

Hardwick Weekly Catch Up – 25 September 2020



The weather has suddenly turned cold, wet and windy, so its safe to assume summer is finally over! Please ensure your child has a waterproof coat, tracksuit bottoms and a jumper and a pair of trainers for PE, which may be outside.

To help us organise after school clubs that children want to attend, please see the information below about how to complete our after-school club online survey from Premier Education. Could you please complete the survey by **Friday 2 October**. Thank you.

Thank you to those who have returned our school reading books from the school closure period. If you do find any school books, please do give them to your child to return. Thank you.

School Photographer

We have arranged for the school photographer to come and take individual photos on **Wednesday 7th October**. After many years of using the same company, we have changed to Spencer Brown and we are sure you will be pleased with the quality of the photos.

The photographer will be COVID-19 compliant and due to the restrictions, there will be only individual photos taken. so it does mean unfortunately there will be no sibling photos being taken this year, so no pre-school, babies, toddlers, etc.

Photo's can only be ordered online and details of how to do this will follow.

FOHPS AGM advance notice

The Friends of Hardwick Primary school (FOHPS) will be holding their AGM shortly in October. We are just trying to finalise a date and this year's AGM meeting will be held as a Zoom virtual online meeting. The date and details will follow shortly.

Premier Sport Clubs Online Survey

Premier Education have been providing before and after school clubs at Hardwick for some time. We are keen to get our clubs up and running, so in order to provide a range of clubs that children will be interested in, Premier Education have compiled a short online survey for parents to complete. Once we have the information, we will hopefully be able to offer after school clubs after half term.

The survey can be found at:

<https://forms.gle/SQkX2TKrQXAd39cEA>

Closing date is **Friday 2 October**.

Thank you.

Free School Meals applications

If you think you are eligible to receive free school meals, please visit the following link to see if you qualify. If you are eligible then your child can receive a daily meal from the school kitchen for free and it generates money for the school to use to help your child with their learning in school.

<https://www.suffolk.gov.uk/children-families-and-learning/schools/school-meals-uniforms-and-trips/apply-for-free-school-meals/>

If you have any questions, please contact the school office who will be happy to assist you.

Dates for Diaries

Wednesday 7 October: Individual school photographs

Monday 26 – Friday 30 October: Half term

Thursday 5 November: Whole school flu vaccinations

Thursday 17 December: Last day of the autumn term

Friday 19 December - Friday 1 January: Christmas holidays (school closed)

Monday 4 January 2021: Start of the spring term – pupils return to school