

## Whole School Messages

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2026

### **Summer Fair – Saturday 4th July, Holland Road Site, 11am to 3pm**

Come and celebrate our wonderful school community with us! We're looking forward to a fun-filled day with lots of activities, delicious food, and fantastic performances throughout the event. We can't wait to see you there!

#### **Donations Needed:**

To help make the day a success, we would be very grateful for donations of:

- Pre-loved, good quality toys, games, teddies, and clothes
- Tombola prizes (e.g. chocolates, sweets, bottles of alcohol, bubble bath, and other treats)
- Filled Lucky Dip bags (empty bags will be coming home soon)
- Cakes and biscuits (homemade or shop-bought – *please ensure nut and sesame free*)

Please drop donations into the school office. Perishable items can be brought in closer to the date of the fair.

#### **Volunteers Needed:**

We would love your help on the day! Please sign up using our volunteer list, choose a stall, and book a time slot [here](#)

#### **Assault course booking:**

Please see the poster below regarding the two inflatables. This is bookable through ParentPay and is £10.00 for unlimited goes.

#### **Summer Fair Poster Activity:**

Please find a poster for children to decorate.

[Simply download and print](#), then encourage your child to get creative in the large box. Their artwork could be about the Summer Fair, what community means to them, or anything that celebrates bringing people together. Once finished, please display the poster in your window or, if possible, ask a local shop, café, library, or community hub to put it on display too. The more posters we share around the community, the more people we'll reach!

If you're unable to print at home, a limited number of copies will be available from the school office on a first-come, first-served basis. We'd love to see your finished designs! Please take a photo of your poster on display and send it to [HovePTAHollandRd@gmail.com](mailto:HovePTAHollandRd@gmail.com).

For more information, please visit our website [here](#)

Thank you for your continued support – we really can't wait to see you all there!

PTA Team x

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### **Hove Learning Federation Summer 26 raffle is live!**

Don't miss your chance to win one of 90+ amazing prizes worth over £4,000 in total!

Tickets are just £1 each and for a limited time only, you can get even more chances to win with our special offer: £10 = 12 tickets and £20 = 25 tickets

Click [here](#) to purchase tickets.

It's a fantastic way to support the school while giving yourself a great chance of winning something fabulous. Every ticket sold helps raise vital funds, shared equally across all 3 sites.

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### **Could you be the next Chair of HLF Holland Road PTA?**

We're looking for an enthusiastic new Chair to lead the HLF Holland Road PTA and help take an already successful PTA to the next level.

#### **Why become PTA Chair?**

Every event, fundraiser and initiative helps create additional opportunities and experiences for our children and as Chair, you'll have a direct impact on what the PTA can achieve.

#### **Join a supportive team**

You won't be doing it alone. You'll be supported by an experienced committee, dedicated volunteers and a school community that is passionate about making a difference

#### **Who are we looking for?**

You don't need previous PTA experience. We're looking for someone who:

Enjoys bringing people together, has good organisational skills, can help coordinate volunteers and activities and wants to make a positive contribution to our school community.

If you are interested, we'd love to have an informal chat. Please make contact via e-mail on [hoveptahollandrd@gmail.com](mailto:hoveptahollandrd@gmail.com)

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### **Guitar trial lessons:**

Please [click here](#) to view the guitar lessons and free taster session flyers for guitar.

**Smartphone free news:**  
Please see the poster below for information on the Brighton and Hove Smartphone Free news. For access to the links on the poster, please click [here](#)

**Logo Sports:**  
Logo Sports are offering an online only summer discount code. There is 10% off online purchases made between June 22<sup>nd</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> July using the code SUMMER10

# Year Group Messages

No updates this week.

## Key Dates

| RECEPTION |                                                                      |
|-----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July      |                                                                      |
| 03.07.26  | Transition Day.                                                      |
| 04.07.26  | Summer Fete, 11:00am – 3:00pm                                        |
| 08.07.26  | Anti-Racist Coffee Morning drop in at Portland Road 9:00am – 10:00am |
| 16.07.26  | Reports sent home.                                                   |
| 22.07.26  | Last day of term – Dress down day.                                   |

| YEAR 1   |                                                                      |
|----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July     |                                                                      |
| 03.07.26 | Transition Day.                                                      |
| 04.07.26 | Summer Fete, 11:00am – 3:00pm                                        |
| 08.07.26 | Anti-Racist Coffee Morning drop in at Portland Road 9:00am – 10:00am |
| 16.07.26 | Reports sent home.                                                   |
| 22.07.26 | Last day of term – Dress down day.                                   |

| YEAR 2   |                                                                      |
|----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July     |                                                                      |
| 03.07.26 | Transition Day.                                                      |
| 04.07.26 | Summer Fete, 11:00am – 3:00pm                                        |
| 07.07.26 | Beach walk – AM only.                                                |
| 08.07.26 | Anti-Racist Coffee Morning drop in at Portland Road 9:00am – 10:00am |
| 16.07.26 | Reports sent home.                                                   |
| 22.07.26 | Last day of term – Dress down day.                                   |

| YEAR 3   |                                                                      |
|----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July     |                                                                      |
| 03.07.26 | Transition Day.                                                      |
| 04.07.26 | Summer Fete, 11:00am – 3:00pm                                        |
| 08.07.26 | Anti-Racist Coffee Morning drop in at Portland Road 9:00am – 10:00am |
| 16.07.26 | Reports sent home.                                                   |
| 22.07.26 | Last day of term – Dress down day.                                   |

| YEAR 4   |                                                                      |
|----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July     |                                                                      |
| 03.07.26 | Transition Day.                                                      |
| 04.07.26 | Summer Fete, 11:00am – 3:00pm                                        |
| 08.07.26 | Anti-Racist Coffee Morning drop in at Portland Road 9:00am – 10:00am |
| 08.07.26 | Drop off at Yellowwave Beach Sports for 8:45am. Packed lunch needed. |
| 16.07.26 | Reports sent home.                                                   |
| 22.07.26 | Last day of term – Dress down day.                                   |

| YEAR 5   |                                                                      |
|----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July     |                                                                      |
| 03.07.26 | Transition Day.                                                      |
| 04.07.26 | Summer Fete, 11:00am – 3:00pm                                        |
| 08.07.26 | Anti-Racist Coffee Morning drop in at Portland Road 9:00am – 10:00am |
| 16.07.26 | Reports sent home.                                                   |
| 22.07.26 | Last day of term – Dress down day.                                   |

| YEAR 6   |                                                                      |
|----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July     |                                                                      |
| 03.07.26 | Transition Day.                                                      |
| 04.07.26 | Summer Fete, 11:00am – 3:00pm.                                       |
| 08.07.26 | Anti-Racist Coffee Morning drop in at Portland Road 9:00am – 10:00am |
| 16.07.26 | Reports sent home.                                                   |
| 22.07.26 | Last day of term – Dress down day.                                   |



HOVE LEARNING FEDERATION  
HOLLAND ROAD PTA



# SUMMER FAIR

SAT 4th JULY . 11AM TO 3PM

HOLLAND ROAD SCHOOL SITE BN3 1JY

**PERFORMANCES**  
from school and community  
(more details on the PTA website)

**PRE-LOVED GOODS**  
(including school uniform)

**INFLATABLES, CRAFT  
CORNER, GAMES, FACE  
PAINTING and MORE**

**LUCKY DIP and TOMBOLAS**

**FOOD**  
from Brighton's exciting  
food scene

**DRINKS** (alcoholic and  
non-alcoholic)

**ICE-CREAM and  
ICE LOLLIES**

**HOME-MADE CAKES**  
plus hot drinks

**BOWLS OF BELONGING**  
recipe book by Hove Learning  
Federation



YOU ARE ALL INVITED TO CELEBRATE OUR WONDERFUL COMMUNITY

SCHOOLS OF  
HOVE LEARNING FEDERATION

## BIG RAFFLE!

Thousands of pounds  
worth of prizes to be won.  
Don't miss the biggest  
school raffle of the year!

**BUY TICKETS  
SCAN QR CODE**



Thank you so much for all  
your amazing support!

Contact us  
Email [hovepta@hollandrd@gmail.com](mailto:hovepta@hollandrd@gmail.com)

Website



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## SUPPORT HOVE LEARNING FEDERATION SUMMER 26 RAFFLE

**RAFFLE**  
OVER 90 PRIZES  
TO WIN, WORTH  
OVER £4,000 IN  
TOTAL!

**PRIZES INCLUDE:**  
FAMILY PASSES TO LOCAL ATTRACTIONS  
FOOD & DRINK VOUCHERS  
FITNESS CLASSES  
CHILDREN'S HOLIDAY CLUBS  
HAMPERS & GOODY BAGS  
MASSAGES & WELLBEING VOUCHERS  
CINEMA TICKETS & MANY MORE!

**£1  
PER  
TICKET**

**EARLYBIRD OFFERS**  
12 FOR £10 OR  
25 FOR £20

**BUY ONLINE NOW**



HLF Holland Road PTA

**Prizes from:** Lagoon Watersports, Ant & Decorators, Shine, The Tree of Life Centre, Go Wild, Brighton Cookery School, Jack n' Jill, The Exchange, Picturehouse, Sussex Wine School, Volks Railway, Rox, Activities4Kids, Wet Wet Wet Swim School, The Garden Bar, Ubermummies, Fatto O Mano, Beach Box, Barracudas, Brighton Toy & Model Museum, Wagamamas, Yellowwave, The Book Nook, Wendy Whatling School of Dance, Bee In The Woods, Pearson Keehan, The Foundry, Kindly, BYC Skatepark, Wood and Wild, Brighton Racecourse, Depot Cinema, The Outdoors Project, Tennis Tigers, Fat Boy Slim, Brighton Zip Wire, House Of Culture Brighton, Sun Harvest, WOWO campsite, Wakehurst, Drusillas, Timeless Toys, Topple & Burn, Pizza Pilgrims, Komedia, Royal Pavilion, Brighton Padel Coaching, Perfections Beauty & Wellbeing, tSuki Design, Sutherland & Sadler, Leonidas, Washbrooks, Nymans, Paradise Park, The Art Room, Gunns, Middle Farm, art-K, Asiana, Boulder Brighton, World Of Wheels, Franco Manca- TO BE DRAWN ONLINE ON SATURDAY 4 July 2026 at 6pm

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HOLLAND ROAD PTA



## SUMMER FAIR

SAT 4th JULY . 11AM TO 3PM  
HOLLAND ROAD SCHOOL SITE BN3 1JY

# Volunteers Needed!

Help make our Summer Fair a fantastic day for everyone.

It's easy to get involved:

1. Scan the QR code below
2. Choose an activity you'd like to help with
3. Book a volunteer slot that suits you

Whether you can spare 1 hour or a few hours, every bit of help makes a big difference.



Thank you for supporting our school community!

Thank you so much for all  
your amazing support!

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# Donations needed!

It's that exciting time of year! Our Summer Fair is on the horizon and we need the amazing support of parents, carers, and our school community.

## Here's how you can help!

We'd be so grateful for any donations. Please drop them off at the school office, and if you're donating perishable items, feel free to bring those in closer to the day of the fair.

- Pre-loved Items: Good quality clothes, toys, teddies and games.
- Tombola Prizes: Chocolates, sweets, bottles of wine, bubble bath
- Raffle Prizes: If you have a product or service you can donate, email us at [hoveptahollandrd@gmail.com](mailto:hoveptahollandrd@gmail.com)
- Filled Lucky Dip Bags: empty bags will be sent home for filling soon
- Cakes and Biscuits: homemade or shop-bought, all types welcome (remember, we're nut and sesame free)!

Have questions or want to volunteer for the Summer Fair? We'd love to hear from you! Email us at [hoveptahollandrd@gmail.com](mailto:hoveptahollandrd@gmail.com)

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your amazing support!

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HLF Holland Road PTA  
**Summer Fair**

Saturday 4th July, 11am to 3pm

**Book your assault course  
session through ParentPay**



**2 fantastic inflatables.  
£10 for unlimited goes!**

**Pick up your wrist bands on Friday 3rd  
July from front desk or at the fair.**

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your amazing support!*

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**Hove Learning  
Federation is a Nut  
Free and Sesame  
Seed Free School**

Please help us keep our school an allergen-free environment and minimise the risk of any person suffering allergy-induced anaphylaxis or food intolerance whilst on the school premises.

The school has a 'Healthy School' award status. We therefore politely ask that parents refrain from giving out treats on the school premises.

Thank you for your co-operation.



# WANT TO DONATE?

Make a contribution to  
our School Fund! All  
money raised directly  
supports resources for our  
children.



## art room BRIGHTON

Artroom Brighton is the South East's leading provider of art classes for 6 to 18 year olds. Since 2008, over 15,000 young people, who attend over 150 different schools have created outstanding art in our Hove studio.

During term time, we offer after-school sessions for children aged 6 to 10, as well as evening classes for young people aged 11 to 18 and adults. Pupils studying for GCSE, A-Level, Duke of Edinburgh Bronze award or those applying for art scholarships find the evening option extremely useful.

### SUMMER HOLIDAY ART WORKSHOPS 2026

This summer, we are offering workshops spanning 8 weeks, with each day having a different theme.

#### WHERE

Artroom Brighton. Hove Methodist Church,  
7 Portland Road, Hove BN3 5DR

#### WHEN

Weekdays: Monday 17th July - Tuesday 1st September

#### COST

£40 per day (£72 siblings, ages 6 - 13)  
Book online: [courses@artroombrighton.co.uk](mailto:courses@artroombrighton.co.uk)

#### AS FEATURED IN

AS SEEN ON



THE ~~2021~~ TIMES  
**theguardian**  
The Daily Telegraph

Qualified Teachers  
with enhanced DBS

[www.artroombrighton.co.uk](http://www.artroombrighton.co.uk)

# Brighton & Hove Smartphone Free News

July 2026

**A social media ban for under-16s has been announced by the UK government. It will be introduced in early 2027.**

## **What platforms are included?**

Snapchat, TikTok, Instagram, Facebook, X, YouTube (but not YouTube kids).

WhatsApp is not included in the ban.

## **Anything else to know?**

Features including livestreaming and strangers being able to contact children will be restricted, including on gaming platforms.

Roblox, will not be banned, certain features such as its chat function will be restricted.

AI chatbots will have to restrict "intimate functionalities" for under-18s. Specific "romantic" chatbots will be banned for under 18s.

Source: BBC News, June 2026

**Brighton secondaries go fully smartphone-free for Year 7s!**

**Here in Brighton & Hove, our community has been leading the way.**

On Friday 1st May, all ten secondary schools issued a rare joint announcement: From September 2026, all year 7s will have a fully smartphone free policy!

To make the transition between primary and secondary easier, we have compiled a Year 7 starter pack to inform you on brick phones, bus travel, etc.

**Get the Year 7 starter pack**



## **Drive the change**

Spread the word and chat to your fellow parents and carers

**Sign the parent pact**



**Find your school WhatsApp group**



**Dutch children are unusually happy and healthy. Is it because of this walking ritual?**

**The Guardian**



## **One small change**

Children notice what we do far more than what we say. Your July challenge: choose one evening each week where the whole family puts their phones away and spends an hour together playing a game, cooking, walking or simply chatting.

**Screen time can damage under-tuos' development, landmark study suggests**

**The Guardian**



**Brighton & Hove**

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