

23 June 2023



Hi everyone,

What an end to the week with Bristol Reggae orchestra playing to celebrate the 75th anniversary of Windrush. There was a real buzz around the school today as all the equipment started to turn up and the hall was transformed into a performance space. The children were excited to see so many adults and see and hear instruments being played live. The Windrush represents a group of people who moved to Britain bringing with them their culture and traditions. This is the foundation on which the Hannah More community is built. Every week we welcome new students who have come with their families from another country to start a new life. The notion of starting again and merging cultures is familiar to many of our families or their previous generations. Hannah More has such a fantastic community because of the cultural mix that makes it unique. It was the perfect place to celebrate and reflect on 75 years since the Windrush set sail.

This week, five of our Year 5s Samuel, Retaj, Ibtisam, Nazmin and Maid played football in a team with five year 5 children from Fonthill primary. They called themselves the Hillmore Hyenas. The combined team played against other schools and came 5th out of 13 schools. We were so proud of all of the children and the relationships that they built up with the children from the other schools. Next week, we have two classes of Year 5 children coming from a partner school and I hope the children will be as welcoming and friendly as this week's representatives.

Next week will be Eid -al -Adha and many of our families will be celebrating. The celebrations start on Wednesday and children will be learning about Eid in school beforehand. We know what an exciting time this is for many children and families in our school and we look forward to hearing about the celebrations that family and friends have had.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mr Hawkins

Headteacher

TEACHER STRIKES: SCHOOL CLOSED ON WEDNESDAY 5 JULY & FRIDAY 7 JULY

Due to the upcoming teacher strikes, school will be closed for all children on both days.

Please note that the Summer Fair will still be happening on Friday 7 July at 2pm - 4:30pm.

SUPERKIDS!

Lavender: Abdelrouf

Reception: Amira

Year 1: Bader

Year 2: Natalija

Year 3: Marni and Manal

Year 4: Abdullahi

Year 5: Malachi and Abrar

Year 6: Abdirahiim and Noura



CLASS NEWS

LAVENDER

As mathematicians we continued learning about time. We practised telling the exact time past the hour. As writers we practised writing sentences including adjectives, verbs and adverbs of times such as yesterday, last week, tomorrow etc. At home, talk to your child about the time on the clock, looking at o'clock and the exact minutes past the hour e.g. 2 minutes past, 8 minutes past, 27 minutes past. Please take time to talk with your child about their interests and enjoy time together.

RECEPTION

This week we enjoyed our new story 'Rosie's Walk' and did lots of map drawing and story writing in busy time! In maths we practised using 10 frames to show amounts to 10, and solved number problems. At home, help your child draw a map of your journey to school. What do you see on the way? Which way do you turn? Can you use the words turn left, right, go straight etc.

YEAR 1

This week Year 1 learnt how to classify different animals based on their characteristics. They also learnt about the different types of diets animals have. In maths, children learnt about the different coins we use as money, and also learnt how to measure with a ruler. At home, talk to your child about different coins we use when we buy things. Read with your child every day.

YEAR 2

This week the children learnt about turning clockwise or anticlockwise and giving directions. We wrote our own stories about Anna Hibiscus and compared Bristol with Lagos for our enquiry lessons. At home, please test your child on telling the time. Please read with your child 5 times a week, and learn the 2 and 5 times table facts out of order.

YEAR 3

This week Year 3 had an exciting school trip to the Bristol Downs! We learnt about the goats that live in Bristol which surprised us and we went on a wildflower hunt. At school, we also made rainforest poetry, studied angles in maths and looked at parts of a plant as scientists. Please read with your child 5 times a week. Learn the 3, 4 and 8 times table facts out of order. Practise joined handwriting at home.

YEAR 4

As mathematicians we explored shape, recognising the properties of different angles and triangles. We wrote stories with a moral message as authors. In our enquiry, we learnt about the features of rivers, as well as conducting an experiment with evaporation and condensation. At home, take your child out to explore rivers in the local area, see what features they can identify.

YEAR 5

As authors, children wrote fantastic poems about Varmints. They thought creatively about how the mood shifts in the book and linked this to their poems. At home, keep encouraging your child to read at home.

YEAR 6

Year 6 had a busy week with lots of writing - a non-chronological report about dragons AND a creepy narrative about a little girl who gets trapped in the body of a doll... At home, help your child practise their lines for the performance.



Bake Sale

Tuesday 27th June

3.15 after school

Please bring cash

All money donated to a
rainforest charity!



SUMMER FAIR

Friday 7 July

2pm-4:30pm

THERE WILL BE FOOD,
GAMES, MUSIC, ACTIVITIES
AND MORE!

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO RUN A FOOD STALL
AT THE SUMMER FAIR, PLEASE SPEAK TO
SARAH FRANKE

Please bring cash

All children must be accompanied by an adult

ESOL CONVERSATION CLUB

**TUESDAYS
2PM-3PM**

**Do you want to practice speaking English?
Come to an English Conversation Club.**

**WE'VE HAD A
GREAT TURNOUT!
COME ALONG AND
JOIN THE GROUP!**

Ma doonaysaa in aad luqadda Ingiriisiga si
fiican ugu hadasho?
Kaalay oo ka qaybqaado kulamo gaar ah
oo loogu talagalay xoojinta ama
horumarinta ku hadalka luqadda Ingiriisiga.

Czy chcesz ćwiczyć rozmowy w języku angielskim?

Przylącz się do klubu konwersacyjnego

English Conversation Club.

کیا آپ انگریزی بولنے کی مشق کرنا چاہتے ہیں؟
انگریزی بول چال کے کلب میں تشریف لائیں۔

Хочеш попрактикувати розмовну англійську?

Приєднуйся до англійського розмовного клубу English
Conversation Club.

• Practise speaking English • Improve your confidence •

• Meet new people • Enjoy fun activities •

FREE Speaking classes in Bristol | No need to enrol—just turn up!



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www.esolcc.org or contact Aggie on:

✉ esolconversationclubs@bristol.gov.uk

☎ 07768500673

Photos from the brilliant Windrush 75 celebration and performance from Bristol Reggae Orchestra!



Vouchers for families in need



Apply for a £50 supermarket voucher or a voucher for gas/electric top-up at a paypoint. Greggs charity are providing these to support some Hannah More families. You do not need to be eligible for free school meals. You do need to answer all the questions.

Please find the form at:

www.hannahmore.org.uk/images/Greggs_hardship_2023.pdf

or ask at the office.

Once completed, please email the form to:

friendsofhannahmore@gmail.com



PARTY in the PARK

Sunday 16th July 2023
12-4pm
Dings Park, Oxford Street,
BS2 0QU

**FREE
ENTRY**

Tug-of-War

BBQ

Raffle

Chilli Eating

Football Tournament

**Facepainting and
henna**

Invisible Circus

Chubby Bunnies

Science Demo

Cakes and coffee/tea

AND MORE!

**Money raised from the event
will go to funding our Youth
Club for another year!**

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For more info go to
<https://www.thedings.co.uk>

A Dings Community Association event
made possible with our partners:



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Global Routes Project Exhibition

Dialogic and Child-led: Developing an Equitable and Inclusive Curriculum

A presentation of community photography
from seven participating schools.

Speakers:

- Asia Giuliani, Global Routes Project/
Clifton High School.
- Poetry from Lawrence Hoo, Cargo
Classroom

Drinks will be available from a licensed
bar

**Thursday 29th June
6p.m. - 9p.m.**

Location:

Trinity Centre
Graffiti Room
Trinity Road,
Bristol BS2 0NW

Free



www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/654106208277



www.globalroutesproject.co.uk



An exhibition of Immersive & Interactive
artworks by Lou Baker, Juliet Duckworth
& Alyson Minkley at The Galleries, Bristol
BS1 3DQ. Find us in unit BG21 on the
ground floor opposite Boswells café.

15-30 July
Open 11am-4pm
Thursdays-Sundays
or book a Wednesday workshop for
local community/education groups.

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or email socialscaffoldingartcollective@gmail.com to book a community session.



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