

THE JUNIOR TIMES

CALENDAR

THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday 5th (No clubs this week) - Nursery Full Reports published this week

ABRSM Music Examinations	all day
Pre-Prep Sports Day (reserve date), Wyeseide	am
Junior Sports Day (reserve date), Wyeseide	pm
House Point Deadline (Second Half of Term)	4pm

Deadline for Summer's Cool bookings

Tuesday 6th

ABRSM Music Examinations	all day
Y3&4 House Cricket Festival, Wyeseide	1.30-4pm
Y5&6 Outings Day	all day

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Wednesday 7th

ABRSM Music Examinations	all day
Y3&4 Outings Day	all day
Y3 Outings Day	all day
Y5&6 House Cricket Finals, Wyeseide	2-4pm

Thursday 8th - Reception & Y3 Full Reports published, Y6 Final Reports published

Y4&5 Grade Reports published	
Speech Day Rehearsal for Y5&6, Cathedral	9.15-11am
Nursery Teddy Bears Picnic, Nursery	12noon

Y4 Outings Day

all day

Final Assembly	1-1.35pm
Final Evensong of Term, Cathedral	5.30pm

Friday 9th

Pre-Prep Final Assembly, Sports Hall	9.15am
Y3-6 Final Assembly, Sports Hall	10am
Term Ends for Nursery, Reception & Years 1,2,3&4	12noon
Speech Day, Cathedral for Y5&6	11am 12.30pm - 1.15pm
Headmaster's Reception, Quiet Garden	12.15pm

FROM THE HEAD

What a varied week of weather it has been! Parents are urged to ensure that their children bring sunhats into school for the remainder of term, as has been advised in previous editions of the Junior Times.

My congratulations to our talented children in Year 6 who performed Macbeth this week. Films are available to watch here: [6J](#) & [6G](#).

Also, many congratulations to all the children who recently took their Speech and Drama exams. All our candidates achieved a distinction! What a superb result.

Drama continues to thrive here at HCJS - a testament to the children's hard work, energy and enthusiasm and, of course, the work of our drama staff.

I'm very much looking forward to today's Sports Day and this evening's Leavers' Party!



Chris Wright

HAPPY BIRTHDAY THIS WEEK...



Toby Hartley, Millie Wyatt and James Nolan!

MERITS

Aiden O'Connor, Hunter Martin, Charlie Fowler, Oliver Lort-Phillips, Oliver Cooke, Margot Turner, Ben Thompson, Luca Lewis, Emily Evans, Finn Goodwin, Molly Podmore, Albie Letts, Jessica Jennings, Solilia Peppercorn, Flora Rogers, Sam Houston, Gracie Holloway, Humphrey Lively, Alex Stevens, Nina Gleadhill, Sam Fisher, Oliver Daw, Annie Walker, Milly Morgan- Jones, Teddy Morgan-Jones, Hannah Whitaker, Aidan Jelf, Aidan Priday, Edward Maxted, Guy Turner, Scarlett Coleman, Poppy Crawford, Sam Vernon, Harry Finning, Ben Evans, Herbie Lowe, Aoife Donoghue, Darcey Sherief, Harriet Baxter, Finlay Webb, Amelia Nicolson and George Brown.



ASSEMBLIES THIS WEEK

ASSEMBLY: Monday (Year 3- Year 6)

Mr Wright announced merit certificates and we spent a moment reflecting on the Knife Angel.

ASSEMBLY: Wednesday (Reception - Year 6)

We watched the inspiring BBC Newsround film 'Meet the kids on a re-wilding mission to help nature.' Click to follow link - [HERE](#).

'This ladybird is just as amazing as a human or a lion. They are all creatures and they all mean the same amount to the earth.'

Prayer

Dear Lord,

Please help us to look after each other, for we too are all creatures and we are of equal importance.

Amen.



YEAR 2 RE CATHEDRAL TRIP

Before we entered the Cathedral we looked at the new cross, made by Simon the stonemason, on the top of the porch. At the back of the Cathedral we saw the font and the big doors. We all loved the beautiful, blue window made for the SAS. After that we saw the knight's tomb with his pet dog by his feet. We passed the shop and saw the secret door to the organ. Near to organ pipes we saw some more tombs. These were tombs of Bishops because they had Bishop hats. Next to the Lady Chapel we went to a 'Secret Chapel' where we saw some fantastic stained-glass windows. We looked for all the animals in the windows and then we left the Cathedral by the cloisters. We all enjoyed the trip!



YEAR 3 SCIENCE

As part of their topic on plants, Year 3 planted potatoes earlier in the year. This week they were able to harvest the potatoes, ending up with a crop large enough for them all to take home enough potatoes for a meal!



YEAR 4 ART, DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY

This week in Design and Technology Year 4 have finished constructing their monster puppet designs. They used a sewing machine for the body and attached the detail by hand sewing to make some amazing creations.



YEAR 6 MACBETH

This week, Year 6 worked very hard to produce their comedy play on 'Macbeth'. The audience enjoyed the humour in the script, as well as the various different character interpretations. Performing to a masked audience proved to be a little unnerving, but the cast managed to compose themselves and keep the majority of their lines, slow and clear. Their fun dance rendition of the remixed tune 'Wellerman', was energetic and controlled and the children appreciated the audience participation at the end. Mr Caldwell spent a great deal of time collecting together props, as well as composing and recording some of the sound effects himself! A huge thank you to him, as well as Miss Rees, Mrs Gummerson and Miss Jeynes for backstage support. Miss Jeynes was also a stalwart of support with the dance routine and this was huge help for Year 6. Well done to everyone involved and for making us regain a sense of normality again for two evenings; it was an extremely welcome moment! Films of each performance are now available for you to share with anyone who was unable to attend.

6J's performance: Click [HERE](#)
6G's performance: Click [HERE](#)



FROM THE GAMES DEPARTMENT

Well done to all of the pupils who took part in matches this week.
Next week, all pupils in Years 3 - 6 will be involved in House Matches at Wyaside.

Results

HCJS Colts A 89 a/out lost to Moor Park A 90 -4 by 6 wickets
HCJS Colts B 267 beat Moor Park B 261 by 6 runs
HCJS Girls A 242 lost to Moor Park Girls A 275 by 33 runs.
HCJS Girls B 273 lost to Moor Park Girls B 302 by 29 runs
HCJS U8/9 Boys 235 beat The Elms U8/9 229 by 6 runs
HCJS U8/9 Boys 246 beat The Elms U8/9 238 by 8 runs
HCJS U8/9 Boys 249 lost to The Elms U8/9 269 by 20 runs
HCJS U8/9 Boys 217 lost to The Elms U8/9 227 by 10 runs.
HCJS U8/9 Girls A 294 beat Malvern St James U8/9 A 250 by 44 runs
HCJS U8/9 Girls B 305 beat Malvern St James U8/9B 294 by 11 runs
HCJS U8/9 Girls C 282 beat Malvern St James U8/9 C 265 by 17 runs



All games and match information available on [Firefly](#).

SPEECH AND DRAMA

Congratulations to the following students who all earned distinctions in their Lamda Speech and Drama exams!

Yr 3

Jessica Jennings
George Brown
Archie Turtle

Special congratulations to Finlay Webb who achieved 100%!



Yr 4

Freddie Turtle
Finn Goodwin
Molly Goodwin
Harry Buchanan
Max Baillie
Hunter Martin
Hector Jefferson
Aiden O'Connor
Harry Crawford
Avi Singh
Yvan Andrade
Toby Baxter



Special congratulations to Jemima Letts who achieved 100%!

Yr 5

Fearn Middleton
Freya Webb
Tallulah Powell
Florence Brown
Jessica Austin
Jessica Wolverson
Annie Macklin



Special congratulations to Florence Moseley who achieved 100%!



Yr 6

Sophie Davies
Emilia Buck
Gracie Holloway
Edward Maxted
Humprey Lively



PRE-PREP & NURSERY TRIP TO BROOMY HILL

On Wednesday all children in Nursery and Pre-Prep went on an afternoon outing to Broomy Hill Railway to enjoy rides on the variety of miniature trains!

Everybody had a great time riding the rails and finished the day with an ice-cream in the sunshine!





'LIFE LESSONS'

By Milly Morgan-Jones, Hannah Whitaker
and
Gracie Holloway



Life lessons can help you live long,
Don't listen to others, sing your own song.
Make sure to always defend,
Whether it's you, an enemy or a friend.

Don't stress, it's a waste of time.
Bullying yourself is a crime,
Don't rush, it's not a race,
You need to keep yourself in pace.

Don't get what you want, only what you need,
Make sure to grow your own seed.
Always be happy, not miserable,
Remember, you are invincible.

You are never invisible,
You can make your own principle.
People can't control your mind,
And remember - always be kind.

Make sure to have a healthy attitude,
And make sure to give everything gratitude.
Everyone is unique,
You won't get everything you seek.

With your wings you can fly so high,
You can even touch the sky,
Don't worry, be keen,
Your life is not a movie scene.

