

What's New This Week?

Preparatory School

New Hall School, Chelmsford



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Weekly Newsletter

Dear Parents,

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Gold Challenge

On Monday 16 January 2012, children in Key Stage 2 took part in a 2012m running event at New Hall School. This was part of our Olympic Gold Challenge in which individuals and Houses are trying to cover 2012km in a variety of different ways. Remember that distances can be covered by running, riding, cycling, walking or swimming. Distances covered out of school are just as valid as those covered in school. For further details and information on how you can sponsor your child, please see separate letter.

Staff Announcements

I am delighted to announce that Mrs Tollisen is expecting her first baby, due to arrive this summer!

Mrs Kelly has given birth to a little girl named Maeve and Mrs Wilkinson has given birth to little boy named Samuel.

Congratulations to them all!

Music

Assembly Recital

Thank you to Rebecca Jeffrey (5T) for her piano recital in assembly last Friday.

Sport

Netball

On Friday 13 January, the U11B team played Widford Lodge. The end result was 8-3 to Widford Lodge. The team all played very well together with Katherine Barber (5A) and Annabelle Harle (5A) playing well in defence. Ella Phelps (5T) made some good interceptions and dodges. The Player of the Match was Rebecca Jeffrey (5T).

Written by Eloise Winsor (5A).

Golden Book Awards

Congratulations to the following children who were entered into the Golden Book this week:

6M	Ella Gaskin Tom Durkan Olivia Fenton	6S	Joseph August Ellis Oxlade Conall Hornett Cameron Clarke
5A	Elizabeth Murphy James Holt Grace Murray	5T	Matthew Cook Lara Clark Callum Westwood
4D	Ciaran Chambers Cameron Searle Ina-Margaret Fisher Helen Burnett	4R	Charlotte Ray Benjamin La Rocca Sophie Carter Lucy Merry Benjamin Spilsbury
3K	India Gwyn-Williams Sylvie Smith Jake Adams Apollo Wilkins	3RE	Robyn Moody Niamh Wright Eloise Barber Oliver Clayden
3RI	Jack Cooper Szara Shahril-Rauz Emma Barrett Alexia Panayiotou	2H	Megan Scott Katherine Harker Roman Anstee
2T	Samuel Maddison Euan Wilson Tobias McBurney Eva Ramage	1G	Madeleine Jeffrey Lily Ulyatt Niamh Westwood Benjamin Gundle

1S	Fredrick Searle Hugo Ruiz Kyan Bailey	RG	Ella Burns Amelia Spurr Isabella Corney Evie Angell
RH	Theo Smith Charlotte Gore Genevieve Rogers Hamza Saeed	PR	Preston Taylor Ariana Pishbin Ruby Roberts

Notices

Assemblies

The following classes will be presenting assemblies to parents, on Thursdays, this term:

26 January – 5T
2 February – 4R
9 February – 3K
1 March – 2T
8 March – 2H
15 March – 1G
22 March – 6M

Initial Grade Recorder

Examination pupils are welcome to attend both Monday and Wednesday's 8.00am classes until the examination.

Lost Property

Please see additional letter which is being sent home today.

Uniform Shop Closure

Please be advised that the Uniform Shop will be closed all day on Thursday 16 February due to refurbishment.

Duffle Coats

Due to the introduction of the new Preparatory School duffle coat, the Uniform Shop is selling the old 'distinctive' duffle coat at the reduced price of £50.00. Please contact them directly if you are interested.

School Uniform Collection

With effect from Monday 23 January 2012, all items of uniform purchased from Stevensons for distribution from the Preparatory School will have to be collected in person from the School Office and signed for. This is to ensure that no purchases go missing.

Thank You

Thank you for everyone's patience and understanding over car parking arrangements this week, whilst prospective Year 7 pupils have been taking entrance assessments at New Hall School.

Yours sincerely

Sarah Conrad

Mrs S H Conrad

HEADTEACHER

What's New This Week? is issued every Friday during the school term. If you have any news which you would like published in an edition of *What's New This Week?*, please email e.powell@newhallschool.co.uk.

Forthcoming Events

Date	Time	Event
Sat 21 Jan	2.15 – 4.00pm	U11A/U11B/U11C Boys Hockey v Orwell Park
Tue 24 Jan	4.30 – 5.30pm	Year 6 Swimming Gala v Holmwood House School
Wed 25 Jan	3.30 – 4.15pm	U9 Girls Netball/U9 Boys Rugby v Elm Green Preparatory School
Fri 27 Jan	3.30 – 4.30pm	U10/U11 Girls Hockey v Forest School
Mon 30 Jan	3.30 – 4.00pm	U8A/U8B Girls Netball & U8A/U8B Boys Rugby v St Margaret's Preparatory School
Tue 31 Jan	4.30 – 5.30pm	Years 4 & 5 Swimming Gala v Holmwood House School

Prayer Corner

For all the new babies in our school community:

May the road rise up to meet you.
May the wind be always at your back.
May the sun shine warm upon your face;
And the rains fall soft upon your fields
And may God hold you in the palm of His hand.



BRAIN CHALLENGE

Solution to Brain Challenge 14:

Marty Mouse was first and Mabel Mouse was last.

There were 9 winners this week from Years 1 - 4. Well done indeed to Coco Wilkins (1G), Zarah Okakah (2H), Holly Layzell (3K), Apollo Wilkins (3K), Sophie Carter (4R), Isabella Warren (4R), Molly Reynolds (4D), Hannah Greenland (4R) and Olivia Buckland (4R).

Brain Challenge 15

If today is Monday, what is the day after the day before the day before tomorrow?

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New Hall School

Golf Camp



Wednesday 15 - Friday 17 February 2012

Regiments Way Golf Club

New Hall Golf Camp is a 3 day course which offers boys and girls in Year 3-11 a chance to develop their skills under the guidance of experienced golf coaches at a first class golf course. The course is a real opportunity for skills to be honed whilst having fun.

Wednesday & Thursday 9.00am-12.00noon and Friday 9.00am-4.00pm. The course fee for the 3 day Golf Camp is £100 and includes all training, prizes and lunch provided by the Golf Club on the final day.

**For further information please contact
Mr Kevin Searle, Games Coach on
k.searle@newhallschool.co.uk**

A minimum number of participants is required to make this event viable. Places will be confirmed as soon as possible but please book early to avoid disappointment.

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