



1st March 2024



### Weekly Update

There are times when my heart is just filled with absolute pride at being the Principal of Henry Hinde. Tuesday evening was one of those times at our Trust's Talent Show. The show was organised by the music co-ordinators from the Trust schools and was judged by the Mayor of Rugby, our CEO and the founder of 5 Star Performing Arts. Five very brave pupils from Henry Hinde battled against students from Houlton School and Ashlawn School.

Amelia and Dolly (both Year 3), Bethany (Year 5), and Sachin and Alina (both Year 6) gave their absolute all as they performed their rehearsed pieces. Well done all of you! A special mention goes to Sachin for winning 'Best Stage Presence' with his drum routine that saw the audience clapping along and also to 'Bethany' who won 'Most Original Act' for her balloon modelling routine which involved the judges trying to make a balloon dog!

Huge thank you to Miss. Crowther who has spent hours working with her secondary colleagues, judging the Henry Hinde Talent and then working over a 12 hour day to ensure the evening was the huge success that it was. Thank you.

In other news, Year One were visited by some very unusual animals on Monday including a snake and a tarantula to help them with their science learning. We also hosted a Defibrillation training session for our locality run by the local Fire Brigade.



### **Star Corner!**

1st March 2024

This week's winners are:

#### **\*\*Star Writer\*\***

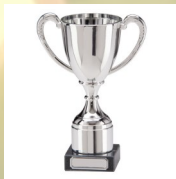
Sealions	Julia
Lobsters	Elise
Seahorses	Jake
Starfish	George P
Turtle & Dolphin	Aadiv
Octopus & Stingray	Joshy

#### **\*\*Star Problem Solver\*\***

Sealions	Penny
Lobsters	Lorayah
Seahorses	Lewan
Starfish	Harley
Turtle & Dolphin	Pola
Octopus & Stingray	Poppy

***Congratulations for some amazing work!***

The following children have been awarded the Silver Cup.



#### **\*\*Silver Cup\*\***

Sealions	Elena
Lobsters	Iris
Seahorses	Ana
Starfish	Radith
Turtle & Dolphin	Eliots
Octopus & Stingray	Jacob

### **Defibrillation Training**

On Monday, staff joined with members of the public to learn how to use the recently installed defibrillation equipment led by the local fire brigade.

The equipment (which is now situated outside both school sites) was funded by the Our Jay Foundation. This has a special place in our heart as Jamie used to attend Henry Hinde. This week the children have been working very hard in PE to earn sponsorship money to help install even more units in other places across the town. We will announce the final total in the coming weeks.





### World Book Day

# WORLD BOOK DAY®

7 MARCH 2024

We love books at Henry Hinde and they are an integral part of every day teaching. World Book Day gives us an opportunity to celebrate our love of books even further.

We are very aware that times are tricky for many of our families, so we have made the decision not to dress up as characters every year. Instead, the children will be involved in lots of book based activities on the day which will conclude with a 'Mystery Reader'. There will be competitions for the pupils to participate in throughout the week.

Infants Only (Grenville Site) - Please can each child bring in a favourite book for the day. Please make sure that this is named.

### Comic Relief Day

# RED NOSE DAY

15 March

On Friday 15th March we will be celebrating Red Nose Day. This is an opportunity to raise money to help relieve poverty both in the UK and abroad.

For this day we would like the children to come to school in their school uniform as usual but with one thing swapped for something **red**.

Donations can be made via ParentMail (suggested £1 donation).



**RED NOSE DAY**  
Friday 15th March

We will be serving  
**Red Nose Biscuits**  
for dessert  
on  
**Friday 15th March**

the NUTRI GANG  
COMIC RELIEF

educaterers FOOD STORY

# COMING SOON

Date	Grenville Site Infant	Cornwallis Site Junior	Both
Monday 4th March	Year 2 Maths Workshop Sealions' Parents' Evening	Year 3 visit to Cadbury's World	
Tuesday 5th March	Sealions' Parents' Evening		
Thursday 7th March			World Book Day
Friday 8th March			Sponsorship Money Deadline
Wednesday 13th March	Year 1 Maths Workshop		
Friday 15th March	Reception Maths Workshop		Red Nose Day Reports sent home
Monday 18th March			Parents' Evening
Tuesday 19th March	Turtles and Dolphins' Parents' Evening		
Thursday 21st March			Parents' Evening
Monday 25th March to Friday 5th April			Easter Holidays
Monday 8th April			INSET day (No children in school)
Wednesday 10th April	Lobsters' Florence Nightingale Workshop		
Thursday 11th April	Sealions' Florence Nightingale Workshop		
Tuesday 16th April	Reception and Junior School Places announced		
Thursday 2nd May	Infants Closed for Polling Day		
Week commencing Monday 13th May		Year 6 assessments	
Monday 27th to Friday 31st May			May half-term

**COMING SOON**

### Art Competition Winner!

Well done to Ava in Year 1 for taking part in the self portrait competition over half term!

Her amazing drawing and painting using water colours - "walking a dog looking at the stars".

Keep an eye out for more competitions to come and Art Week in the summer term.



### Reminder

Please make sure that your child is wearing the correct uniform and PE kit. If you need any support please contact the school office.

If your child wears earrings, please make sure that they are only small studs. The children are often very active in their learning and we do not want any child to catch them. Any child wearing hooped earrings will not be permitted to participate in PE on that day to ensure their safety. Ideally it is best to send your child to school without their earrings on their PE days.

Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.



### Chewing Gum

Just to remind you that chewing gum is not permitted and needs to be taken out before coming into school.



### Dogs

We love dogs at Henry Hinde, but unfortunately we are only allowed on site either support dogs or dogs that have been temperament assessed through prior arrangement.



**onside**<sup>®</sup>  
COACHING.CO.UK  
EAST WARWICKSHIRE

THE **PERFECT**  
Holiday Childcare Solution

Ages  
**5-11**

# Easter Holidays

**WEEK 1** Monday 25th to Thursday 28th March 2024

**WEEK 2** Tuesday 2nd to Friday 5th April 2024

## Active Kids & Football Courses!

<b>COURSE</b>	Drop off	Collection
<b>TIMES</b>	8.30am to 9am	3.30pm to 4pm

**LS** Lawrence Sheriff School

**LL** Long Lawford

ONLY  
**£18**  
per day

[onsidecoaching.co.uk](https://onsidecoaching.co.uk)

EAST WARWICKSHIRE





**From  
£12  
per day**

**6 Great  
Locations!**

**KITS ACADEMY**

**Easter Holiday**  
Get Your Kids Active  
**25th March - 5th April 2024**  
Years 1 to 8

**Whitsun Half Term**  
Get Your Kids Active  
**28th - 31st May 2024**  
Years 1 to 8

**BOOK NOW!**

• online at  
**www.kitsacademy.com**  
for more information  
**Call us on 07772 873271**  
**Email us at bookings@kitsacademy.com**

KA Kits Academy CIC No: 10685516

**Early Drop off**  
8:30am  
Just £4.00 extra

**Drop off**  
9:00am - 9:30am

**Pickup**  
3:00pm - 3:30pm

**Late Pickup**  
4:30pm  
Just £5.00 extra

**HAF**

Your child may be accepted for free places under the Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) Programme. Contact us to see if your eligible. \*Available for Easter only.

Please ensure your child has two refillable drinks bottles and a lunch.

**Junior  
Adventures  
Group**

**FESTIVAL  
of Colour**

*Dive into the vibrant world of colour this Easter with our Festival of Colour Holiday Club!*

This Easter join our Festival of Colour Holiday Club! This engaging and vibrant program invites your children to explore the world through a kaleidoscope of fun through themed activities, from rainbow yoga and colour-coded puzzles to colourful food art and ice cube painting our melting crafts and outdoor games. Ensure our holiday club promises an enriching experience that combines fun, learning, and creativity.

- ✓ Ages 4-8 years
- ✓ 6th locations
- ✓ Sky, active & social, wellbeing
- ✓ Unleash creativity
- ✓ Create cherished memories
- ✓ Explore a variety of themed interests

**SCAN HERE FOR MORE INFO & SAVE 10% OFF!**

junioradventuresgroup.co.uk

01332 671 4655

junioradventuresgroup.co.uk

**FESTIVAL  
of Colour**

All JAC holiday programmes are built on our holistic child philosophy, fostering creativity, learning, inclusion, participation, wellbeing, and happiness, ensuring that children's time with us is always a highlight. These programmes build confidence, nurture creativity, and keep young minds active during school breaks. Here at all, they're not just fun, they're learning with intention and supervision that shape their growth and development.

Our dedicated team ensures a safe and nurturing environment, where each child's unique abilities are celebrated. Join us this Easter in creating lasting memories filled with laughter, friendship, and the magic of the Festival of Colour.

**Our Activity Categories**

**Creative Inventors**

Existing opportunities for children to explore innovative creativity.

Painting, crafts, clay, clay, etc.

**Brain Busters**

Exploring games & puzzles to stimulate and sharpen logical thinking.

Logic puzzles, Sudoku, etc.

**Super Sports**

Autonomous multi-sports sessions.

Football, Basketball, etc.

**Zen Masters**

Activities that promote physical, emotional, and personal wellbeing and happiness.

Yoga, Tai Chi, etc.

**Global Kids**

Activities that promote global understanding and respect through a range of engaging experiences.

Cooking, Music, etc.

**Power Teams**

Autonomous-based activities and challenges.

Team challenges, etc.

**SCAN HERE TO FIND OUT MORE AND TO CLAIM OUR LIMITED TIME 10% DISCOUNT**

**FOLLOW US ONLINE @JUNIORADVENTURESGROUPUK**

**JUNIORADVENTURESGROUP.CO.UK**



## Warwickshire Family and Relationship Support

### Parenting Together

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March 10:00 – 12:00**

**2-hour FREE workshop for parents/carers at:  
Rugby Library and Information Centre, Little  
Elborow St, Rugby, CV21 3BZ**

This workshop recognises that parenting can be a hard role, especially in today's challenging world of a cost-of-living crisis, post pandemic with ever increasing stressors. Arguments and disagreements in parenting relationships are normal, however if it is frequent, intense, and poorly resolved it may impact on the outcomes of children.

**Who is it for?** Parents (including expectant parents) living together and those living apart. It is suitable for co-parents in separate homes, single parents supported by other adult carers, extended families, and blended 'step'

To book or find  
out more :



Any questions email: [parenttrainers@warwickshire.gov.uk](mailto:parenttrainers@warwickshire.gov.uk)



## Warwickshire Family and Relationship Support

**2-hour FREE workshops for parents/carers at:  
Overslade Community Centre, Buchanan Road,  
Rugby, CV22 6AY**

Understanding Your Teenager 28<sup>th</sup> February 2024

Understanding Children's Behaviour 20<sup>th</sup> March

Sleep 17<sup>th</sup> April

Children are rewarding, stimulating and fun, but looking after them can sometimes be stressful and challenging.

These Workshops will enable parents to meet other parents, to share own experiences in a safe space and to find out about the topics covered. You will also learn about the Parenting offer in Warwickshire County Council and other support that is available to families.

Any questions email: [parenttrainers@warwickshire.gov.uk](mailto:parenttrainers@warwickshire.gov.uk)

To visit the Eventbrite page or  
book your place use QR code:



## UNDERSTANDING YOUR CHILD SOLIHULL APPROACH

### Solihull Approach 10 Week Programme

**FREE 10 week Programme for parents and carers at:**

**Knightlow C. of E. Primary School, Hill Crescent,  
Stretton-on-Dunsmore, CV23 9NF**

**18<sup>th</sup> April 2024 – 27<sup>th</sup> June 2024**

**Thursday 09:30 – 11:30am**

#### Would you like to know more about....

- Your child's development - Age and Stage (0 – 18yrs)
- Your child's behaviours - Being angry, not getting on with siblings, management and strategies
- Your role as a main carer and how best you can support your child
- Meet other parents - share own experiences



To book use QR code:



For further information please email:

[ehparenttrainers@warwickshire.gov.uk](mailto:ehparenttrainers@warwickshire.gov.uk)

