta-events.co.uk/riverbridge)





### Order Year 6 Leavers Hoodies by Monday 1st April

There are only a few days left to order a Leavers Hoodie for your Year 6 child as a unique souvenir of their time at the school. Hoodies are on sale at a discounted rate of £11 each, with the PTA subsidising the rest of the cost (£7). You can order hoodies from <https://shop.teamhoodies.co.uk/riverbridge24> Simply follow the instructions on screen. The online shop will close on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> April at 6pm. Please note this deadline cannot be extended.

Stay connected with Riverbridge PTA on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/groups/RiverbridgePrimarySchoolPTA](http://www.facebook.com/groups/RiverbridgePrimarySchoolPTA) or get in touch at [pta.riverbridge@lumenlearningtrust.co.uk](mailto:pta.riverbridge@lumenlearningtrust.co.uk)

### Gold Leaves

### Whole School

The children below can be proud of having ended the term on a high note!

I look forward to seeing more of the same next term.

Well done everyone!

George S	Zachary D	Daksh T
Kairo P	Mason T	Jaydn D
Rio GT	Mukesh V	Praneel Y
Max F	Alfie P	Tyler F
Lincoln OF	Anaya N	Jackson A
Megan G	Zoe N	Arjun M
Bertie L	Maksim T	Igor R
Rebecca E	William K	Joseph W
Fawz A	Sasha S	Alice O
Mary T	Jack W	Thomas D
Leo B	Hannah T	Kenzie D
Kenzie D	Jack H	Kai K
Zara H	Raniah YS	Surabhi R
Alice C	Jakub J	Jasmine F
Ethan V	Annabelle M	Arthur H

### Rainbow Awards

### Nursery

What a great way to end the term! Well done to the children below in Hedgehogs and Rabbits class.

Harry T	Preston O	Jaxon H
	Jim R	

### House Competition

### Whole School

There have been lots of points added this week. Two previously unannounced PE competitions were shared with Fire House winning both.

In today's assembly this half term's Being Our Best Awards were shared. These have been shared alongside today's Review. This is well worth a read! Well done everyone!

This half term's Being Our Best Cup has also been shared and once again, Fire House were the victors. They got 17 points, with Air House second (13 points) and Water third (12 points).

The updated scores are shared below.



187.5  
Points



210  
Points



232.5  
Points

## Riverbridge's Reading Recommendations

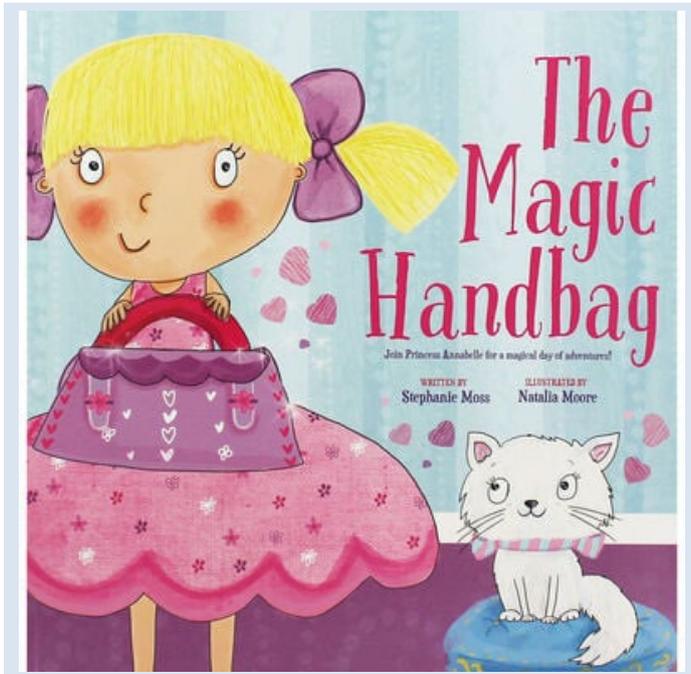
Whole School

This week's 'Riverbridge Reading Recommendation' comes from Aarohi in 3P

**The Magic Handbag**

**by Stephanie Moss**

**Aarohi's Review:**



"The Magic Handbag" is my favourite book.

It's about a Princess called Annabelle who finds a magical handbag.

I love how she uses the cool stuff from her handbag to go on adventures.

The book is full of magic and excitement.

The pictures are amazing, and they make the story even more fun to read.

I read this book when I was little, and I still love to read it for bedtime sometimes.

If you like magic and adventure, you should read "The Magic Handbag" too.

Age group: Aimed at 5+

Star Rating: ★★★★★ 5 out of 5

Do you want to share your reading recommendations with the rest of the school?

If so – use the link below!

<https://forms.gle/aN6636mBDtkTpSdt5>

Wishing you all a very pleasant Easter holiday.

We look forward to seeing everyone again on **Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April**.

**Paul Grimwood**

**Headteacher**

## Dates for the diary...

**Fri 29<sup>th</sup> March – Fri 12<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

**Easter Holidays**

**Summer Term 2024**

Mon 15<sup>th</sup> April

Children return to school

Mon 15<sup>th</sup> April

Year 3 RSE parents' meeting 2.45pm PAB Hall

Tues 16<sup>th</sup> April

PTA Hot Dog Night: Reception & Year 1

Tues 16<sup>th</sup> April

Year 4 RSE parents' meeting 2.45pm PAB Hall

Weds 17<sup>th</sup> April

Year 5 RSE parents' meeting 2.45pm PAB Hall

Thurs 18<sup>th</sup> April

Fri 19<sup>th</sup> April

Mon 22<sup>nd</sup> April

Mon 22<sup>nd</sup> April

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> May

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May

Sun 12<sup>th</sup> May

Fri 17<sup>th</sup> May

Weds 22<sup>nd</sup> – Fri 24<sup>th</sup> May

PTA Hot Dog Night: Year 2 - 6

Year 6 RSE parents' meeting 2.45pm PAB Hall

Enrichment Clubs begin

4V start swimming - [link to the letter here](#)

Hobbledown Farm Trip Year 2 - [link to the letter here](#)

Pastoral Coffee Morning at KGB 8.45am–10am

Staines 10K – select Riverbridge PTA for sponsorship

PTA Bingo Night – more details to follow

Rise Up Residential – Year 4 [link to the letter can be found here](#)

### **Mon 27<sup>th</sup> May – Fri 31<sup>st</sup> May 2024**

### **Summer Half Term**

Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> June

Tues 4<sup>th</sup> June

Tues 11<sup>th</sup> June

Weds 12<sup>th</sup> June

Fri 28<sup>th</sup> June

Thurs 11<sup>th</sup> July

Weds 3<sup>rd</sup> July

Fri 5<sup>th</sup> July

Weds 17<sup>th</sup> July

Fri 19<sup>th</sup> July

Fri 19<sup>th</sup> July

Mon 22<sup>nd</sup> July

Tues 23<sup>rd</sup> July

Children return to school

Legoland Trip Year 1 - [link to the letter here](#)

Hampton Court Trip Year 5 - more details to follow

Pastoral Coffee Morning at KGB 8.45am–10am

PTA Summer Fair – more details to follow

Pastoral Coffee Morning at KGB 8.45am–10am

Mobile Farm Visit - Nursery

Enrichment Clubs finish

PTA Summer Discos – more details to follow

End of term for children: 1.20pm KGB, 1.30pm PAB, 1.40pm Nursery

No After School Club

Inset day 4

Inset day 5

### **Weds 24<sup>th</sup> July – Fri 31<sup>st</sup> August 2024**

### **Summer Holiday**

### **Autumn Term 2024**

Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> September

Tues 3<sup>rd</sup> September

Weds 4<sup>th</sup> September

Weds 4<sup>th</sup> September

Mon 9<sup>th</sup> September

Inset day 1

Inset day 2

Children return to school

Existing Rabbits return. New Rabbits children start date to be advised separately

Existing Hedgehogs return. New Hedgehogs children start date to be advised separately

### **Mon 28<sup>th</sup> Oct – Fri 1<sup>st</sup> November 2024**

### **Autumn Half Term**

Mon 4<sup>th</sup> November

Tues 5<sup>th</sup> November

Inset day 3

Children return to school

Fri 20<sup>th</sup> December

End of term for children: 1.20pm KGB, 1.30pm PAB, 1.40pm Nursery

Fri 20<sup>th</sup> December

No After School Club

**Mon 23<sup>rd</sup> Dec – Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2025**

**Christmas Holiday**

**Spring Term 2025**

Mon 6<sup>th</sup> January

Children return to school

**Mon 17<sup>th</sup> Feb – Fri 21<sup>st</sup> Feb 2025**

**Spring Half Term**

Mon 24<sup>th</sup> February

Children return to school

Fri 4<sup>th</sup> April

End of term for children: 1.20pm KGB, 1.30pm PAB, 1.40pm Nursery

Fri 4<sup>th</sup> April

No After School Club

**Mon 7<sup>th</sup> April – Mon 21<sup>st</sup> April 2025**

**Easter Holidays**

**Summer Term 2025**

Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> April

Children return to school

Mon 5<sup>th</sup> May

Spring Bank Holiday

**Mon 26<sup>th</sup> May – Fri 30<sup>th</sup> May 2025**

**Summer Half Term**

Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> June

Children return to school

Fri 18<sup>th</sup> July

End of term for children: 1.20pm KGB, 1.30pm PAB, 1.40pm Nursery

Fri 18<sup>th</sup> July

No After School Club

Mon 21<sup>st</sup> July

Inset day 4

Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> July

Inset day 5



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Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2024

Dear Parents and Carers

### Holidays during term time

Despite the rain, our calendar tells us it is Spring and thoughts may well be turning to planning for trips and holidays away.

While we are well aware that the cost of holidays during off-peak times is significantly lower, it is important that you consider the significant drawbacks of taking your child out of school during term time – both academically and socially.

- Missing school due to a holiday directly impacts your child's academic progress. Every lesson, activity, and interaction in the classroom contributes to their learning journey. By opting for holidays during term time, your child inevitably misses out on valuable educational experiences.
- In addition, their time in primary school is the time when children develop crucial social skills and form friendships. Missing school for extended periods disrupts this fundamental aspect of their development and could lead to feelings of being disconnected from their peers.

As you will have often read in our school newsletters, we are now issuing fixed Penalty Notices to parents who take their child out of school for holidays.

The amount payable on issue of a Penalty Notice is £60 per parent/carer per child if paid within 21 days of receipt of the Notice, rising to £120 per parent/carer per child if paid after 21 days but within 28 days. If the Penalty Notice is not paid within 28 days, the Local Authority must prosecute the parent(s)/carer(s) for failing to ensure regular school attendance under Section 444 Education Act 1996.

Please help us to help your child achieve their very best in school, by only booking holidays during the school breaks, and prioritising their attendance in school every day.

Every day in school really does count.

Thank you for your support in this matter.

Yours faithfully

Mr Paul Grimwood  
Headteacher

# Being Our Best Awards – Spring 2

## Hedgehogs

**Lewis H**

**Connector**

Using his knowledge and understanding learnt during group learning of our topics to create detailed pictures.

**Anthony S**

**Active**

For active participation in all of the learning activities available and including others in his play.

**RD**

**Isobel S**

**Compassionate**

For always being kind and supportive to her classmates. Isobel is always seen helping children and working well as a team.

**Luka M**

**Ambitious**

For always working hard and sharing his ideas. Luka has shown improvement in his writing and is always being his best.

**1H**

**Freya AB**

**Compassionate & Ambitious**

For always striving to be a kind friend and for putting a large amount of effort into her learning this term. We are so proud!

**Wren C**

**Ambitious**

For consistently putting her best effort into all areas of learning, particularly art and DT. We are so proud!

**2C**

**Louise R**

**Independent**

For always trying hard at your work and showing so much more independence. We are very proud of you!

**Wahida Z**

**Inclusive**

For always caring about others around her. Your inclusive and open attitude is admirable!

**3BH**

**Shriyan T**

**Compassionate**

For being a kind and helpful member of the class. You are always willing to support your peers and 3BH are lucky to have you.

## Rabbits

**Sapphira LA**

**Compassionate**

For always being a kind and caring friend. Sapphira is always looking out for others and seeking help when needed.

**Luke D**

**Connector**

For always being his best during learning times and using his knowledge of topics to further his understanding.

**RM**

**Mia B**

**Ambitious**

For always trying her best. Mia consistently completes our class challenges independently.

**Darius Jr CB**

**Active**

For being an active learner. DJ has been contributing more during small group activities and was very excited to share during our trip to Woolley Firs.

**1L**

**Indie C**

**Connector**

For linking her knowledge and understanding of new phonics sounds to her reading in her guided reading sessions.

**Mukesh V**

**Explorer**

For asking questions about the wider world and linking his new understanding to his learning.

**2G**

**Joshua R**

**Compassionate**

For showing empathy and understanding, particularly whilst working in groups. You are proving to be a good leader.

**Matilda M**

**Ambitious**

For always seeking ways to make improvements, especially in your writing tasks. Keep on striving!

**3H**

**Abbey D**

**Explorer**

For being an enthusiastic explorer whilst researching Ancient Egyptian life this half term.

**RTA**

**Phoenix KF**

**Ambitious**

For putting great effort and pride into his learning this term and celebrating all of his achievements. He has worked hard to reach his goals.

**Fern W**

**Explorer**

For sharing her great understanding about amazing animals this term. She has a keen interest in exploring the world around her and sharing this with friends.

**1R**

**Crew L**

**Compassionate**

For always looking out for those around him. Crew is a kind friend and will help a friend who is finding something tricky.

**Arjun S**

**Ambitious**

For always trying to challenge himself and being the best version of himself.

**2S**

**Aviran T**

**Ambitious**

For taking on new challenges with enthusiasm and always believing in himself. Aviran always tries his best to achieve his next steps.

**Matilda W**

**Compassionate**

For treating everyone with kindness and respect. Matilda will go out of her way to help others and always listens to their ideas.

**3P**

**Harshitha S**

**Explorer**

For always asking insightful questions about the world and looking to learn something new every day. Your attitude to learning is brilliant!

<p><b>Evangeline W</b> <b>Ambitious</b></p> <p>For being an ambitious learner this term. You listen to feedback well and try hard to challenge yourself in everything that you do.</p> <p><b>4P</b></p>	<p><b>Mohammed A</b> <b>Independent</b></p> <p>For growing in independence in the classroom and facing any challenges with confidence.</p> <p><b>4T</b></p>	<p><b>Aarohi G</b> <b>Compassionate</b></p> <p>Aarohi, you are always a kind and calm friend in 3P. You are understanding and show a tremendous amount of empathy to friends and classmates. Well done!</p> <p><b>4GP</b></p>
<p><b>Nithin R</b> <b>Thinker</b></p> <p>Nithin thinks deeply and has excellent problem solving skills. He has been working hard on explaining his reasoning!</p>	<p><b>Nicole K</b> <b>Ambitious</b></p> <p>Nicole you have been ambitious in all of your learning this term. You always try your best and want to reach the next level of learning!</p>	<p><b>Legrand N</b> <b>Active</b></p> <p>For actively engaging with our learning and continuing to make amazing progress, especially in your writing.</p>
<p><b>Sofia B</b> <b>Active</b></p> <p>Sofia is an active learner who challenges herself, listens carefully and always tries to improve her learning.</p> <p><b>5G</b></p>	<p><b>Grace C</b> <b>Compassionate</b></p> <p>You are such a kind and friendly role model in class Grace! Your positivity helps make 4T a brilliant class to be in, thank you!</p> <p><b>5R</b></p>	<p><b>Esme C</b> <b>Connector</b></p> <p>For showing your kindness and respect for others at all times. You are a lovely team worker who strives to do their best!</p> <p><b>5W</b></p>
<p><b>Skylar K</b> <b>Independent</b></p> <p>What an amazing half term! You face challenges with a new-found confidence. You try to understand what is being asked of you, before tackling it independently. We are all proud of you.</p>	<p><b>David R</b> <b>Thinker</b></p> <p>David, it has been wonderful to see you share thoughtful insights in class discussions. The depth of your historical knowledge when exploring The Stuarts this half term was evident! You demonstrate enthusiasm in all of your learning which is evident in your brilliant progress. Very well done!</p>	<p><b>Vivien B</b> <b>Active</b></p> <p>You have been an inspiration this term! You are always so kind and polite. You are so helpful and thoughtful. Year 5 would be lost without you! You also always put 100% into your work. Well done! We are very proud!</p>
<p><b>Ava R</b> <b>Connector</b></p> <p>Well done, Ava. You have worked hard this half term to learn new things. You have made connections across the subjects, which have helped you develop some great theories.</p> <p><b>6I</b></p>	<p><b>Janiyah T</b> <b>Inclusive</b></p> <p>Janiyah, you continue to show empathy and support to those around you. You possess patience and kindness, both inside and outside of the classroom and are a wonderful friend to many. Your inclusivity contributes to a positive learning environment. Thank you for all you do, we really appreciate you!</p> <p><b>6K</b></p>	<p><b>Henry S</b> <b>Thinker</b></p> <p>I have been so impressed this term with your work ethic and your dedication to your learning. You have come on so much, it's been lovely to see you think about how good your next piece of work will be and your development.</p> <p><b>6S</b></p>
<p><b>Summer S</b> <b>Active</b></p> <p>Summer, you are wonderfully active learner... always ready and so diligent in your attitude. You have also been more confident in contributing your ideas in class discussions. Well done!</p>	<p><b>Mylee B</b> <b>Active</b></p> <p>It has been wonderful to see you grow this year so far. You have been taking an active role in the classroom improving in all you do.</p>	<p><b>Jack W</b> <b>Thinker</b></p> <p>Jack, you have wowed us all with your positive attitude to your learning. You have put real thought into everything you do, and the progress you are making is impressive.</p>
<p><b>Ava-Rae H</b> <b>Compassionate</b></p> <p>For being such a calm and kind friend to others. Your empathy towards others and the way you help them is lovely.</p>	<p><b>Arthur H</b> <b>Explorer</b></p> <p>Your enthusiasm in geography and computing this year has been fantastic to see. You have explored these subjects with confidence.</p>	<p><b>Safaa R</b> <b>Ambitious</b></p> <p>Safaa, you have worked so hard to improve your learning this half term. The scores on your most recent assessments are a testament to how hard you have worked. Keep it up!</p>



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**HOT DOG NIGHT**



Tickets  
£5.50 Each

Scan the QR Code (below) or buy your tickets (live Friday 15th March 2024, 6pm) at:  
**www.pta-events.co.uk/riverbridge**  
(Dietary restrictions can be included online when purchasing ticket(s))

**TICKET INCLUDES FILM, HOT DOG / VEGGIE DOG, BISCUIT, POPCORN & FRUIT!**

**Reception & Year 1:** Tuesday 16 April 2024 (PAB Hall)  
Short films: Zog Collection (U)  
volunteersignup.org/BMXKD

**Years 2, 3 & 4:** Thursday 18 April 2024 (PAB Hall)  
Film: Luca (U)  
volunteersignup.org/HDJ9R

**Years 5 & 6:** Thursday 18 April 2024 (PAB)  
Film: Elemental (PG)  
volunteersignup.org/HDJ9R



**\*\* Closing dates for ticket purchases: Monday 1st April at 8pm - This is a FIRM DEADLINE\*\***

Children will be taken to Hot Dog Night by their teachers, straight after school.  
Parents/Carers will need to collect, Reception and Year 1 at **5.00pm** (from PAB hall), Years 2 to 4 will need to be collected at **5.45pm** (from PAB hall), and Years 5-6 at **5.45pm** from Year 6 classrooms through the Year 5&6 gate. **Parents NEED to cancel after school/clubs by emailing the school office (as needed)**

**Dietary requirements**

Biscuit – may contain nuts, egg and milk  
Meat hot dog – chicken, pork and beef  
Popcorn – may contain nuts and soya

Bread roll – may contain nuts, egg and milk  
Vegetarian hot dog – wheat, soya and egg

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pta.riverbridge@lumenlearningtrust.co.uk



SCAN ME

# What's on at Woolley Firs, Maidenhead This Easter!



Berkshire  
Buckinghamshire  
& Oxfordshire  
Wildlife Trust

## **Easter Wild Zoologists' Day Camp - £35**

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April at 9.30am**

Wildlife Day Camp for 8- 12 year olds. A full day of activities, supervised by trained staff, without the need for parental supervision.

## **Easter Flower Power Day Camp - £35**

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> April at 9.30am**

A Day Camp for 8-12 year olds to connect with nature and learn about wildlife and create beautiful crafts in a unique setting.

## **Easter Pond Dipping for Families - £8 per session**

**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April from 10am to 12pm & 1pm to 3pm**

Explore the depths and find out what creatures lurk in this hidden world. Two hours of nature fun at our beautiful private pond. For ages 5+.

## **The Alternative Easter Bunny Day Camp - £35**

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April at 9.30am**

The day is packed full of fun games and activities to help children connect with the fantastic natural world that surrounds them. For ages 8-12.

**Visit our website to book or for more info:**

- [bbowt.org.uk/events](http://bbowt.org.uk/events)
- [01628829574 ooberkshireeducation@bbowt.org.uk](mailto:01628829574@oberkshireeducation@bbowt.org.uk)

[bbowt.org.uk](http://bbowt.org.uk)

More nature everywhere

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# AHC JUNIORS

All abilities welcome  
Ages 6-14 years

Bring a packed lunch, water, gum  
shield and shin pads

Hockey sticks will be provided



## **EASTER HOLIDAYS CAMP 3RD, 4TH AND 5TH APRIL 2024**

Ashford Hockey Club, Short  
Lane, Stanwell, Staines-  
upon-Thames TW19 7BQ

**CONTACT PETER TO BOOK**

[colts@ashfordhockeyclub.co.uk](mailto:colts@ashfordhockeyclub.co.uk)

Tel :07557 445692

Time: 10:00 – 15:00  
Lunch 12:30-13:30)  
Drop off from 09:30

£20 a day  
£50 for all 3 days per camp. Discount for  
siblings



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NEW PLAYERS WELCOME!

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## TRAINING TIMES

Boys U10 to U18 – Tuesdays 18:15-19:45

Girls U10 to U16 and Mixed U8 – Thursdays  
18:00-19:30

Everyone U14 training – Sundays 09:30-11:00

Junior Matches are played on Sundays.



# MAYOR'S CYCLE FUN DAY!

Calling all families and bike enthusiasts!  
Get ready for a day of non-stop fun this Easter.

**Scooter and skateboard workshops**

**Live music**

**Smoothie bike**

**Bike checks and Police UV marking**

**Trails and competitions**

**Arts & crafts**

**Free children and adult cycling lessons**

**Cycling for Health**

**Bring a  
picnic!**

**SATURDAY**

**6 APRIL 2024**



**STARTS AT**

**11 AM - 3 PM**



**LAMMAS PARK**

**STAINES-UPON-THAMES**



**BEST DRESSED BIKE!**

Bring along your decorated bike  
for a chance to win a prize!

For more information

[www.spelthorne.gov.uk/MayorEvents](http://www.spelthorne.gov.uk/MayorEvents)





# Spelthorne Resource Centre

Staines Park,  
Commercial Road,  
TW18 2QJ



## Saturday Craft Club

Our Saturday Morning Craft Club provides children aged 5-9 years with the opportunity to take part in art and craft activities, learn new skills and have fun. With guidance from staff the children will be able to make and create their own art and craft masterpieces.

### Dates:

Saturday 20 April - Saturday 25 May 2024 (6 sessions in total)

### Times:

Sessions run on Saturday mornings during school term. Sessions are at 10am-11am and last one hour.

### Cost:

£4.80 per session or £28.80 for the term. Fees are payable in advance at the beginning of each half term and must be pre-booked as spaces are limited.

### Location:

The Resource Centre is situated in Staines Park, Commercial Road, Staines-upon-Thames, TW18 2QJ.

### Booking:

Sessions must be pre-booked. To book, please visit [www.spelthorne.gov.uk/craftclub](http://www.spelthorne.gov.uk/craftclub)





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**Resource  
CENTRE**

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# Spring art open day

**Saturday 13 April, 10am - 2pm**

**£1 per child (50p for siblings). No booking necessary.**

**For families with children aged 4-11 years. Children must be accompanied by an adult.**

Space is offered on a first come first serve basis, so you may be required to wait. Due to limited space and fire safety procedures in the Resource Centre we politely ask people not to come with a pushchair or buggy.

Spelthorne Resource Centre: **01784 461769**

Facebook **@spelthorneresourcecentre**

[www.spelthorne.gov.uk/resourcecentre](http://www.spelthorne.gov.uk/resourcecentre)



# STANWELL YOUTH DANCE PROJECT

Sessions run on Tuesdays throughout  
the year at **Stanwell Youth Centre,**  
**Hadrian Way, Stanwell, TW19 7HE**

Ages 10-14: 5.00pm-6.00pm

Ages 14-18: 6.00pm-7.30pm

Dance styles include contemporary, creative  
development, movement games and  
interdisciplinary creation.

All abilities welcome.

Booking not required, simply drop in.

For more information, please contact  
[leisure@spelthorne.gov.uk](mailto:leisure@spelthorne.gov.uk)

Sessions  
are FREE

Stanwell Events  
Community Project



# Animal art WORKSHOP

3 April, 2024

3:30pm



**join us**  
**for free**  
by scanning the QR  
code



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Surrey Community  
Lounge