



Parents will be aware that new EU regulations concerning the protection of personal data are being introduced from May 25th 2018. Known as the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), the regulations will result in tighter controls to protect an individual's personal information and records.

The school takes its data handling responsibilities very seriously and is in the process of updating existing policies and procedures having undertaken a full data audit of our existing systems.

As part of this process, we will be issuing a Privacy Notice to inform the school community about the way in which we collect, store and use personal data, as well as explaining the rights of individuals. This will be subject to regular review in order to achieve and maintain full compliance with the new regulations.

Garden Open Day

Our thanks to those who attended the garden opening last Saturday, and to the staff and children who helped on the day. A great effort from Year 3 who planted up their gardens so well.

We have collected over £1,500 so far for the nursing and medical charities supported by the National Garden Scheme, a fantastic contribution to some worthwhile causes.

Hall Grove's African Jabulani - Friday 22nd June

Don't miss out on getting tickets for our big midsummer party. It will be a magical and unforgettable evening: enjoy sundowner cocktails overlooking the school grounds; dine in a tented safari village; dance under a shimmering moon to the beat of African music (as well as current favourite hits!); celebrate the close of the school year and raise funds for a wonderful charity.

[Click here for tickets.](#)

We have a number of very exciting prizes, but if you are able to offer an auction prize or assist with logistics beforehand and on the night, do please drop one of the team a line. The team: Jemma Bailey, Suzanne Greenhalgh, Paula Leech, Tim Lewis, Emma Swanson and Lindsay Vetch.

DIARY REMINDERS

MAY

Tuesday 22nd
0835 3VB Assembly

Thursday 24th
Open Morning
0835 6FH Assembly

Friday 25th
0900 1JH Assembly
1400 Years 7 & 8 Speech and Drama Festival

w/c **Monday 28th**
Half Term

JUNE

Friday 8th
1000 Early Years & Pre-Prep Sports Day

Saturday 9th
Sports Day (Years 3 - 8)

Monday 18th
Africa Week

Thursday 21st
0835 6AK Assembly
1900 Year 4 'Scenes from The Lion King'

Friday 22nd
Africa Celebration Day
African Drumming & Dance Workshop
Parents Social: The Africa Ball

Tuesday 26th
0835 7TH Assembly

Thursday 28th
0835 7LS Assembly

Friday 29th
After School Activities finish

JULY

Monday 2nd
1900 Summer Concert

Tuesday 3rd
0835 Year 8 Assembly

Wednesday 4th
1900 Year 6 Performance Evening

The Drive

Concerns have been expressed about the speed at which cars are being driven on the drive. We cannot stress strongly enough the importance of driving slowly (the speed limit is 10 mph) and with extreme caution at all times while in the school grounds. Never reverse on a zebra crossing.

Please try to avoid arriving early for collection times at the end of the school day because it blocks the drive and pick-up area for everyone else. Please remember that cars should never park on the yellow lines or turning circle, or be left unattended - it is important that the flow of traffic is not disrupted. If you are collecting two or more children from different year groups please move on and join the back of the queue or park near the tennis courts and walk.

Hall Grove Open Morning - Thursday 24th May

There will be an Open Morning taking place on Thursday 24th May from 0930 to 1130. It is intended for prospective parents so we should be grateful if you would inform friends and work colleagues who may be interested in sending a child to Hall Grove one day.

Royal Ascot Week

As Royal Ascot commences on Tuesday 19th June, please remember to book any TASC requirements via 360 Sports Education on 01252 918888. Any supper requests should be made by **Friday 15th June** at the latest via the link above, as it is likely to be very busy!

Please note the boarding house is already fully booked during the week of Royal Ascot for all nights except Monday, where there are still some spaces available (at the time of going to press).

Music

Informal Concerts

Well done to everyone who performed in our Informal Lunchtime Strings Concert today. It was lovely to hear instruments from the whole strings family including Violin, Cello, Ukulele, Guitar and Electric Guitar too. Special mention to Guitar Trio as well who played exceptionally well under the expert guidance of Mr Beaman.

Next Friday is the Informal Vocal Concert. As ever if your child learns outside of school but would still like to participate in the concert then please contact Miss Post by Tuesday morning next week.

Semi-Chorus

Details of those choristers who will be visiting Warminster School on Monday 21st May have now been sent out, but a reminder that they are to have lunch at 1130, before departing at 1200.

Instrument Storage

We are concerned that children are not taking enough care storing their instruments. Specific spaces are available in the music department for instruments, so we would ask you to remind children of the importance of putting their instruments away securely.

Sport

Weekly review

Cricket

There was plenty of cricket on show on Wednesday afternoon, with seven fixtures against Eagle House and one against Feltonfleet. The 2nd XI continued their fine start to the season with another victory, this time by 3 wickets, and the U10 A team also won, impressing with their energy and focus. This team has played good cricket from the first match of the season and is an example to all with great running between the wickets. There were also good victories for the U10 Bs, the U11 Cs and the 5th XI.

ABSENCES

If your child is unwell please
T: 01276 473059 (option 1) or
E: office@hallgrove.co.uk

TERM DATES

Summer Term 2018

23rd April - 6th July
Half Term:
26th May - 3rd June

Autumn Term 2018

3rd September - 14th December
Half Term:
20th October - 4th November

Spring Term 2019

7th January - 29th March
Half Term:
16th - 24th February (incl)

Summer Term 2019

24th April - 12th July
Half Term:
25th May - 2nd June (incl)

NEWSLETTER ATTACHMENTS

MAY HALF TERM & SUMMER CAMPS

**Don't forget to follow us on
Twitter! @hallgroveschool
@hallgrovesport**

The 1st XI played against a strong Eagle House side who played better cricket on the day and deserved their win. The boys have had some tough fixtures in the last week, and it is important that they all learn from their experiences.

Congratulations to 1st XI captain, Shrey Rawal, who received his Senior Colours on Monday morning. He has scored over 400 runs so far including the pre-season tour to Dubai and is showing what an excellent cricketer he is.

Rounders

The U13 A continued to prove what a talented and versatile group they really are - they scored an astounding 15 ½ rounders (5 against). Jessica Gunning was outstanding in the field, as was Carmen Schellekens, who was voted best batter. In the May sunshine, the Under 11s had lots of fun and worked hard.

All three of the U10 teams had good matches, demonstrating excellent team work which featured outstanding performance from Nina van Eden on the field. The girls were composed and focussed, cancelling out any attempts to score.

Golf

It has been a busy week for the golf team. Last Sunday, James Brash and Adam Humpish went to Wellington to compete in The Wellington Salver. James finished second, only one shot behind the winner.

Then came the 1st Qualifying round for ISGA National Finals at The Oratory School. We sent two teams, Team One comprised Nicolas Wall and Adam Humpish, Team Two, James Brash and Ollie King. Both teams played really well on a very unique and quirky course. They both finished top of the group and now have one round to go.

Athletics

The athletics season has got underway with the team competing in three events already. The boys went to Woodcote last Thursday in the annual fixture between the two schools and were rewarded with a fine win. On Friday, 65 boys and girls went to Eagle House to take on Eagle House and Lambrook. The team finished third but there were some fine individual performance in several events. Hall Grove enjoyed excellent performances from Callum Kinner (two wins) and Thomas Chapman (two wins) as well as Nerys Tullett, Amelie Smith, Serena Evans, Zayna van der Zijl, Leila Harris and Daisy Blackburn who all won medals. The performance of the afternoon for the girls was the U11 relay team in an exceptional race.

Tennis

Thank you to all the boys who took part in the exhibition tennis at the garden opening on Saturday. A special mention goes to Oli Goringe & Antonio Langlands, Oliver Townsend and Ozzie Whiteley who enjoyed a particularly close and enjoyable match. Josh Symons and Christian van der Merwe finished runners up and congratulations to Lenni Saul and Herbie Rees who formed an excellent partnership and played some impressive tennis to win the tournament.

Sailing

The sailing team had two days in Weymouth this week taking part in the IAPS Sailing Championships at the Andrew Simpson Sailing Centre. The U11's competed on Wednesday in strong winds, rain and cold temperatures. All three crews of Jemima Fry and Sophie Stroyberg, Luca McDowell and Gregory Pyne, Oliver Stroyberg and Felix Jackson should be complimented on their toughness and willingness to take on the worst of the weather. It really was a case of survival of the fittest! A special mention must go to Oliver and Felix who battled on through the four races and came away with a very creditable sixth place. Day Two saw a complete contrast with sun and significantly less wind. The senior crews of Oscar Fry and James Woolcock and Kaitlyn Wyatt and Edward Bratt acquitted themselves well in a fiercely competitive fleet. After four races, Oscar and James just missed out on the podium by one place finishing fourth and Kaitlyn and Edward placed seventeenth. Both crews impressed in their first year in the senior event and have already started planning their strategies for next year's event.

Games Notices and Reminders

Cricket Bags/Tennis Rackets

Cricket bags may be brought in on match days or for afterschool activities. They are not necessary for normal games sessions. They must be stored behind the pavilion.

Tennis Rackets may be brought in. Please ensure they are clearly labelled and kept in form rooms.

Saturday 19th May

Cricket v Edgeborough

0930 2nd XI, U11 A (a) Meet HG at 0800 - Estimated Return 1230

0930 1st XI, U10 A, U9 A (h) Meet HG at 0900

Rounders v Downsland

U11 girls selected please meet Mrs Maxfield at Hall Grove 0800.

Additions and amendments

Tuesday 22nd May - Rounders v Crosfields

1400 U9C (h)

Wednesday 23rd May - Rounders v St Neots

1415 U13B (a)

1415 U10 B, C (h)

Bagshot Big Bike Ride - Sunday 24th June - 0830

Charity cycling event in aid of Sebastian's Action Trust, supporting families of seriously ill children. The event has three different courses to choose from, 18, 54 or 77 miles starting and finishing at Hall Grove School!

To register or for more information:

W: www.sebastiansactiontrust.org/BBR18

T: 01344 622500

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Family Nutrition Mission Free Facebook Group

Magda Schellekens (mum of Carmen and Daniela in Year 8), a registered Nutritionist and Health Coach, would like to invite all the parents and guardians to join free Family Nutrition Mission group on Facebook. This group is free of charge and is to inspire you to a healthier family lifestyle. You will get nutrition tips; latest articles on the topic of health and wellbeing; quick, easy and yummy recipes; special discount promo codes for healthy food ingredients. This group is to equip your whole family with tools and resources needed to stay healthy, energetic and to allow you to perform at your best.

Link: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/120299485107071/>

West Byfleet Golf Club Charity Day 2018 - Friday 27th July

Enter a team of four and support the Club's charity, Cherry Trees.

Cherry Trees provides home from home short breaks for children and young people with a range of disabilities.

For further information please see attached flyer or call 01932 343433 or email secretary@wbgc.co.uk