



High Ash CE School

Thursday 25th May 2023

'Let your light shine' Matthew 5:16



Grow Together Shine Forever

Dear High Ash families,

I can't believe that we are already at half-term! A school holiday is always a good time to stop and reflect on everything that we have achieved. Every time I visit the classrooms, I am impressed with how the children are settling down to work and able to tell me about what they have been learning about and linking it back to prior lessons. Their Innovates have been amazing. Please look at our Facebook page to see some examples of persuasive leaflets about Mexico, habitats for different creatures and brilliant information sheets about different biomes. This week we have said a sad goodbye to Mrs Wadeson and we wish her well on her next adventure. We have also had very successful HASA discos which raised an enormous £630 for the school. Thank you to all the staff and volunteers who supported the discos. I hope you have a restful break. **Please note the changes to pick up arrangements outlined in the accompanying email and that school will reopen for the next half-term on Tuesday 6th June.**

Ruth Lewin, Headteacher

This week's report from our Roving Reporters Lottie and Eliza!

The good weather is letting us spend lots of time outside. For Roving Reporter this week, we asked Years 3/4 about their favourite sports for PE. Pixie loves badminton because it is not too fast paced and everyone can play together but Alicia loves tennis because it is fast paced and high intensity. Leo has chosen football as he loves matches with his friends. Year 6 spent lots of time outdoors last week during their residential at Culmington Manor. The most popular activities were aero ball, high ropes and zip wire.

We can't forget all the work going on inside. Years 1/2 are reaching the end of their topic. Rupert loved reading the book Turtle during English lessons and Dimi enjoyed learning about the oceans and sea creatures. Ronnie is very excited about Acorns class coming to their classrooms to see their work on habitats - what a lovely way to end this half-term!

Sunday 11th June - High Ash CE Primary School 10.30am-1pm

Bring your gardening tools, wheelbarrows and paintbrushes to help transform our outside spaces at school!



We will be creating an area for our younger children to be able to access Forest School; clearing space to create areas to grow more vegetables and fruit (part of our eco-committee's drive to be a Green Flag Eco School); and painting some fences to make them more colourful!

All families are welcome (including grandparents, aunts and uncles etc) but you will need to supervise and be responsible for your own children. Tea, coffee and squash will be provided. Come for as much or as little time as you wish.

Dates for Your Diary:

Friday 26th May - INSET - school closed for pupils

Monday 5th June- INSET - school closed for pupils

Tuesday 6th June - Y5/6 trip to Tring Museum

Thursday 8th June - Y3/4 Hook Day (American Theme)

Thursday 8th June - Y5/6 Cricket Tournament

Thursday 8th June - HASA Bags2School Collection

Friday 9th June - KS2 STAR assembly (invite only)

Thursday 29th June - HASA AGM, 7pm in the hall



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High Ash CE Primary School

Community Pages

Pizza Night - Fri 23rd June

HASA are teaming up with Doughies for a fun family night in. Order your Pizza and cookie kits and receive everything you need to make Artisan mozzarella pizzas (regular or vegan), and warm gooey cookies at home! Take some fabulous pics of your budding chefs making and enjoying their creations and send them to office@highash.co.uk so they can be uploaded onto our Instagram page, providing consent has been given to school to do so.

Orders must be placed by SAT 17th JUNE at <https://doughies.co.uk/products/high-ash-mk17>

HASA will receive £2 from every pizza kit and £1 from every cookie kit sold!!

Kits will come home with your child on **Friday 23rd June**



PIZZA & COOKIE EVENING

FRIDAY 23RD JUNE

We've teamed up with Doughies for a fun family night in. Order your pizza & cookie making kits and you'll receive everything you need to make artisan margherita pizzas (**regular or vegan**), and warm gooey cookies in your home oven.



Orders to be placed via the Doughies link below by Saturday 17th June
<https://doughies.co.uk/products/high-ash-mk17>

Orders will be sent home with children after school on Friday 23rd June



EACH KIT MAKES 1 X 12" PIZZA AND INCLUDES:

- 01 1 Fresh dough ball perfect for baking that evening, or within 48 hours
- 02 80 grams of special tomato pizza sauce
- 03 80 grams of fresh, cubed mozzarella (or vegan mozzarella)
- 04 10 grams of grated Parmesan cheese for an added depth of flavour
- 05 A pouch of stretching flour to help stretch your dough balls

COOKIE OPTIONS:

- 01 Chocolate brownie
- 02 Chocolate Chip
- 03 Oat and Raisin



Bring the family together for a fun mealtime activity

Each kit includes printed instructions, and the Doughies website contains videos and tips to help you stretch and cook the perfect home oven pizza

Buckinghamshire Family Support Service are holding a free craft workshop in half-term at Southcourt Family Centre Plus on Tuesday 30 May 10am to 12 midday. Artist Olivia Davies will help you create Friendship Bunting and Quilt Patches to be displayed at the WhizzFizzFest at Aylesbury on Sea on Sunday 2 July.

Suitable for Children 5 plus years. All Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Please visit <https://directory.familyinfo.buckinghamshire.gov.uk/service/10293?keywords=whizzfizzfest&page=1> for more details.



Brickstock 2023
SUNDAY 28TH MAY
GATES OPEN AT 12:00

**ADRIAN STRANIK - BOYSEY'S BAND - THE RECOLLECTIONS
SOUND OF THE CROWD - ESCAPE PARTY - HOPE AND GLORY
G.O.D. - THE REFORMERS - OPEN MIC - SILENT DISCO**

**POP-UP FOOD STALLS INCLUDING THE CALZONE KITCHEN - COCKY CHICK
MAMMAS MEXICAN - HOWE AND CO FISH AND CHIPS - TEA COFFEE & CAKES
BEER TENT - SOFT DRINKS - ICE CREAM - SWEET SHOP - CHILDREN'S INFLATABLES**

TICKETS

ADVANCE ADULT (18+) - £13 CONCESSIONS - £10 KIDS (12-17) - £8 UNDER 12s - FREE	OFFICIAL SPONSOR: 	ON THE GATE ADULT (18+) - £16 CONCESSIONS - £12 KIDS (12-17) - £10 UNDER 12s - FREE
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BRICKSTOCK 2023 PROUDLY SUPPORTS THE FOLLOWING LOCAL CHARITIES





Brickstock 2023

Lineup

12.15pm - **G.O.D. (Growing Old Disgracefully)** - Acoustic guitar/vocal duo
1.00pm - **The Cottesloe School** - 'Open mic' spot
2.00pm - **Adrian Stranik** - Rockabilly-Noir/Psyc' Bluegrass + 50s classics
3.00pm - **The Recollections** - Vocal Harmony, Electro/Acoustic, 60s & 70s, Pop Covers
4.15pm - **The Boysey Battrum Band** - Quality Jazz, Soul, Pop, Feat' Jodie Battrum
5.15pm - **The Reformers** - High Energy Rock/Pop
6.15pm - **Sound Of The Crowd** - Quality, Authentic, 80's Synth/Pop
7.15pm - **Escape Party** - Female fronted, Colourful, Lively, Party Band
8.15pm - **Hope & Glory** - 7pc Quality Ska band, Madness, Specials etc...

Tickets

SEARCH 'BRICKSTOCK 2023' OR SCAN THE QR CODE



BRICKHILLCRICKET.CO.UK
Great Brickhill Cricket Club, Horsepond, Great Brickhill, Buckinghamshire, MK17 9BA

Brickstock has long been held in high regard as a hugely fun local festival with music, food, stalls and fun activities a plenty. This year HASA is in the very privileged position of being chosen as Brickstock's charity of choice, meaning that we will receive a very generous donation from the events takings. This is a huge honour for us and means that these funds will go directly to school to support them to provide our children with access to opportunities and activities that they could otherwise not. You can help directly in this by purchasing tickets for the event which is being held on Sunday 28th May at Great Brickhill Cricket Club. Why not grab some tickets by either scanning the QR code on the flyer below or on the gate! A great day will be had by all whilst helping to raise much appreciated funds for our school.

Thank you as always for your continued support!
HASA