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# Fortnightly Newsletter

We Respect Ourselves - We Respect Each Other - We Respect Our School and Our Community

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## Deputy Head's Headlines

I have the pleasure of writing my final newsletter this week, on my final day at Henry Hinde Junior School.

Over the last 7 years I have taught nearly 500 different children here and I have loved getting to know each and every single one of them. There has not been a dull day and never one without a smile. I started as a Year 3 teacher here back in 2014 and was privileged to start to shape the transition between Year 2 and 3 and work closely with Henry Hinde Infant School; a process I will really miss.

I've waved 7 cohorts of Year 6 off to their Secondary destinations; joining them on their final residential, signing their t-shirts, watching their leavers productions and I've shed a lot of tears when we've said goodbye. I've attended 7 years worth of PTFA meetings and supported every disco, fayre and fish and chip bingo night, I've also won a few quizzes in my time here too! I've been to nearly every Governor and Aim Board meeting too and obviously I've been through all of the Ofsted inspections. Each and every aspect of this school and its community are wonderfully unique and I will miss them all.

My last thanks is to the staff; we are so lucky here to have the staff that we have. I've worked with a lot of people in my teaching career and the staff here go above and beyond for this community whenever they can. They have been pivotal in securing the improvements that this school and your children deserve and I will miss them terribly.

I have loved working with you all; supporting your children and your families and I am incredibly sad to say goodbye, but this is the right decision for me and my family. Thank you for being such an important part of my life, I have absolute faith that I am leaving this school in very safe hands (and paws).

Miss Stewart



## Our School Values- Dinner time discussions!



We have re-launched our RESPECT values this year, they are all displayed throughout the school!

This week and next week, our focus is 'Collaborative' and the staff have been awarding house points for pupils who have been working together to achieve.



Exciting Futures Grow  
From Strong Roots

# Awards

## Pupil of the Week

Week 1 Value: **Enquiring**



**3 Oak:** Stephen B

**3 Maple:** Sienna D

**4 Cherry:** Zach C

**4 Willow:** Mason C

**5 Sycamore:** Harinath S

**5 Birch:** Layla E

**6 Ash:** Alexander R

**6 Pine:** Layla C

## Outside of School Awards

Myles J- **5 Birch**- Summer Reading Challenge

Bethany W-**3 Maple**- Rugby Borough Women and Girls Player of the Match and a medal for a tournament.

Hannah Y- **3 Maple**- Rugby Gymnastics Club Level 1

## Attendance

This week, our whole school attendance is: 92.8%

The class with the highest attendance last week was: Cherry

The class with the highest attendance this week is: Pine

## Parents' Evening

The slots for November's Parents' Evenings are going live Parentmail on Saturday, 23rd October. These will take place on November 10th and 11th after school in your child's/children's classroom.

The timings are as follows;

10th November 3:40-7:00

11th November 3:40-6:00

Make sure you book your slot on Parentmail as soon as you can to avoid disappointment.

If you would prefer an online meeting please contact the class teacher via Dojo.

# HALF TERM RUGBY & MULTI SPORT CAMP

## 26th/27th/28th October 2021

FOR CHILDREN 5-14 YEARS OLD - 9AM-3PM



Powered by  
 **Community Group**

**£60**  
for 3 days

**£25**  
for 1 day

**Activities include:**  
Fun games + Rugby skills and small sided contact games (age appropriate). All RFU protocols will be followed.

**BOOK ONLINE:** [www.clubs-hub.com/oldlaurentianrfc](http://www.clubs-hub.com/oldlaurentianrfc)  
**ENQUIRIES:** [info@community-group.co.uk](mailto:info@community-group.co.uk)  
**VENUE:** Old Laurentian RFC, Lime Tree Avenue, Rugby, CV22 7QT



## Cleaning Vacancy

If you would be interested in our cleaning vacancy please contact the school office email for a application form.

[office@henryhindejunior.co.uk](mailto:office@henryhindejunior.co.uk)



## Advent Calendars

Every year, we collect advent calendars at school and donate them to local vulnerable families.

If you would like to donate an advent calendar to the cause then please drop this in to the school office.



Please note we cannot accept anything with nuts!

An illustration featuring a man with short brown hair, wearing a blue long-sleeved shirt, standing next to a child with brown hair wearing a white cap with an orange brim and a blue t-shirt. To their right is a calendar page with a pink header that says 'OCTOBER' and a large black number '31' on a white background. The background is a solid green color.

### Warwickshire County Council

11 October at 10:30 · 🌐

Applying to secondary schools for 2022? It's a good idea to visit the websites of the schools you are considering, and go and visit them too if you can. For more useful tips on making an application, visit <https://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/applying-secondary-school...>

## Dates for your Diary

### October

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
<b>18</b> Year 5 Experience Day Open Evening, HHJS Prospective Yr 2 Families	<b>19</b> Children Photographs Day	<b>20</b> PTFA virtual meeting, 7pm	<b>21</b> Miss Stewart's last day	<b>22</b> Teacher Training Day- school closed to children
<b>25</b> Half Term	<b>26</b> Half Term	<b>27</b> Half Term	<b>28</b> Half Term	<b>29</b> Half Term

### November

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> Year 4 Viking Day	<b>4</b> Year 4 Viking Day	<b>5</b>
<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> Year 6 Coventry Cathedral Trip Parents' Evening	<b>11</b> Parents' Evening	<b>12</b>
<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> Year 3 Exhibition PM- info to follow	<b>18</b> Year 6 Exhibition AM- info to follow Year 4 Exhibition PM- info to follow	<b>19</b> Year 5 Exhibition PM- info to follow
<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>

### December

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>