



Hurst Green Happenings

3 July 2025

We are almost at the end of the Summer Term—where has the time gone?!

Our children have been having a great time practising for Sports Day tomorrow—we hope to see you there! Year 2 children have also been working hard on their Leavers' Assembly, which promises to be a lovely, albeit emotional, event!

This week we held our Transition Afternoon and welcomed our September starters into school to spend time with their new teachers and classmates. We also waved off our Pioneers who spent time settling into their new school.

At the end of this term we will be bidding a sad farewell to Miss Merritt who will be taking up a teaching role in another Surrey school. We wish her all the best. In September we'll be welcoming Mrs Ward who will be teaching our Year 1 class.

Mrs Sarah George

Weekly Attendance

The government has set a target of **95%** attendance.

These are our attendance figures for this week:

Whole School: 94%

Reception: 94%

Year 1: 94%

Year 2: 94%

Please remember school attendance is mandatory. Holidays should be planned for school holiday times to avoid missing school time. See page 4 for information on fines.

If your child is absent, you must notify the school office every day before 9:15am at the latest.

Call **01883 712171** and leave a message or email absence@hursttlt.co.uk

Earlier this week children enjoyed a visit from Oxted Library who told them all about the **SUMMER READING CHALLENGE 2025!**

It's a FUN and FREE reading adventure set up to help keep children aged 4-12 years old reading and enjoying stories over the summer holidays.

To participate, all you have to do is join your local library and enquire about taking part. You'll be given your starter pack and stickers along with a nice list of awesome books to get you started on your reading adventure.

Click here for more information about [The Reading Agency's Summer Reading Challenge](#).



Survey for Wrap-around Childcare

OSCAHS, who will be providing our wrap-around childcare later this year, would like you to take part in a quick survey to help them develop their service.

[Please click here to take part.](#)



SPORTS DAY

FRIDAY 4 JULY

Reception: 9:30 – 10:10
 Year 1: 10:15 – 10:55
 Year 2: 11:00 – 11:40
 Nursery: 11:45 – 12:15

We look forward to seeing you at Sports Day tomorrow!

Godstone Farm Fun

Pioneers had a brilliant day out last Thursday when they visited Godstone Farm. We hope your child had a fabulous time! You can see more photos from the trip on Instagram and Facebook.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Summer Term 2025	
Thursday 10 July	HGSA Summer Disco (details to follow)
Friday 11 July	School reports out to parents
Friday 18 July	Nursery Open Afternoon at 2.30
Monday 21 July	Y2 Leavers' Assembly at 9.30
Tuesday 22 July	Last day of Summer Term! 1.30 finish
Autumn Term 2025	
Monday 1 September	INSET DAY
Tuesday 2 September	INSET DAY
Wednesday 3 September	INSET DAY
Thursday 4 September	First day back at school
Wednesday 17 September	Individual Photos
Friday 17 October	Flu Vaccinations
Monday 20—Friday 31 October	HALF TERM
Monday 3 November	Back to school
Tuesday 11 November	Drama4ALL workshop for YR, Y1 and Y2
Friday 19 December	Last day before Christmas Holidays
SPRING TERM 2026	
Monday 16—Friday 20 February	HALF TERM

Nursery Open Afternoon

**Come along to our Nursery Open Afternoon on Friday 18 July
from 2.30 to 3pm.**

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available in our**

Nursery

- **Qualified Teacher**
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and outdoor learning
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Story Garden



Sign up at Oxted Library for the Summer Reading Challenge & have fun playing games, winning prizes & reading this Summer

You only need to read 6 books between 5th July & 13th September

Check out our event posters in the library or follow us on X, Facebook or Instagram

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Drawing Competition

Draw your favourite Foal Farm animal for a chance to win a
behind the scenes tour of Foal Farm

Send your entries to commercial@foalfarm.org.uk
or via post to Foal Farm, Jail Lane, Biggin Hill, TN16 3AX
Closing date for entries 14th July 2025



4 age categories:
6 yrs and under
7 to 10 yrs
11 to 15 yrs
16 yrs and above

Winners announced at
our Country Festival
on Sunday 20th July





Church for Little Ones!

A monthly service for children and their families

Starting on Sunday 27th April 9am – 9.30am

Come for a puppet packed, Jesus-centred,
30 minute kids and family adventure.

Coffee and food from 8.45am

St John's Church, Church Way,
Hurst Green RH8 9EA

