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**Letters sent home & e-School messages this week:** School Lunches Allergy Alert, Guitar Lessons, Updated PTA AGM Meeting, Flu Vaccination (YR-Y6), Young Voices Concert Update

Dear all

Surprisingly, despite the at time torrential rain, we have managed to get children outside for most break and lunch times. This makes a big difference to all so we hope it continues!

Thank you for your support in sending your children to school looking so smart for school photographs. We hope you like the results, with you soon.

We had excellent news on Thursday evening following a football match (in torrential rain) away at Castlefield: Highworth won 6:2. Congratulations to all involved.

My best wishes for a happy weekend

Clare Pankhania

## ATTENDANCE

To report your child's absence please phone and leave a message or send an email to:

[reception@highworthcombined.co.uk](mailto:reception@highworthcombined.co.uk)

**SCHOOL ATTENDANCE TARGET IS 96%**

**BEST ATTENDANCE: 99%**

**(CLASSE 1K)**

**EXCELLENT**

**WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE:**

**96.3%**

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

### Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> October

**NO** Mutli-skills or Handball Club today

**3pm:** Football Match v Bledlow Ridge School

### Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October

Mufti Day – Please donate an item of food to the One Can Trust

## PARENT ZONE

### SIGN OF THE WEEK



## WORK

**How to sign:** be employed

*"Is your husband **working** again?"*;

*"Do you want to **work** after the age of 60?"*

*"She never did any **work** because she inherited a lot of money";*

*"She **works** as a waitress to put herself through college";*

Follow this link to see how to sign '**work**' <https://www.signbsl.com/sign/work>

## PTA NEWS

### **AGM: Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October at 7.30pm**

The meeting is held at school by the PTA Committee and Mrs Pankhania. Anyone else who wants to come along is very welcome. Like all our meetings it's an informal gathering, the main difference is that the AGM is where we present our financial accounts and elect our committee.

If you have any questions, please let us know on [highworthfriends@gmail.com](mailto:highworthfriends@gmail.com)

## PARENT NEWS

Please see the posters from Buckinghamshire Mental Health Schools Trust with a timetable of Parent/Carer Webinars for the academic year 2024-2025. The webinars are 1.5hrs each and are being run throughout the year and will focus on common Mental Health themes, as well as transition and exam stress.

You can use the QR codes to express your interest and sign up. All Webinars are free to join.



**NHS**  
Oxford Health  
NHS Foundation Trust

Mental Health  
Support Team  
Buckinghamshire



**FREE**

**FOR PARENTS  
AND CARERS**

# LIVE WEBINARS

**CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH**



**DATES:  
VARIOUS**



**TIME:  
6PM – 7.30PM**

**To register, scan the QR codes on the next page!**






01865 901566



[bucksmhst@oxfordhealth.nhs.uk](mailto:bucksmhst@oxfordhealth.nhs.uk)

\*PLEASE NOTE: YOUR CHILD MUST ATTEND AN MHST SCHOOL FOR ACCESS TO THE WEBINARS. IF YOU ARE UNSURE, PLEASE CONTACT US.

# SCAN THE QR CODE TO SECURE YOUR PLACE:

<b>Topic</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>School Age</b>	<b>QR</b>
<b>Introduction to Mental Health</b>	<b>14th October 2024 6pm – 7.30pm</b>	<b>Primary</b>	
<b>Introduction to Mental Health</b>	<b>23rd October 2024 6pm – 7.30pm</b>	<b>Secondary</b>	
<b>Childhood Anxiety</b>	<b>4th November 2024 6pm – 7.30pm</b>	<b>Primary</b>	
<b>Adolescent Anxiety</b>	<b>19th November 2024 6pm – 7.30pm</b>	<b>Secondary</b>	
<b>Understanding Child Behaviour and Development</b>	<b>23rd January 2024 6pm – 7.30pm</b>	<b>Primary</b>	
<b>Supporting your child with Exam Stress</b>	<b>8th January 2025 6pm – 7.30pm</b>	<b>Secondary</b>	
<b>Low Mood and Depression</b>	<b>5th February 2025 6pm – 7.30pm</b>	<b>Secondary</b>	
<b>Understanding Adolescent Development and Behaviour (Teenage Brain)</b>	<b>11th March 2025 6pm – 7.30pm</b>	<b>Secondary</b>	
<b>Change and Transition</b>	<b>3rd April 2024 6pm – 7.30pm</b>	<b>Primary</b>	
<b>Supporting your child with Exam Stress</b>	<b>28th April 2025 6pm – 7.30pm</b>	<b>Secondary</b>	

**Music**  
for ALL  
MAKING MUSIC CHANGES LIVES  
presents

# LEARN TO PLAY

12th OCTOBER '24

*Join us at HW Music Centre  
Millbrook School HP12 4BA*

*9.30-10.15am Musical fun and games  
for 5-8 year olds*

*10.30-12pm Come and try session for all ages*

*Scan the QR code to book or email us  
hwmusic@bucksmusic.org*



[www.musicforall.org.uk](http://www.musicforall.org.uk)

Music for All supports disadvantaged music makers across the UK  
Registered UK charity no 1055371

Supported by:



Partners:





Training -  
Wednesday  
5.30-6.30pm

£40 season  
fee  
£2 per week  
subs

**HYC FC U6S ARE**

**RECRUITING NEW PLAYERS**

Email us to book a free trial

[hycfc@hazlemereyouthcentre.co.uk](mailto:hycfc@hazlemereyouthcentre.co.uk)

Under 6s - current year 1 at school