



This Week's News

Friday 9th May 2025

Dear Parents and Carers

It has been a very short week and I hope you all enjoyed the long bank holiday weekend. Although we have only had three days in school they have been busy days. The Cricket workshops on Wednesday were a great success. The children in Nursery, Reception and all of KS2 enjoyed workshop sessions with the Cricket coach, Rebecca Kelly, who was inspiring. Thank you to all the parents who attended the parent and child session at the end of the day. It was lovely to hear so many positive comments from you all.

This week in Cherry Class, we celebrated VE Day with Mrs Golfetto's fascinating artefacts, there was a fire extinguisher from World War II which firefighters had to carry on their backs to help put out fires. They also watched the flyover. Cherry class have also been looking after our vegetable patch and were excited to pick some radishes this week. Everyone enjoyed learning how to play cricket during the cricket workshop too. In Nursery, they have been exploring rhyming words and making comparisons in Maths. Reception children have been writing sentences independently and beginning to find the missing part in Maths.

Maple Class had such a fun time at their Florence Nightingale trip to Claydon House. They found out all about Florence's life and what she did when she visited her sister there. They re-enacted the Charge of the Light Brigade and then the wounded soldiers spent time with Florence and her nurses to help them get better. It was a lovely day with some brilliant learning, a sunny picnic and even a circular rainbow! Thank you very much to our parents helpers who assisted us so well during the whole day.

In KS2 all the children commemorated VE Day by watching 'Newsround' to learn about the sacrifices made by so many during World War II. Our painted poppy pebbles were displayed as part of the commemorative events at St Leonard's Church and we hope you were able to see them there.

Bonsai Class have had a busy 3 days. They thoroughly enjoyed the cricket workshop as it further supports their current PE topic. In Maths they have revised calculating the volume of regular and composite 3D shapes. In reading they have deepened their knowledge and understanding of VE Day whilst practising their comprehension skills. Year 6 have ensured to pack in all last-minute revision whilst Year 5 have supported them and worked alongside to deepen their knowledge. Congratulations Lilly and Andre for completing Miss Pike's TTRS Long Weekend challenge in Y4. They were awarded 10 house points each and this changed the winning house results for this week, well done to you both.

We're very excited to announce that **Electric Umbrella's live Semi Final of Britain's Got Talent is this Saturday (10th May)**. Electric Umbrella come into our school and share wonderful performances with us. We are supporting this fabulous organisation and encourage you to watch, enjoy and vote! There is an official Watch Party at Watford's Atria on Saturday. The festivities start at 6pm and there'll be live music, as well as a huge screen to watch the show on. It's a free event but anyone wanting to attend will need to register for a ticket [here](#)

Best wishes

Jacqui Walton-Jones

Headteacher

Summer Term Dates

11th May—FOFS Springtime Trail

12th May—SATs week for Y6

19th May—Walk to School Week

20th May—Maple Class Assembly—9am

21st May—Y5/6 Residential

23rd May—Half Term begins

2nd June—Back to school after Half Term

2nd June—Y4 MTC Checks begin

4th June—Whole school photos

11th June—Visitors from Roundwood for Y6

12th June—Chestnut Class Assembly

13th June—Bonsai Class Assembly

16th June—Arts Week

16th June—Electric Umbrella Workshops

17th June -Activ Kids Olympian in Lele Nairne

19th June—Flamstead's Got Talent

Photos of the Week

Maple Class trip to Claydon House



EYFS Photos of the week

VE Day in Cherry Class



EYFS Cricket



Parent cricket workshop

KS2 activities this week



FOFs NEWS

The **Flamstead Spring Trail** will run on Sunday May 11th from 1pm - 5pm.

Register yourself or your family at The Flamstead Rec, then follow the clues around the village before returning to the Rec to submit your answers and enjoy some yummy food and drinks.

Registration costs £2 per person or £5 per family.



PAYMENT REMINDERS

If you have received payment requests for lunches/trips etc please can we ask that you attend to these asap.
Please do contact the school office if you have any issues with making your payments.
Thank you.

School Vacancies

Do you know of any one who would like to join a great team and be part of our wonderful school Community?

We are currently recruiting. Please click on the links below to apply.

KS2 Class Teacher September 2025

https://www.teachinherts.com/find-a-job/view,class-teacher_103611.htm?preview=1590201b87a237ec6434ed8f97860ca9

Teaching Assistant to work with SEND pupils for an immediate start or possibly a start in September 2025 for the right candidate

https://www.teachinherts.com/find-a-job/view,teaching-assistant_103501.htm

Bright Stars - Friday 9th May 2025

Nursery	Greyson	For his enthusiasm to learning and always being a polite and caring friend.
Reception	Axel	For his determination to improve in his independent writing and maths learning.
Year 1	Austin	For demonstrating Flamstead School Values of respect and consideration on our class trip.
Year 2	Jude	For really attentive listening and giving polite and excellent answers to our hosts on our school trip.
Year 3	Oscar	For his enthusiasm in lessons and for all his excellent contributions to class discussions.
Year 4	Salaar	For settling into Chestnut Class so well and sharing his ideas with the class.
Year 5	Willow	For great perseverance and focus in this week's Maths lessons.
Year 6	Mustafa	For joining Bonsai class with a positive attitude to learning and displaying exemplary manners.

Attendance this week

TTRS and Numbots

Year Group	w/b 5th May
Nursery	91%
Reception	97%
Year 1	98%
Year 2	98%
Year 3	100%
Year 4	99%
Year 5	87%
Year 6	99%
Well done to Year 3 !	

Year Group	Who impressed us ?	Percentage of Children online
Nursery	-	13%
Reception	-	14%
Year 1	Joni	33%
Year 2	Isaac	31%
Year 3	Louie	73%
Year 4	Andre	92%
Year 5	-	25%
Year 6	-	13%
Please remember to help your child log on each week		

FLAMSTEAD SPRING TRAIL

11th May 2025
1pm-5pm



Follow Clues Around The Village
raise money for your local school

Register at Flamstead Rec to start the Trail
£2 per person £5 per family

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School



Herts Music Service and Music at St Johns RockUP and RockOUT

Come and join us at our RockUP and RockOUT event. We hope to see you join in with the band - grabbing some drumsticks to use (provided) and then try out some of our instruments after you have the band RockedOUT with the band.

£5 per family ticket



SATURDAY 10TH MAY 2025



1.30pm-3.00pm



St Johns Church, Boxmoor



www.ticketsource.co.uk/music-at-st-johns

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The Goldberg Variations

J.S. Bach

Radka Hanakova

Piano



Saturday 17 May 2025

7:30pm

St Leonard's Church

Flamstead

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Or call Anne Françoise - 07577 530825

Tickets £20 / £10

Children £5