



The last week of term, Easter Craft Workshops went hand in hand with a celebration of good behaviour and the end of the BTEC practical cookery exams. There was much to smile about.

The Unifrog careers and personal development programme was rolled out to staff and parents of Years 8, 10 and 12. A video for those who missed it will follow shortly explaining its use and how to support your children at home.

The local policeman arrived to talk to the Year 6 cohort causing a short period of panic in the front hall, luckily Mrs Daniels collected him. On Thursday we were visited by the future mayor of Yateley, Councillor Griffin. We wish him a very happy tenure. We sadly said goodbye to Mrs Woodward, Mrs Soane, Mr Wallace and Mr El Taki. We wish them every happiness for the future.

The last day of term saw us with an Easter hat parade. There were some amazing and colourful creations, a huge inflatable obstacle course, an enormous slide and egg and spoon races to celebrate Easter. The memory of madly dancing chickens on the front lawn will stay with me for quite a while!

I'm sure the Easter bunny hopped past you all this Easter break and we look forward to welcoming your children back on Tuesday 16th for the Summer term.

Miss Vicky Smit
Principal
Hurst Lodge School

Reminders

Students return to school on Tuesday 16 April.
It will be Week 1 Timetable

Wednesday 17 April
Family Contact Evening
Year 11 Hurst & Redwood



Happy Easter!



House Cake Sale

A huge thank you to everyone who donated cakes and supported our House Cake Sale on Wednesday. We are delighted to announce that as a school we raised a whopping £426.35, and our overall charity total so far is £506.75 in just 6 weeks! The left over cakes were donated to Yateley Industries, one of our three house charities, who support families by providing skills training, employment and accommodation for adults with disabilities. They also provide a community food pantry for those needing a little extra support, which we were delighted to be able to give some yummy cakes too.

Junior English

I would love to show off the English display Mrs StJohn created for Bumblebees. It displays pupils' magical potions as well as their information text about various unicorns.

The display shows Potter groups magical potions and information texts. Lawrence has written about a bubble unicorn as well as creating a potion for how to fly. Ryan has written about an ice unicorn and written a potion for teleportation. Delphine has written about a rainbow unicorn and her potion helps create beautiful things and Dara has written about a lava unicorn. They have also coloured in unicorns using their description as inspiration.

Mrs Georgina Hughes
Junior Class Teacher





Happy
Easter!



Easter Celebrations

The last day of term, brought with it much celebration, we had music, dancing and many chickens along with some lovely Easter Bonnets!





Many of our students made delicious cakes the last week of term, photos of a selection (before they were swiftly eaten) are displayed in the reception hall.

Kameron, Mike, Daniel and Cora have all engaged well with some pony sessions.

The group have been grooming, leading, rugging, making up feeds and enjoying lots of pony cuddles.

Working on the ground alongside the ponies helps to improve confidence, self esteem and communication amongst the students.



DNA extraction with Year 8



Dungeons and Dragons Club

Y10 and Y11 Dungeons and Dragons Club with Mr Kennedy, has just wrapped up a very exciting campaign played out to an audience of eager Y7s! What will next year's campaign bring...?

Year 7's made model lungs in science





Be More Pirate

Years 9-13 took part in a 'How to be More Pirate' workshop.

It was a fun, thought provoking, interactive session with Alex Barker from Be More Pirate

Students were asked a series of questions and set challenges which showed them how to stand up for what they believe in and have real impact in the world.

Forest School

Arabella is putting her embroidery skills to good use as she puts the finishing touches to one of our scarecrows.

Look out for them over the Easter holidays as part of Yateley's Easter Scarecrow Trail!!

Eloise loved rolling around in one of our tyres at Forest School!

Wishing you all a very happy Easter from all at Forest School!





Menu

Monday 15th April

Inset Day

Lunch provided for staff

Tuesday 16th April

Pasta Carbonara

Pasta with a tomato sauce, broccoli and peas

Wednesday 17th April

Cheeseburgers, Beefburgers

VG Vegetarian burgers with Salad

Thursday 18th April

Sausages, New Potatoes, carrots, sweetcorn
and gravy

VG Vegetarian Sausages

Friday 19th April

Brunch from 11am

Salad Bar

Lettuce | Cucumber | Tomatoes | Potato Salad | Coleslaw
Beetroot Tuna Pasta | Sweetcorn | 2 Composite Salads

Protein

Sliced Gammon | Boiled Eggs | Mackerel | Tuna

Extras

Yoghurts | Jellies | Fruit | Cheese & Crackers | Plain Pasta
Jacket Potatoes (with cheese & beans) | Selection of Sandwich
fillings are available (including Jam, Cheese, Ham)