

Cherry Lane Newsletter

Issue 2 W/E 19th September 2025

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Dates for the Diary- September/October

Tuesday 23rd September – Reception meet the teacher – 9am

Friday 26th September – MacMillan Coffee Morning

Monday 29th September – Flu Spray (Whole school)

Monday 13th October – Talk Pants Week

Friday 24th October – Training Day – School closed to pupils

**Monday 27th October – Friday 31st October – School closed –
Half Term**

Monday 3rd November – Children Back to School

Important Reminders for Parents & Carers

School Start Times

Please ensure your child arrives on time:

- Nursery AM: 8:30 – 11:30
- Nursery PM: 12:30 – 3:30
- Nursery All Day: 8:30 – 3:30
- KS1: 8:50 – 3:20
- KS2: 8:45 – 3:25

Breakfast Club

- Opens at 7:45am – please do not drop children off before this time.
- Must be booked and paid for in advance via ParentPay (cut-off: the evening before).
- Cost: £2 per child per day.
- Includes a healthy breakfast (toast or cereal).
- Please ensure any outstanding balances are cleared.

Extra-Curricular Clubs

- Clubs will begin the week commencing 15th September.

School Lunches

- Please book your child's lunch via ParentPay before Wednesday for the following week.
- If you miss the deadline, contact the office first thing Thursday morning.
- If not booked and no arrangement made, a packed lunch must be provided.

Uniform

- Please label all uniform items, especially jumpers and cardigans, to help return lost items promptly.



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Hillingdon Mainstream Schools Speech and Language Therapy Training 2025-2026

The Hillingdon Mainstream Schools Speech and Language Therapy Service are running zoom training workshops for parents and carers over this academic year 2025/2026. No pre-booking needed, just access the training below via this Zoom link on the date and time of the training you would like to attend:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83638053994?pwd=4akQXylOKefcxkEk2sDJJaymrCGkpX.1>

Meeting ID: 836 3805 3994

Passcode: 131832

Date	Time	Training name
Wednesday 8 th October 2025	14:00 to 15:00	What is the Mainstream Schools SLT Service?
Thursday 6 th November 2025	14:00 to 15:00	Tools you can use to support Neurodiverse Students with their Social Communication Skills
Monday 1 st December 2025	14:00 to 15:00	Using visuals to support communication
Friday 16 th January 2026	14:00 to 15:00	How to support your child transitioning to secondary school
Thursday 5 th February 2026	14:00 to 15:00	Bilingualism
Tuesday 3 rd March 2026	14:00 to 15:00	The Importance of Story Time
Friday 17 th April 2026	14:00 to 15:00	How to support non-speaking/minimally speaking children
Thursday 7 th May 2026	14:00 to 15:00	Blank Levels Questions
Tuesday 9 th June 2026	14:00 to 15:00	Language for Thinking
Monday 6 th July 2026	14:00 to 15:00	Language for Behaviour and Emotions

Please visit the **Children's Integrated Therapy Service** website www.cnwl.nhs.uk/children-integrated-therapy-service for information about the service. This includes strategies and resources for parents and professionals as well as links to other useful websites.



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Dear Parents/Carers

We are holding our annual harvest festival on Wednesday 8th of October 2025. This is a time when we like to help those less fortunate than ourselves, by providing food and other necessities. It would therefore be greatly appreciated if each child could bring in a small donation. The food bank is especially looking for;

- Tinned meat or fish
- Tinned soup
- Tinned pulses
- Tinned fruit
- Tinned Sweetcorn
- Tinned Spaghetti
- Rice pudding
- Jam/Honey
- Sugar
- Microwave rice
- Dry instant noodles
- Instant coffee
- Fruit Squash



Please ensure there are no perishable items and all items are in date. This food will be given to the West Drayton and Yiewsley Food Bank. We will begin collecting food from Monday 6th October till the 8th, please send the food to your child's classroom.



Thank-you for your generosity!
Mrs Robins
(RE Co-ordinator)

It's time for a Macmillan Coffee Morning and you're invited

Let's do whatever it takes to support people living with cancer.

Place: **CHERRY LANE DINING HALL**

Date: **Friday 26th September 2025**

Time: **8:30-9:30am**

We welcome all parents and carers to join us for the 'World's Biggest Coffee Morning'. Let's come together to support a great cause!

We kindly request families to bring in cakes, biscuits and chocolates to share with everyone. Please note these can be dropped off in advance at the school



MACMILLAN
CANCER SUPPORT

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Hillingdon Forest Corers Forum
INVITES YOU TO JOIN US ON
SATURDAY 20TH SEPTEMBER 2025
11AM - 3PM

Tombola
NERF TENT
FREE EVENT
GUEST APPEARANCE
FOR SEND FAMILIES ONLY

ANIMALS - FACE PAINTING - BOUNCY CASTLES - DJ - MAGICK
FOOD TO BUY - ICE CREAM - DRINKS - INFORMATION STALLS

INFORMATION AND ENGAGEMENT EVENT
The Pride Academy 71 Felling Lane, West Drayton, UB7 8AB

Age 0-25 with SEND, plus their families.
For more information email Hillingdonpcf@gmail.com

Bike and equipment available to borrow! Please wear long sleeve clothing!

Contact...
hello@hawksbmx.co.uk or +44 7805 687083 to book on!

ALL FEMALE BMX RACING TASTER SESSION!

ABC
Alexander Bmx Coach

COMPLETELY FREE!!!!

ALL AGES WELCOME!

WHEN - Sunday 28th September

WHERE - Hayes Hawks BMX track, lake farm country park

TIME - 1-2pm



WITH COACH- HARRIET ALEXANDER

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HILLINGDON WELLBEING SUPPORT

DROP-IN WORKSHOPS

To celebrate World Mental Health Day on 10th October 2025, Cherry Lane Primary School will be hosting **free** one-hour workshops for parents and carers in collaboration with the school's Educational Mental Health practitioner, Megan. Details of the workshop can be found below:

Tuesday 7th October 09:00 - 10:00

Coffee Morning: What is Mental Health?

Wednesday 8th October 09:00 - 10:00

Managing Common Behaviour Problems

Thursday 9th October 09:00 - 10:00

Helping your child with worries or anxieties

QUESTIONS?

If you would like any further information, please speak to Mrs. McInroy.

We operate weekdays between 9am-5pm.
For urgent out of hours support please contact the Urgent
Crisis Line on: 0800 023 4650



We warmly invite prospective pupils and families to

John Lyon Senior School Open Morning

Saturday 4 October

9.30am - 12.00pm

Join us for an engaging introduction to life at John Lyon!



Book now

BASKETBALL COMMUNITY SESSIONS

ALL ABILITIES WELCOME

1st SESSION FREE!

Uxbridge College Park Road, Uxbridge UB8 1NQ Age 7-12 9-10.30am Age 13-17 10.30am-12pm SATURDAYS	Botwell House Primary School Botwell Lane, Hayes UB3 2AB (entry behind church) Age 7-12 6.30-7.30pm Age 13-17 7.30-8.30pm MONDAYS
Douay Martyrs Secondary School Edinburgh Drive, Ickenham UB10 8QY Age 7-12 5.30-6.45pm Age 13-17 6.45-8pm THURSDAYS	Girls only sessions Uxbridge College Park Road, Uxbridge UB8 1NQ Age 7-17 12-1pm SATURDAYS

£10 REGISTRATION FEE | £5 PER SESSION

For more information please call Lorian on 07703 056303
or email admin@fullcourtconnections.co.uk

SCHOOL TERM AND HOLIDAYS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 2025/2026

Link to school term dates - <https://www.hillingdon.gov.uk/article/5797/Term-dates>

Bank Holidays

2025

Christmas Day - Thursday 25th December

Boxing Day - Thursday 26th December

2026

New Year Day - Thursday 1st January

Good Friday – Friday 3rd April

Easter Monday – Monday 6th April

Early May bank holiday – Monday 4th May

Spring bank holiday – Monday 25th May

Summer Bank Holiday – Monday 31st August

Autumn Term - 2025

Training Day:	Tuesday, 2 nd September (school closed to pupils)
Autumn 1 starts:	Wednesday, 3 rd September
Training Day:	Friday 24 th October (school closed to pupils)
Half term:	Monday, 27 th October to Friday, 31 st October
Autumn 2 starts:	Monday 3 rd November
Term ends:	Friday, 19 th December @2pm

Spring Term - 2026

Spring 1 starts:	Monday 5 th January
Half term:	Monday, 16 th February – Friday 20 th February
Spring 2 starts:	Monday 23 rd February
Term ends:	Friday 27 th March @ 2pm

Summer Term - 2026

Summer 1 starts:	Monday 13 rd April
Half term:	Monday 25 th May - Friday, 29 th May
Summer 2 starts:	Monday 1 st June
Term ends:	Tuesday 21 st July @ 2pm

(3 additional Teacher Training Days are to be confirmed)

HOLIDAYS ARE **NOT AUTHORISED** DURING TERM TIME



KEY CONTACTS

Head Teacher: Miss Tranter

Reporting an absence – Choose telephone option 1

Welfare – Choose telephone option 2

Admissions – Mrs Haddad – Choose telephone option 3

Business Manager – Mrs Sondi – Choose telephone option 4

To speak to main office please hold

If you wish to make an appointment to see a teacher, please contact the school office.