



Hale Academy Newsletter Issue 33 - 28th June 2024

Dear Families,

As I write this newsletter, I am listening to the samba rhythms and watching the carnival dance practice through my window. There is something about the sound of the music and the sound of the children laughing and enjoying themselves that can't help but make you smile. This is all in preparation for the Hale Carnival that is due to take place on Saturday 6th July. We would love our families to join in the procession - more information is included below.

This week has seen our Governors come in to the Academy to monitor the quality of education. They have met with a range of children across all year groups and have spoken to them about all their learning throughout the year. The children have given their honest views and have spoken eloquently about the foundation subjects they have enjoyed the most. History and Science are definitely coming across as their favourites so far, with Art and DT close behind. As part of this monitoring, both the staff and the children have had the chance to openly discuss the behaviour policy with Mr Ayre and raise any concerns they may have. Once again, the response from all is overwhelmingly positive.

Next week on Thursday 4th, we have our Quality of Education visit from the Trust, where our Executive Head and other Trust Leaders will be with us for the day to see lessons in action and once again speak to the children and staff about their learning.

I have been taking several visitors around the school this week and they have made many compliments about our incredibly polite, well-mannered and well-behaved children. Each and everyone of them has done us proud.

On Wednesday 26th June children from across years 2-4 went across to the Grove Academy and took part in the Kite Times Tables Championships. We are very proud of our children who put themselves forward to take part. Please see the article below for how they all got on.

We have several fun events coming up in the next few busy weeks, we have District Sports on 9th July, Year 6 trip to London to see Wicked on 10th July, Key Stage 1 Sports Day on 10th July and Key Stage 2 Sports Day on 11th July, as well as Champions Day - which is where our strongest athletes compete against others within the Trust - on 16th July. This is all tied in with transition days and events. Year 6 parents please remember Tuesday and Wednesday next week are transition days to Farnham Heath End, you will have received an email from us yesterday outlining the procedure and expectation from this. There will be a letter to all other years about our transition on Monday 1st. There is so much going on

please keep a close eye on your emails as we communicate and send reminders to help us all navigate this busy time of the year.

Full school uniform, including ties, back from Monday please as the hot weather is not expected to continue. Year 6 children may continue to wear their leavers hoodies.

I hope you have a lovely weekend.

Clare Freeman

Hale Carnival - Saturday 6th July

We will be taking part in Hale Carnival again this year which is being held on Saturday 6th July.

This year Hale Academy's entry will be based on

BRIGHT COLOURS / RIO CARNIVAL THEME

All children are welcome and will need to be accompanied by an adult at all times.

Arrive: 4.30 pm on the school field

Judging: 5.15 pm

Procession: 6 pm

Please see the poster below for costume ideas/inspiration!

We would love as many of our families as possible to take part - please can we ask that you complete the following short form to let us know if your child will be joining the procession: <https://forms.office.com/e/FHwjVXw7wh>

We are really hoping to get everybody in the carnival spirit and will teach the children the following dance routine for the judges <https://youtu.be/rskjkuVyXs4>

If children would like to practise at home, that would be great!

Costume ideas and inspiration:



**BRIGHT COLOURS –
YELLOWS / GREENS /
PINKS / ORANGES /
BLUES**



**FEATHER HEADDRESSES /
FEATHER WRIST CUFFS /
FEATHER COLLARS /
RIBBON WANDS**



Dates for your Diary



Weds 3rd July - New to Reception Stay & Play Sessions (9.15-10.15am or 10.30-11.30am)

Sat 6th July – Hale Carnival

w/c 8th July - after school clubs finish for the summer term

Tues 9th July 1.00pm-4.30pm - District Sports (by invitation only)

Weds 10th July - Yr 6 trip to "Wicked"

Weds 10th July - KS1 Sports Day 9am until approximately 11am

Thurs 11th July a.m. - KS2 Sports Day 9am until approximately 11am

Friday 12th July - school reports coming out

Mon 15th July - 9am - Rocksteady Concert for parents of children who take part in Rocksteady

Weds 17th July - Mufti Day

Mon 22nd July - Year 6 Leavers' party

Tues 23rd July - 9am-10:30am Year 6 Production and Leavers Assembly

Tues 23rd July - Last day of term, 1:30pm finish

Term dates can be found on our website here: <https://www.hale.kite.academy/news-and-events/term-dates/>

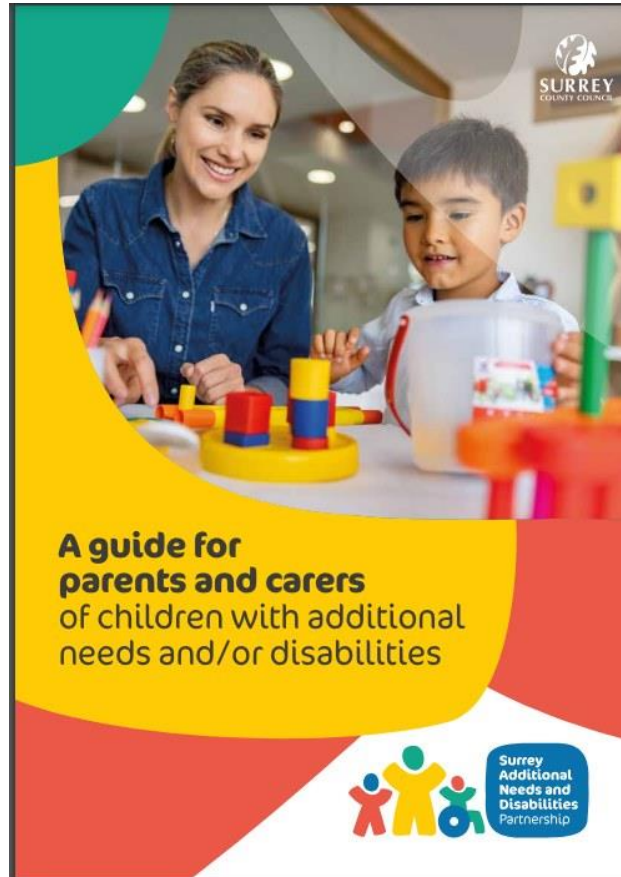
Further dates will be added in due course.

Star of the Week

Nursery	Iliana, Nina, Kai & Kelly
Reception - London	Doha
Year 1 - Bristol	Chloe
Year 2 - Exeter	Teddy B
Year 2 - Aberdeen	Owen
Year 3 - Stanford	Jonathan
Year 3 - Princeton	Rori
Year 4 - Durham	Effort
Year 4 - Warwick	Lucas
Year 5 - Yale	Quinnell
Year 5 - Harvard	Harvard Class
Year 6 - Cambridge	Danny
Year 6 - Oxford	Olly



Spotlight on SEND



Surrey Parent/Carer Guide

Much of the content shared over the last few newsletters have been associated with the Surrey Local Offer.

Surrey have a guide, which is available to parents in PDF form.

It covers:-

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- *Needs*
 - *Education*
 - *The Additional Needs and Disabilities Partnership*

- *Taking care of yourself-Support for parents and carers*
- *A directory of services available*

The document can be found via a link on this Surrey webpage [here](#)

Times Tables Championships



*On Wednesday 26th June, the second ever Kite Trust Times Tables Championships took place for Years 2-4 at The Grove (last year's winners). It pitted the **top two from each year group in each academy** against each other in two scorching rounds of times tables speed and reasoning.*

*Hale came **5th** overall this year in an extremely strong year for maths across the Trust. Lakeside won and will host next year.*

Individual results:

Year 2: Logan (15th) and Ben (17th)

Year 3: Ezmai and Jonathan both 4th equal

Year 4: Jessica (6th) and Tiernan (11th)

SCL Holiday Camp



**SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUBS AT
HALE PRIMARY SCHOOL**
UPPER HALE RD, FARNHAM, GU9 0JF

**ACTIVE
WORLD**
WED 24TH JULY - FRI 30TH AUG

PACKED WITH OVER
30 THEMED ACTIVITIES
FOR 4-12 YEAR OLDS

SIX WEEKS OF FUN AWAITS YOUR CHILD!

 <p>CONTINENTS Exploring what's native to each region</p>	 <p>COUNTRIES & TRAVEL Discover festivals, languages, flags and food</p>	 <p>CITIES & CULTURE Learning about landscapes and famous landmarks</p>
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BOOKINGS AND MORE INFO SCLACTIVE.CO.UK | 0345 644 5747

SCL will return to run a Summer holiday camp at Hale on the following dates:

Monday 29th July to Thursday 1st August

Monday 5th to Thursday 8th August

Monday 12th to Thursday 15th August

Kite Family Hub Events

Kite Academy Trust

Family Support Worker

Come & Ask session

Do you need help with sleep routines or fussy eaters? Is your child showing signs of anxiety or challenging behaviour? Is there a specific area around home life and meeting your child's needs you would like some support with? Maybe you just need reassurance that you are doing the best for your child. This is the perfect opportunity to have an informal conversation with a Family Support Worker from our Trust.

Come & Ask sessions

Our Kite Family Support Workers will be holding Come & Ask sessions fortnightly during the Autumn term. One-hour appointments are available every other Thursday morning between 9:00am and 1:30pm. During the Come & Ask session, you will have the opportunity to share what the concern is, discuss it and look at ways to address the situation.

All appointments can be booked via Eventbrite using the link below.



Family Hub

Thursday 2nd May 2024
Thursday 16th May 2024
Thursday 6th June 2024
Thursday 20th June 2024
Thursday 4th July 2024
Thursday 18th July 2024

These appointments can be held virtually through Microsoft Teams*, by telephone or face to face.

(*You do not require a Microsoft account to be able to access this.)

Booking Link : <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/kite-fsw-come-ask-summer-term-2024-tickets-487432713367>

The Kite Family Hub is located next to Mytchett Primary & Nursery Academy, Hamesmoor Road, Mytchett, GU16 6JB

To book into a Come & Ask Session please use the following link: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/kite-fsw-come-ask-summer-term-2024>

Follow The Kite Family Hub's facebook page for regular updates and details of latest events:
<https://www.facebook.com/KiteFamilyHub>

In the Community



Waverley Family Centre

Announcing a new opportunity
to volunteer at our Family
Centres in Waverley

Volunteer Opportunity - Family Group Helper

We're looking to expand our team of volunteers. If you have time to give and would like to be part of the fun and warmth of Waverley Family Centre, we'd love to hear from you.

Apply online at:

www.volunteer.barnardos.org.uk/opportunities

or email kathy.guy@barnardos.org.uk for more information.

Waverley Family Centre, Green Lane, Binscombe,
Godalming, Surrey, GU7 3TB and
Upper Hale Road, Farnham GU9 0LR



Changing childhoods.
Changing lives.

FUNDRAISING EVENT IN SUPPORT OF BORNEO 2025

SATURDAY 29TH JUNE
@ FARNHAM HEATH END SCHOOL
1-6PM



COME AND VISIT OUR STUDENTS STALLS,
INCLUDING:

- HOMEMADE JEWELLERY
- BOARD GAMES EVENT
- TOMBOLA & CRAFTS
- NERF GUN CAN SHOOTOUT
- TATTOOS
- AND MORE!



PLEASE COME AND SUPPORT OUR FHES STUDENTS
EMBARKING ON THE BORNEO 2025 EXPEDITION IN
RAISING FUNDS TO SUPPORT THEIR JOURNEY



Hale Community Centre
Invite you

JOIN US FOR A FUNDRAISING EVENING
OF MUSIC AND FUN

THURSDAY, JULY 25TH, 2024
FROM 7PM | BIRDIES COFFEE
HOUSE AND BAR FARNHAM

FOOD & DRINK AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE

WITH MUSIC FROM
Uncovered!
WWW.UNCOVEREDMUSIC.CO.UK

Tickets £10
Entry & 1 Free
Raffle ticket
Contact us to purchase

Birdies
COFFEE
HOUSE
& BAR

Contact - office@halecommunitycentre.org.uk - 01252 722362

MUSIC IN THE MEADOW

FREE LIVE MUSIC

26 MAY - MISSY NELSON BAND
 02 JUN - VIC CRACKNELL SWING BAND
 09 JUN - FARNHAM BIG BAND
 16 JUN - THE REPLAYS
 23 JUN - FARNHAM FOLK DAY (1-5PM)
 30 JUN - PROMS AND POP IN THE PARK (12-6PM)
 07 JUL - KINDRED SPIRIT
 14 JUL - THE REVIVALS BAND
 21 JUL - FABULOUS FUNKY FUNKS
 28 JUL - YOUNG ARTISTS SHOWCASE (2-5PM)
 04 AUG - HOLLIE HUNT
 11 AUG - WORLD MUSIC DAY (1-5PM)
 18 AUG - SQUEEZEBOX
 25 AUG - FABULOUS DUCK BROTHERS
 01 SEP - BOOMERS

GOSTREY MEADOW FARNHAM

WWW.FARNHAM.GOV.UK

Organised by: Farnham Town Council

Principal summer sponsors: kiddrapinet SOLICITORS shawgibbs accountants & business advisers

3-5 PM
FREE ENTRY

HOME START

Surrey

Have you heard of us?

Did you know we offer non-judgemental support to families in Surrey with at least one child under school age?

If you or someone you know needs support please contact us to find out your local branch

We run training courses twice a year throughout Surrey for new volunteers.

If you could spare 2-3 hours per week to help a family in your area please get in touch

Call us on 01252 737453
 Email: volunteers@homestartsurrey.org
 Or visit homestartsurrey.org

FREE TO ALL



*Get Inspired,
Get Creative,
Make New Friends,
Try Something New!*

CREATIVE ART GROUP FOR ADULTS



**Come along and
enjoy a different
creative workshop
each month.**



**No artistic
experience necessary.**



Hale Community Centre
130 Upper Hale Road,
Farnham, GU9 0JH

For more information or to sign up, contact Jo -
community@halecommunitycentre.org.uk

Summer Holiday Activities



**School's Out for Summer
Free Meals For Children**

Weekdays between
Monday 29th July - Friday 30th August


Monday
Free Meal 15:30-16:30 in the Main hall

Tuesday
Free Lunch Bag come and collect between
11:00-12:00

Wednesday
Free Meal 12:00-13:30 in the Main hall.

Thursday
Free Lunch Bag come and collect between
11:00-12:00

Friday
Free Meal 13:00-14:30 in Main hall




THIS SUMMER WITH..


DANCE. SING. ACT.

Week 1: 22nd - 25th July
Week 2: 29th - 1st August
Week 3: 5th - 8th August
Week 4: 12th - 15th August


Weydon School
Weydon Lane,
Farnham, GU14 8UG


9am - 3pm
Reception - Year 6





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Sing Dance & Act
JULIET
Pop Musical



JOIN US FOR SOME HOLIDAY FUN!

**SUMMER 2024
OPEN TRAMPOLINE CAMPS**





OPEN TO AGES 5-16

**FULL DAY CAMP (9AM-3PM) OR
HALF DAY CAMP (9AM-12PM OR
12-3PM) OPTIONS AVAILABLE**

**OPEN TO ALL - COMPLETE
BEGINNERS TO NATIONAL
COMPETITORS!**

ALPHA TRAMPOLINE CLUB

Based at Eggar's School, Alton
GU34 4EQ

Summer Holidays 2024

**RUNNING ON VARIOUS
DATES THROUGHOUT
THE SUMMER**

Booking essential - contact us on:

07903 369179
ALPHATRAMPOLINECLUB@GMAIL.COM

**NOMINATED FOR BEST
FAMILY FESTIVAL OF 2023**



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NEATER HEAT MAIN STAGE

Main stage featuring the UK's top tributes to:

BON JOVI *pink* *dua lipa*
PAOLA FAITH **ABBA** **BEYONCÉ** **NILE RODGERS CHIC**
BRITNEY SPEARS **LEWIS CAPALDI** *the Rolling Stones*

Pop Gods • TR5's • The Fabulous Duck Brothers • Jungle Brew

WEST END CENTRE ACOUSTIC STAGE

Featuring the best local talent and up and coming original artists

KIDS ZONE & OTHER ATTRACTIONS

BMX & Mountain Bike Extreme Show • Enchanted Performers Theatre Show
Chris the Juggler & Circus Skills Workshop • Facepainting • Fun Fair
Twisted Bliss Entertainers • Well Being Zone • West End Centre Crafts
Inflatables • Sport Zone • Food Stalls • Licensed Bar • Other Stalls

Acts and entertainment confirmed at time of print. Subject to change



27TH & 28TH JULY 2024
Manor Park • Aldershot



Garden



Explorers

A nature based holiday club



Holiday club for 6 – 11 year olds

Summer Holiday Dates

- Monday 22nd July
- Wednesday 24th July
- Friday 26th July

- Monday 29th July
- Wednesday 31st July
- Friday 2nd August



- Explore and discover some of nature's wonders.
- Create and grow using the garden's gifts
- Play and take part in fun outdoor activities with new friends.

Our holiday club offers your children lots of activities including:

- Den-building
- Make a seed bomb to grow at home
- Bug-hunting
- And much more...



Details:

- Takes place in the safe and secure setting of **The Therapy Garden, Normandy, near Guildford**
- Run by a qualified, DBS checked, dedicated team
- www.thetherapygarden.org for more information
- 9.00am to 3.15pm
- £40 per child, per day (sibling discount rates available)



Book your place now



- Scan: QR code
- Online: www.thetherapygarden.org
- Call: The Therapy Garden: 01483 813846
- Email: admin@thetherapygarden.org

Kite Job Opportunities



Please take a look at the latest vacancies across the Kite Academy Trust:

<https://www.thekiteacademytrust.org/about-us/careers/>

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