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[NHIJS Young Nottinghamian](#)

Please see our School Website for the most up to date information via our **online calendar** [here](#). The **term dates** for 2023/2024 and 2024/25 are live on our website and you can view them [here](#).

## Please see for attachments:

- IS Menu w/c 2 October
- Junior School menus are on our website: <https://nottinghamhigh.co.uk/school-catering/>
- Goose Fair 2023 Information

## THE MERLE



Keep up to date with The Merle (*Senior School Newsletter*) [here](#).

## Abbreviations used throughout:

EYFS = Reception classes   IS = Infant School   JS = Junior School   IJS = Infant & Junior School

# OCTOBER SNAPSHOT

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
<b>2</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Y2 Outdoor Ed (onsite)</li></ul>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• U11 Girls IAPS Hockey @ Fairfield Prep</li></ul>	<b>5</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• U11 Boys County Cup Football v. Lady Bay from 4pm @ Valley Road</li></ul>	<b>6</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Y1 trip to Brackenhurst</li><li>• U11 IAPS Football @ Fairfield</li></ul>
<b>9</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 4C Outdoor Education (onsite)</li></ul>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Whole School Photograph</li><li>• U11 Sports Hall Athletics</li></ul>	<b>13</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Open Classrooms am</li><li>• U10 and U11 Rugby vs Birkdale (away)</li></ul>
<b>16</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 4W Outdoor Education (onsite)</li><li>• U9 Rugby v. Highfields (home)</li></ul>	<b>17</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• R- Y6 Parents' Evening (Inschool)</li></ul>	<b>18</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• U10 &amp; U11 Rugby @ Derby Grammar</li></ul>	<b>19</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• R- Y6 Parents' Evening (Online)</li><li>• U11 Girls County Cup Football v. Carnarvon from 4pm @ Valley Road</li></ul>	<b>20</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• IJS Non-Uniform Day</li></ul>

**Half Term Break  
from  
Monday 23rd October - Friday 3rd November**

# WEEK AHEAD - W/C 2nd October

## MONDAY

- 1S Computing Club, 2B Explorer's Club
- Y2 Outdoor Education Day
- Y2 Speech & Drama

## TUESDAY

- 2M Football Club
- Y1 & Y2 Choir
- JS Young Voices Rehearsal in JS Hall @ 8.45am
- Lunchtime Swim Club for Y5 & Y6 - remember to bring a packed lunch to eat afterwards

## WEDNESDAY

- RA Drawing Club, RB Dance Club, RJ Design & Construct Club, 1P Mindfulness & Yoga Club, 2W Mosaics Art Club & 1P Dance Club
- U11 Girls IAPS Hockey @ Fairfield Prep

## THURSDAY

- 2B Little Wickets Cricket (3.45 - 4.25)
- 2M Lego Club
- U11 Boys County Cup Football v. Lady Bay from 4pm @ Valley Road

## FRIDAY

- Y1 trip to Brackenhurst College
- U11 IAPS Football @ Fairfield Prep

## SATURDAY

- U11 Cross Country @ Berry Hill @ 10.25am





## GOOSE FAIR

**Friday 29th September – Sunday 8th October 2023**

As in previous years, Nottingham City Council has implemented 'no stopping' zones and traffic restrictions in the streets surrounding the Goose Fair site. These restrictions apply to all vehicles and are to prevent unwanted parking in the area and to maintain access routes for residents and emergency vehicles.

As part of these restrictions, Forest Road East will be one way eastbound and implement a no stopping zone along its whole length. Traffic will also be prevented from accessing Forest Road from Mansfield Road and the adjacent side streets i.e.

- North Sherwood Street
- Colville Street
- Addison Street
- Balmoral Road

Traffic will however be permitted, within the one way system, to turn right from Forest Road East to enter Addison Street.

Arboretum Street will also be one way westbound and there will be waiting restrictions on Arboretum Street, Addison Street and Balmoral Avenue.

The restrictions will be identified with 'no stopping signs' and enforced throughout the Goose Fair period.

We are aware that it is usual practice for many parents to arrive prior to the end of the school day and wait on Forest Road. In view of the no stopping restrictions and to accommodate such vehicles, the Council are offering the facility to park free of charge within the Goose Fair site for this short period. Vehicles should enter via the Blue Badge Parking entrance (Gate 12) opposite Balmoral Road and then immediately turn left and park along the top path way. This service will be available from 15.30 to 16.30. There will also still be the facility to drop off and collect your child from the main school yard from 4.15pm until 6pm, please ensure you leave enough time for any traffic delays you may encounter.

There is a possibility of tram strikes over the Goose Fair period. We do have a school bus service where you can book ad hoc journeys if required, please use the following link to find out further information;  
<https://nottinghamhigh.co.uk/buses/>.

A map identifying the location and access and egress points within the Goose Fair site and details of the no stopping areas and the traffic management arrangements for your information is **attached**.



## Monday Origami Club

Please be aware due to popularity, this club will be for Y6 until half term and, following the break, Y5 for the 2nd half of this term.



## After School Club and Activities

A polite reminder to all parents and carers to please arrive promptly and allow good time when collecting children from After School Club or after school clubs/activities. The ASC team always work as quickly as possible to assist in the collection of children but inevitably this takes time and we appreciate your patience.

Please be mindful that After School Club and all out of hours clubs/activities must work to strict 'staff to pupil' ratios. As a result, late collections will result in staff staying late to ensure that these ratios are maintained.

As you will be aware, After School Club is free for children who leave the club before 4.30pm. After 4.30pm an £8.50 charge is due. An £8.50 charge is also due for children who attend After School Club following a club/activity whilst awaiting collection.

After School Club runs from 4.30pm to 6.00pm and bookings can be made at your convenience via your School Wisepay account up to 4.00pm each day. If you need to cancel your After School Club booking, please do so prior to the session starting. If you use the After School Club unexpectedly, late payments can be made over the phone. For assistance with Wisepay, cancellations and late payments, please phone Student Services on 0115 845 2235 or e-mail [studentservices@nottinghamhigh.co.uk](mailto:studentservices@nottinghamhigh.co.uk).

**INFANT AND JUNIOR SCHOOL  
INFANT SCHOOL STAR OF THE WEEK**

**RA**

**Kareem E-S.** for working hard on forming his letters correctly.

**RB**

**Dustin X.** for using a sound mat to write a CVC word independently.

**RJ**

**Vince M-M.** for his excellent writing of CVC words in phonics.

**1P**

**Kit MacQ.** for showing a good understanding of his reading text by being able to answer questions about it.

**1S**

**Leo F.** for listening well to instructions about using Chatterpix on the iPads to complete his English work.

**2B**

**Eva L.** for producing a fabulous piece of writing based on 'Charlie and the Chocolate Factory'. Eva tried hard to add a range of conjunctions and adjectives into her writing to add further detail.

**2M**

**Vinnie G.** for fantastic writing from the point of view of 'Charlie Bucket' when standing outside the chocolate factory.

**2W**

**Alice T.** for her fantastic maths work this week using problem solving when comparing numbers.

# INFANT AND JUNIOR SCHOOL

## INFANT SCHOOL SQUIRREL OF THE WEEK



**Iris J. (RA)** for starting each morning smiling and being ready to learn.



**Quoc N. (RB)** for a brilliant 'Show and Tell' presentation, speaking clearly and enthusiastically.



**Joshua F. (2B)** for always being a fabulous friend to others and for trying his best to help a new student to settle into the class.



**Esme W. (1P)** for showing more resilience when completing independent work and starting to understand that making mistakes is a great way to learn.

**Akira M. (2M)** for being a confident member of the class, demonstrating good listening skills and for showing kindness to others.

**Henry H. (2W)** for the fantastic enthusiasm he brings to his work and challenging himself to do his best in all he does



**Lily McM. (RJ)** for always showing great respect and kindness towards her friends.

**Rohan P. (1S)** for super ideas about creating secure passwords during our e-safety lesson.

**3G**

**Austin L.** for always going the extra mile in Maths lessons, showing lots of calculations to support his excellent reasoning.

**5B**

**Jia S., Ellie W., Cameron S., Seraphina A. and Josh K.** for beautifully presented fact-packed river work in Humanities.

**5D**

**Musa A. and Yash V.** for some excellent writing this week, including using varied sentence types and a range of adverbials.

**6H**

**Sammy A.** for a really enjoyable piece of writing which was interesting to read with some great vocabulary.







**Ni Ni Y. (3G)** for her total dedication to learning in every subject across our curriculum.

**Hillary J. (3G)** for his quiet tenacity and resilience in lessons; Hillary embraces challenge with calm determination.

**Harman L., Benedict C. and Roshini U. (3M)** for bringing an unbelievable attitude to the classroom, consistently applying themselves to not only complete the work set, but also going above and beyond to try and complete extensions in order to put the “cherry on top” of anything they have created!

**Anoushka P-T. (5A)** for always being so full of enthusiasm and engaging positively in any task



**Dominic S. (5A)** for his thoughtful contributions and consistent participation to whole class lessons.

**Miranda B., Cole H-R., Clarissa J. and Haris Q. (5B)** for always being prepared and actively involved in their learning by asking and answering questions to deepen their understanding.

**Herbie F. and Evan S. (5D)** for always having a positive attitude to their learning, contributing to class discussions and for getting straight on with work when asked to do so.

**Austin R. (6C)** for always putting 100% into English lessons. He is so enthusiastic and his work is a joy to read.



**Imogen N. (6C)** for her willingness to participate in every **English lesson with enthusiasm.**

**Hawah R. (6S)** for her willingness to ask and answer questions in English.

# INFANT AND JUNIOR SCHOOL

## JUNIOR SCHOOL RAINBOW AWARDS FOR ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT



**Zac K. and Dilan U. (3G)** for their sparky and joyful attitude in school. They always bring the sunshine into class with them!

**Violet B., Samuel G., Thomas S. and Alex R. (3M)** for bringing a new energy into the classroom which all of the children (& Mr Moss) have enjoyed. Sharing their academics, ideas and personal experiences has made 3M a very special place already!

**Ben S. (6S)** for always bringing his whole, smiley, cheeky self to every English lesson.



**Amy H., Abi R. and Freya B. (3M)** for going above and beyond to ensure that all of the new members of the class are supported, not only inside the classroom but also outside during breaktimes and other areas of the school day!

**Ruari H. (6C)** for making us smile every English lesson. His sense of humour and enthusiasm are infectious.

**Sydney Q. (6H)** for kindness and beautiful manners demonstrated daily.

**Ibraheem A. (6H)** for lovely manners all the time.

**Simran L. (6S)** for being so kind and helpful to Mrs Hammonds. Thank you so much.

# INFANT AND JUNIOR SCHOOL JUNIOR SCHOOL RAINBOW AWARDS FOR ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT



**Benjamin R. (4W)** for always being polite, holding doors open for others and treating others how he would like to be treated - with the utmost respect.

**Anniket M. (5A)** Aniket has been nominated by a class member and the staff in After School Club for being supportive and helpful.

**Esher S. (5A)** for being thoughtful towards her peers: giving compliments about other children's work and volunteering to change roles to allow someone else their first choice.

**Austin R. (6C)** for his kindness and consideration, offering to share his books with others ... including members of staff!



**Wanfei X. (5D)** for completing a very informative explanation text on Rivers in her own time. She used the knowledge gained from our trip to Cranedale as well as completing extra research.

# INFANT AND JUNIOR SCHOOL JUNIOR SCHOOL SHARPENER FOR SUCCESS AWARD FOR CO-CURRICULAR SUCCESS

**5B**

**Cameron S. and Haris Q.** for showing great emotional intelligence to include their younger team mates during Multi-Sports Club.



Congratulations to the following pupils who have been chosen for House Captains and Vice-Captains for the first half of the year

	Ball's	Hardy's	Tonkin's	Trease's
Captains	Emi D.	Max G.	Thomas R.	Yi Yi You
Vice-Captains	Ethan S.	Samyuktha V.	Nicole C.	Sebby C.

# INFANT AND JUNIOR SCHOOL OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS TO CELEBRATE

Aria L. (1S) has been awarded 'Dance Ballroom Rainbow Blue' with highly recommended.



Henry A. (5A) played in his first squash tournament for 'The Park Squash Club' at the weekend, winning all of his matches and taking first place (Gold) for his age group.



Yash V. (5D) took part in the Robin Hood mini marathon and improved his time by 2 minutes compared to last year.



Anoushka P-T. (5A) successfully completed the Robin Hood Mini Marathon on Sunday.



Shrey S-B. (6C) has achieved his personal best at Hucknall swimming sprint 2023; 50 m fly - 55.48, 50 m backstroke- 53.33 and 100 m IM- 1:51:38.





# Little Wickets

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