

Hudson Primary School & Family Wellbeing Centre

School News, Celebrations & Reminders

Friday 5th June 2026



SCHOOL NEWS - Niki Craddock; Headteacher

A very warm welcome back to all of our children and families as we begin the final seven weeks of this academic year. It is difficult to believe how quickly the year has passed, but what an exciting final half term lies ahead. The weeks before us are packed with energy, learning, memorable experiences, celebrations, performances, sporting opportunities, transition events, and special moments that will create lasting memories for our children. As always, our events planner can be found at the end of this newsletter as a reminder of everything that is currently scheduled. Please keep an eye out for additions as the term progresses, as there are still many exciting opportunities and experiences being finalised. Behind the scenes, staff have also been working incredibly hard to ensure that next academic year is an absolutely stunning one for our children and families. There has been significant planning, preparation, and development taking place to ensure that the opportunities, curriculum experiences, and wider school life continue to go from strength to strength. Children will begin to find out more about these exciting plans during their upcoming transition day. At Hudson, we remain committed to providing only the very best for our children and families.

This week, it has been an absolute pleasure to welcome the children back into school. They have returned with such maturity, enthusiasm, and readiness to learn. Across every year group, children have demonstrated excellent manners, positive attitudes, kindness, and a genuine desire to do their very best. Their behaviour has been exemplary and they have been true champions of our school values from the moment they walked through the gates. In fact, it was incredibly difficult to select our Kindness Cup winner this week, with so many children demonstrating thoughtful, caring, and considerate actions towards others. We have also celebrated a truly remarkable achievement this week. An incredible **125 children achieved 100% attendance throughout the entire last half term**. This reflects outstanding commitment from both children and families and demonstrates the importance placed on learning and being present every day. Attendance has such a significant impact on progress, confidence, friendships, and wellbeing, and we hope to see this fantastic momentum continue throughout this final term and into the new academic year.

Looking ahead to next week, we have another busy schedule of learning and opportunities across school. On Monday, our Year 4 children will continue with their **Multiplication Check**, whilst our Year 1 children begin their **Phonics Screening Check**. We know they will approach these important milestones with confidence and determination, supported by the excellent teaching and preparation they have received throughout the year. Monday also marks the closing date for **Parent Governor nominations** to return. Throughout the day, we will also be taking **school photographs for all of our Year 6 children**. These photographs will provide a lovely opportunity to capture special memories. Full school uniform please to ensure they are ready for their picture play photograph. On **Tuesday**, our Year 5 children will continue their exciting **Mission to Mars** learning experiences. Building on the excellent work completed so far, the project continues to inspire curiosity, problem-solving, scientific thinking, and teamwork as children explore the possibilities of future space exploration. By **Thursday**, our School Council representatives will be feeding back to their classes following recent meetings. This is an important opportunity for pupil voice to be shared and for children to learn more about how their ideas and suggestions help shape school life. Finally, on **Friday**, we look forward to our whole-school **Maths Careers Day**. Throughout the day, children will discover how mathematics is used across a wide range of professions and industries, helping them to make meaningful connections between their learning in school and the exciting opportunities that may lie ahead in the future. What a week we will have!

PREPARE FOR THE WEEK WE RETURN

Year 4 Multiplication check and Phonics Screening for Year 1

Monday:

- **Year 6 children only for School Photograph - No PE kits please!**
- Parent governor nominations in today please
- Swimming - Yr3 Chestnut class (reminder about earrings)
- 2.45pm Key Stage 2 Assembly with Miss Hamm

Tuesday:

- **Year 5 Mission to Mars Experience**
- 2.45pm Key Stage 2 Assembly with Mr Roberts

Wednesday:

- 2.45pm Singing Assembly with Miss Hamm and Miss Dower

Thursday:

- 2.30pm School Council
- 3.15pm - 4pm Tuition

Friday:

- **Maths Careers Day!**
- 2.40pm Celebrations Assembly with Mrs Craddock and Team

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 U nderstand your value and
 N ourish your need
 E ven when it feels hard



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SCHOOL EVENTS 2025-2026 - SUMMER TERM

Week	Date of event	Event title and details
8 th June	ALL WEEK	KS1 Phonics screening test for all children in Y1 Please ensure your child has good attendance and punctuality this week. We will be working hard to showcase all they have learnt so far in the year, celebrate successes and make plans to support any difficulties.
8 th June	Friday 12 th June	Careers Maths Day - Time to get creative with careers and calculations! Children can dress up as anyone who uses math in their daily work - from architects designing skyscrapers to chefs measuring perfect recipes, or even astronauts calculating their journey through space! Get ready for a day where math meets imagination and careers come alive!
15 th June	ALL WEEK	Assessment week - Whole school Please ensure your child has good attendance and punctuality this week. We will be working hard to showcase all they have learnt so far in the year, celebrate successes and make plans to support any difficulties.
15 th June	Wednesday 17 th June	Children's University Graduation Year 2 and Year 6 graduates will be invited to Edge Hill University for their celebration today
15 th June	Friday 19 th June	Sports Day



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15 th June	Sunday 21 st June	Father's Day
22 nd June	ALL WEEK	School Sports Week including PSHE focused work on Health and relationships Time to get active!
22 nd June	Wednesday 24 th June	Hudson's Got Talent show 5pm It's performance night again at Hudson - come a long and show your support for our talented children. This is a fantastic variety performance and is a ticket only event!
22 nd June	Thursday 25 th June	Transition starts for all Hudson children - getting ready for the new year ahead It is time for our children to meet their class teachers and get familiar with their new classroom environment.
22 nd June	Friday 26 th June	Non-Uniform Day - Treat Donation
22 nd June	Friday 26 th June	Wally Cain - Dance Festival Children who have committed to the Wally Cain dance club will be showcasing their skills on the stage at the Atkinson this evening!
29 th June	Friday 3 rd July	Family Summer Fundraiser and Bingo Come along and support our fundraiser - lots to see, and take part in for all of the family
29 th June	Friday 3 rd July	QUIDDITCH - Team event
6 th July	Monday 6 th July	Careers Fair A new experience for our oldest children - a chance to see what is on offer in our locality for their future world of work!
6 th July	Friday 10 th July	10am Nursey Graduation Celebration A beautiful ceremony for our Nursery children moving on into their Reception class in September, families are welcome to attend and celebrate their child's achievements with us in our school hall.
6 th July	Friday 10 th July	School End of Year reports go home It is time to review the years learning and progress, all children will receive their reports via ClassDojo today.
13 th July	Tuesday 14 th July	Open Classroom Event An opportunity to come in to school see your child's work at the end of the year, chat to the class teacher
13 th July	Thursday 16 th July	2pm Leavers Assembly A beautiful ceremony for our Y6 children moving on to their new Secondary school in September, families are welcome to attend and celebrate their child's achievements with us in our school hall.
13 th July	Friday 17 th July	9.15am End of Year Praise Assembly The end of the school year has arrived - what a celebration we have in store. This is a long assembly celebrating the best that Hudson has this year. Lots of singing, certificates, prizes and performances! All welcome to attend with special seating for prize winning families.
13 th July	Friday 17 th July	End of year - school finishes at 1pm today Please remember that today your child needs collecting at 1pm and unfortunately there will not be any Willow den after school care available.

ATTENDANCE CELEBRATION - Mrs. Cook; Attendance Manager

Whole School Attendance for this week is
92.3% lots of holidays and sickness this week!

Our leading class this week with a fantastic 100% is Yew
Well done everyone, Mrs Cook is very proud of you 😊



SCHOOL CELEBRATIONS

Friday brings us smiles, and celebrations, a huge well done to the following children ...

Our **Behaviour Charter Champions** nominated for their excellence in behaviour this week:

Little Acorns Nursery (Mrs Kelly & Team): Olivia V
Maple Class - R (Mrs Dillon & Team): Amara SC
Holly Class - R (Mrs Carney & Team): Violet H
Cherry Class (Miss Bellis & Team): GiGi M
Sycamore Class - Y1 (Mrs Thompson & Team): Bobby W
Silver birch Class - Y2 (Miss Hamm & Team): Evelyn D
Yew Class (Miss Alexander & Team): Kieran S
Elm Class (Mrs Williams & Team): Francis P
Chestnut Class - Y3 (Mrs Kilpatrick & Team): Vincent B
Elder Class - Y4 (Miss Dower & Team): Billy C
Oak Class - Y5 (Mr Roberts & Team): Charlie O'
Beech Class: (Mrs Smith & Team): Autumn K
Rowan Class - Y6 (Miss Cavanagh & Team): Lily A

Those who have demonstrated **Excellence within their learning this week, our EEE winners:**

Little Acorns Nursery (Mrs Kelly & Team): Phoenix S
Maple Class - R (Mrs Dillon & Team): Logan W
Holly Class - R (Mrs Carney & Team): Lola L
Cherry Class (Miss Bellis & Team): Tillie M
Sycamore Class - Y1 (Mrs Thompson & Team): Thea G
Silver birch Class - Y2 (Miss Hamm & Team): Tommy A
Yew Class (Miss Alexander & Team): Elora O'
Elm Class (Mrs Williams & Team): Ellie M
Chestnut Class - Y3 (Mrs Kilpatrick & Team): Phoebe K
Elder Class - Y4 (Miss Dower & Team): Alistair M
Oak Class - Y5 (Mr Roberts & Team): Scarlett C
Beech Class: (Mrs Smith & Team): Theodore K
Rowan Class - Y6 (Miss Cavanagh & Team): Emelia S

Kindness cup - This week's kindness cup goes to **Tommy A in Silver Birch Class** - the reports of kindness from this young man were gorgeous this week, a well-deserved kindness cup entry. He came to help a friend in need after school after a very upsetting injury took place. Our Hudson staff witnessed such care and compassion from someone so young - an absolute superstar, Tommy knew exactly what to say and do- a first aid expert! We are very proud of you Tommy, what a kind and caring heart you have 😊

We rise by lifting others



REMINDERS FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE: School Administrator; Chris Cook

Please email with any requests or changes: admin@hudsonprimary.co.uk

Please be aware of the date for which trips should be paid please. This is so payments have time to clear and for me to order the school packed lunches.

Yew - Acorn Farm trip, Thursday 18th June and is live on ParentPay

Elder - Yr4 trip to Rock n River, Monday 6th July is live on ParentPay.

Sycamore - Trip to Port Sunlight, Tuesday 7th July is live on ParentPay

Holly + Cherry - trip to Laurel's Wood, Wednesday 8th July is live on ParentPay.

Silver birch - Yr2 trip to Windmill Farm, Friday 10th July is live on ParentPay.

Beech - trip to Windmill Farm, Friday 10th July is live on ParentPay.

Class photo day is Monday 15th June

- 'Pharmacy first' and what children can now be treated for without needing to see a GP. Children may now be given treatment over the counter for minor conditions such as:
<https://www.nhs.uk/nhs-services/pharmacies/how-pharmacies-can-help/>
- **Wraparound care** - Wraparound sessions from 13th April to 22nd May are now released. As previously reported, costs for both clubs have increased by 50p per session. The increase is to cover our increase in staffing costs, utilities and general operating.
- **New wraparound system for booking on is via ParentPay.** Breakfast club runs from 7.45 and is £4.00. Afterschool club closes at 5pm and is £6.50. Remember you can now cancel your session if no longer required on the evening before for breakfast club and by 2pm on the day for afterschool club.
- **Special leave/holiday requests** can be requested via our school website, parent section, forms. Please give as much notice as possible (preferably 20 days +) for the request to be processed, thanks.
- **Voucher payments** - Can I remind anyone wanting to pay for nursery or wraparound care to send me a quick email to let me know so I can allocate this to your ParentPay account, thanks.
- **Registration** - a reminder that the morning register opens at 8.40am closes at 8.50am. Arriving after 8.50 the gates will be locked and you must then enter in via the main office and sign your child in. If your child arrives between 8.50 - 9.20 your child will receive a late mark; arriving after 9.20am, your child misses the whole morning's learning mark (although they will be registered as safely on site)
- **Absences** - Please remember to notify the office (**not** via dojo) if you child is absent from school. Mrs Cook and Mrs Jones can be contacted on 0151 526 1568 option2 or enquiries@hudsonprimary.co.uk

Have a fantastic weekend everyone, best wishes, Niki Craddock and Team

