



NEWSLETTER

Edition 8 Thursday 23rd October 2025

Dear Parents and Carers

Have a great half term holiday we have thoroughly enjoyed our first 8 weeks of this term...see you on **Monday 3rd November** for more fun and learning.

Toy Day in the Infant School Monday 3rd November

The **infant children** will launch their new **history** topic with a day about toys from the past compared with toys from now. Every child will have the opportunity to **swap a toy**.

Grandparents are invited to pop in at 2.00pm to share toys from the past. Later in the week, all **KS1 children** will walk to the **library** for a visit linked to toys.

Y6 SATs Meeting

Tuesday 4th November

6.00pm

All **Y6 Parents and Carers** are invited [along with their children] to attend a meeting on how to get prepared for the May SATs. Every family who attends the meeting will receive a set of **3 free books** to support at home. There are **cupcakes** for the children and **everyone** will be entered into a **free prize drawer**.

Look out for **attendance letters** and **Christmas IQ Cards** [ignore the date] and return after half term ASAP.

PARK LIFE *trip*

STAY & PLAY *sessions*

KINGSWOOD *trip*

HARVEST *festival*

KIMBA *visitor*

MAGISTRATE *visitor*

ART *exhibitions*

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thank you!



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Fundraising

PATHS [Parents and Teachers of the Hartford Schools] AGM

Tuesday 18th November 3.30pm

Infant School



Our PTA group, **PATHS**, is an invaluable part of our school community. They organise a fantastic range of events throughout the year, including our much-loved termly **discos** and **seasonal fetes**.

These events bring joy to our pupils and raise vital funds for the school.

However, these activities take a lot of time and effort to plan and run, and PATHS is a small team. Any help - **big** or **small** - is hugely appreciated!

Here are some ways you can get involved:

- **Attend PTA meetings** – usually just an hour after school once a term
- **Help collect raffle prizes** from local businesses or your own networks
- **Lend a hand at events** – setting up, running stalls, or tidying up
- **Bake or donate items** for cake sales or refreshment stands
- **Help with admin tasks** like printing, laminating, or sorting supplies
- **Spread the word** – encourage other parents and carers to get involved

Whether you can give an hour a term or a few minutes here and there, **your support makes a real difference**.

If you're interested in helping out or just want to find out more, please come along to our **AGM** meeting or speak to a member of the PATHS team:

Joint Chair: Mrs Moira Whitham, Mrs Freya Davies [both Staff members] with Mr Gavin McCartney [Parent] & Mrs Lisa Leech [Staff member].

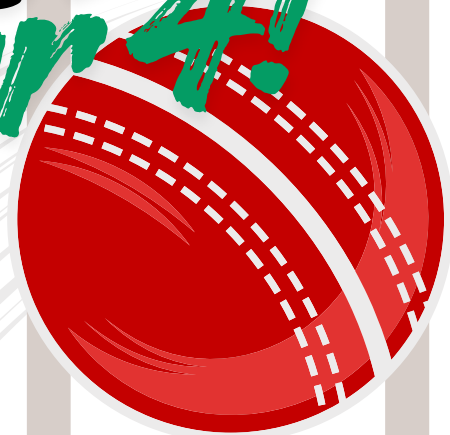
PATHS purchase the book bags each child receives at the start of their Hartford Journey, books for classrooms, playground equipment for OPAL and much more of the little extras in school.

HARTFORD INFANT AND PRESCHOOL & HARTFORD JUNIOR SCHOOL

CRICKET CLUB

for Y5 and Y6

NOW
INCLUDING
Year 4!



sign in via
Breakfast Club
every day at
8.15am on the
back
playground

FIND IT FRIDAY



LOST PROPERTY
&
PRELOVED
UNIFORM

from 3.00pm each
Friday

on the racks by the stage on the front playground



STAY & PLAY

SOFT PLAY FOR TODDLERS

from Tuesday 9th September
9.15am-10.15am

www.hartfordinfantschool.org



£1.00/CHILD



Free BREAKFAST CLUB

HEALTHY BREAKFAST OPTIONS AVAILABLE

HOMEWORK CRAFT PE GAMES TOYS



8.15-8.45

SUPERVISED BY
INFANT & JUNIOR
STAFF

SOFT START TO THE SCHOOL
DAY WITH FRIENDS

ALL CHILDREN FROM YR TO Y6 ARE WELCOME

TOY DAY

MONDAY 3RD NOVEMBER

TOY SWAP SHOP

bring in toys *before* half term,
'Toy Swap Shop' on the the Sparky Start

OPAL WITH GRANPARENTS

nans & grandads are invited to come to school at
2.00pm on Sparky Start Day & play old school games
and enjoy OPAL on the back playground



the children will make and learn about
toys throughout the day and **Y1 and Y2**
will visit the library later in the week

MUSICAL THEATRE CLUB



HOW TO APPLY
PLEASE GO TO WWW.TALENTDANCEACADEMY.CO.UK AND FOLLOW THE
“BOOK NOW” INSTRUCTIONS ONLINE.

WHO: YEARS 1, 2 & 3
WHEN: THURSDAY
TIME: 3.15PM-4.15PM
WHERE: JUNIOR SCHOOL HALL
PRICE: £33.00 (6 WEEKS)
DATES: 6.11.25 TO 11.11.25



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DANCE ACADEMY



CHEER LEADING



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PLACES ARE LIMITED SO IT IS ESSENTIAL YOU BOOK AND PAY ONLINE!

WHO: YEARS 4, 5 & 6

WHEN: THURSDAY

TIME: 4.15PM- 5.15PM

WHERE: JUNIOR SCHOOL HALL

PRICE: £33.00 (6 WEEKS)

DATES: 6.11.25 TO 11.11.25



WHO: YEARS 3, 4 , 5 & 6

WHEN: MONDAY

TIME: 8:00 AM – 8:40 AM

WHERE: JUNIOR SCHOOL HALL

PRICE: £21.00 (7 WEEKS)

DATES: 3.11.25 TO 15.12.25



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STREET
DANCE**