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NGPS NEWS

Northgate Primary School Newsletter

EID al-Fitr

We would like to wish all our children and families a Happy Eid al-Fitr for next week!

Thank you to Miss Saleem for running the prayer room for the children who have been fasting for Ramadan.

On **Tuesday 17th March** Fraser Portraits will be back to take photos of our Y6 leavers and class photos. Please make sure your children are in correct school uniform including a blue school jumper or cardigan. If your child has PE on this day they can wear their PE kit but must have a their school jumper or cardigan for the photos. Unfortunately we don't have any spares.

We hope you have a lovely weekend.

Warm regards,
Amanda Harrison



Spring Term: 5th January - 27th

March 2026

Half term: 16th - 20th February

Inset days: 5th January

Early finish: 1.30pm 27th March

DIARY DATES

Monday 16th March 2026

Y4 GIRLS FOOTBALL ICC 13.15-16.15

Tuesday 17th March

CLASS AND Y6 LEAVERS
PHOTOS

Wednesday 18th March

ROCKSTEADY CONCERT - Y3 AND Y4
- INVITE ONLY

Thursday 19th March

RECEPTION ANIMAL DRESS UP DAY
+ KS1 GIRLS FOOTBALL TBCC
14.00-16.15

Friday 20th March

ELM CLASS SWIMMING

LET'S DANCE 2026

On Monday, a group of children from Y5 and Y6 took part in the 'Lets Dance 2026' show at The Hawth along with other Crawley primary and secondary schools. They performed a street style dance to a medley of hits from the 70s to present day!

They did an incredible job and brought the house down! We would like to thank Ms Correa and Miss Cook for giving up their time after school to choreograph the dance.



Northgate's Reading Challenge!

Central America!



Total Reading Miles!

Class	Miles	Country	Class	Miles	Country
Ash	582	Mexico City	Holly	292	Mexico City
Willow	492	Mexico City	Juniper	292	Mexico City
Poplar	478	Mexico City	Apple	292	Mexico City
Cherry	423	Mexico City	Elm	260	Mexico City
Blackthorn	419	Mexico City	Rowan	228	Mexico City
Sycamore	411	Mexico City	Lime	226	Mexico City
Oak	382	Mexico City	Pear	218	Mexico City
Chestnut	366	Mexico City	Alder	127	Mexico City
Beech	359	Mexico City	Hazel	124	Mexico City
Hawthorn	352	Mexico City			
Maple	315	Mexico City			
Fig	301	Mexico City			

Help YOUR Class Fly to Belize! ✍️

We are taking part in a school-wide reading adventure across Central America! Each class is flying from Mexico to Belize, and it will take **740** reads to complete the first part of our journey.

Please continue to read with your child at home and record each reading session. Every single read counts as an air mile, helping our class get closer to landing in beautiful City Panama.

Thank you for your support. Together, we can help the children soar! 🌞📖



NORTHGATE AWARDS

This weeks winners are...



Bartek, Fama, Maka, Devansh, Avaneesh and Ajiad



are Ifrah, Isabella, Sana, Leeloo, Samen and Aaron.



**ROCK
STEADY**



YOUR EASTER CONCERT IS COMING UP!

**IT'S NEARLY HERE! WE'RE DELIGHTED TO CONFIRM
YOUR EASTER ROCKSTEADY CONCERT IS TAKING PLACE
AT 2:30:00 PM ON 3/18/2026.**

**THE CONCERT IS A GREAT WAY FOR CHILDREN AT YOUR
SCHOOL TO PROUDLY SHOWCASE ALL THEIR MUSICAL
SKILLS ON STAGE IN FRONT OF A SUPPORTIVE
AUDIENCE!**

**YOU CAN FIND MORE DETAILS ABOUT YOUR UPCOMING
CONCERT ON YOUR SCHOOLS PORTAL. IF YOU HAVE ANY
QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR CONCERT, PLEASE CONTACT
YOUR BAND LEADER.**

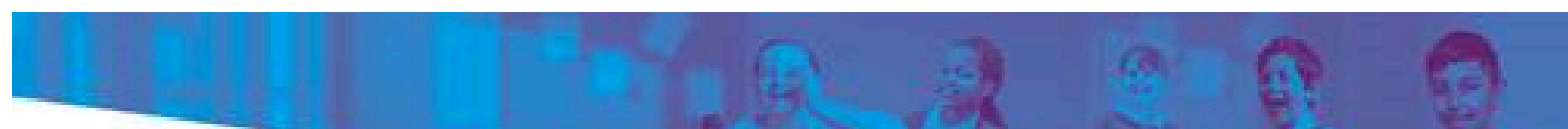
WE CAN'T WAIT TO SEE YOU THERE!

Schools Hotline Team

✉ schools@rocksteadymusicschool.com

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**ROCK
STEADY**



Spring Term Diary Dates 2026

March

- 17th - Y6 Leavers and Class Photos
- 18th - Rocksteady Concert - invite only
- 19th - Reception Animal Dress up day
- 27th - School finishes 1.30pm for holidays

April

30th March - 10th April - Easter Holidays

May

- 4th - Bank Holiday
- 22nd - Inset Day
- 25th - Bank Holiday

- 26th - 29th - Half term

June

- 1st - Inset Day
- 3rd - KS1 and KS2 Sports Day
- 9th - TBC Y3 Egyptian Workshop
- 14th - 17th - Y6 PGL Trip to Windmill Hill
- 16th - Y5 Viking Workshop

July

22nd - School finishes 1.30pm for summer holidays

HOUSE POINTS OF THE TERM

JADE
1537

RUBY
1626

SAPPHIRE
1199

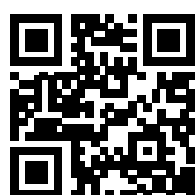
AMBER
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Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) for children

Children and young people aged 4 to 16 who are eligible* for benefits related free school meals can take part in free clubs during the Easter, Summer and Winter holidays. A free nutritious meal is provided as part of the scheme. Visit our website to find activities near you and book your place.

*Check eligibility on the webpage and find information about further support and activities available. Places are limited. Paid-for-places may be available, contact individual clubs for availability.

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www.yourspacetherapies.org

□ Easter Holiday Mindfulness Pony Day for Kids! □

Dates: Thursday 2nd April and Friday 10th April

Time: 9.30am- 2pm

Location: Hill Crest Farm, Horsham

Join us for a magical day of ponies, riding, art, friendship, and mindfulness!

✦What to Expect:

- Mindfulness Time with Ponies
 - Pony Care
 - Riding and Mounted Games
 - Connect with Arts and Nature
 - Make New Friends

Click the links or scan the QR code to book the day of your choice:

[Thursday 2nd April- Mindfulness Pony Day- Book Now!](#)

[Friday 10th April- Mindfulness Pony Day- Book Now!](#)



Cost: £140 per child

BY PURCHASING A TICKET VIA EVENTBRITE, YOU ARE PAYING £40 DEPOSIT. YOU WILL BE INVOICED VIA EMAIL FOR THE OUTSTANDING AMOUNT ON 27th MARCH.

Spaces limited to 10 children per day

We are an inclusive team and warmly welcome children with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND). We celebrate diversity and are committed to providing a supportive environment where every child can thrive.

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WINTER GUARD

RECRUITING NOW

AGES 4+

THURSDAYS 6PM- 6:30PM

THE BEWBUSH CENTRE
DORSTEN SQUARE
CRAWLEY
RH11 8XW

£2 PER SESSION

**FIRST 2 SESSIONS FREE*

**FREE MEMBERSHIP T-SHIRT
AFTER SIGNING UP*



Holy Trinity School

A Church of England Secondary School

Come and See Family Day

Dear Parents & Guardians

Subject: Invitation to Holy Trinity's "Come and See Family Day"

I am delighted to share that Holy Trinity has been working on an exciting initiative called the Come and See Project. This transition programme is designed to support and enhance the move from Key Stage 2 to Key Stage 3, making the process as seamless as possible for your children

Families

As part of this project, we are inviting all Year 5 students and one parent/guardian to join us for our "Come and See Family Day" on Saturday, 28th March, from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm at Holy Trinity School to take part in some secondary school lessons.

Get Involved:

- Please share our invitation with all Year 5 families.
- Spaces are limited, so families will need to book their place using the QR code provided on our leaflet.

We look forward to welcoming you into our school community.

Scan here to sign up!



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WEEKLY FOOTBALL COACHING

FOR PLAYERS IN RECEPTION & YEAR ONE

FIRST SESSION FREE



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SATURDAYS: 9.30AM - 10.30AM

NORTHGATE, CRAWLEY

WWW.ELEVATECOACHINGCRAWLEY.COM



WICKETZ



FOUNDATION

Wicketz in Crawley

Fancy playing some cricket in a fun & relaxed environment?
Why not come down to one of our FREE weekly Wicketz
sessions in Crawley and see what they're all about!



5 Clubs

See locations below

Cost: FREE

Timings & age groups for each club
may vary, please check our website for
full session details.



K2 Crawley | Mondays, 4-5pm



Dermans Youth Centre
Tuesdays, 4-6pm



Bewbush Youth Centre
Wednesdays, 4-6pm



Ifield Community College
Thursdays, 4:30-6pm



Apple Tree Centre | Fridays, 4-5pm (Mixed
- Hard ball) & 4:45-5:45pm (Girls only)

What to Expect?



Have fun & make new friends whilst
improving your skills!



Wear what you want (comfortable
sports shoes recommended)

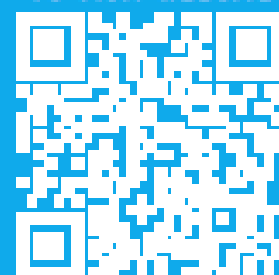


Open to all young people with mixed
& girls sessions available



simon.pearce@sussexcricket.co.uk

SCAN QR CODE
TO VISIT WEBSITE



LORD'S TAVERNERS
Empowering young people through cricket



FOR MORE INFORMATION

WWW.SUSSEXCRICKET.CO.UK/WICKETZ



E A S T E R

**Thurs 2nd April to
Mon 6th April (incl)**

**Thurs 9th April to
Sat 11th April (incl)**

9.30am – 4.30pm (last entry 3pm)

£3 per adult / £4.50 per child

**Entry includes Easter bee trail
plus prize for children**





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EASTER PERFORMANCE CAMP

**FOOTBALL & SPEED COACHING FOR PLAYERS
AGED 6-10**

MONDAY 30/3

OPEN TO CHILDREN OF ALL ABILITIES AGED 6-10

CAMP RUNS: 9AM - 3PM

BOOK ONLINE: WWW.ELEVATECOACHINGCRAWLEY.COM/EASTERCAMP

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Parents, Carers &
Grandparents

Supporting
Local
Businesses of
ALL sizes



What's On Locally
March - June
Competitions!

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OF LOXWOOD

Borde Hill

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