



**HEATHBROOK**  
PRIMARY SCHOOL

# Newsletter

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## Welcome!

A very big welcome to all our new families throughout the school as well as those with children starting in Reception and the Nursery. Thank you for so much positive feedback about how quickly the children have settled in and how helpful our parent coffee mornings have been this week.

## Nursery and Reception Curriculum Meetings

Nursery will be holding their curriculum meeting for this term next Monday (17th) and Reception are having theirs on Wednesday (19th). Please look out for letters being brought home about these.

## Year 1 to Year 6 Parent Partnership Meetings

Thank you for returning your Parent Partnership Meeting appointment slips so promptly. Teachers are sending home confirmed times. Please note that we strongly encourage children to attend to enhance their responsibility for learning.

## School Council Election Results

This week children in Years 4, 5 & 6 [elected their representatives](#) on school council. After making speeches to their peers in hustings, they each voted for 2 girls and 2 boys when we turned our library into a polling station. Participation was incredibly high with 53 candidates in all! Congratulations to those elected: Year 4 - Archie, Liberty, Rose and William; Year 5 - Amelia, Amza, Chennai and Theo; Year 6 - Al, Mia, Raphael and Teigan.

## After School Activities

Thank you for your feedback about the challenges in signing up for autumn after school activities. We are delighted that there is such a high interest in the activities, however this means that a significant number of children have sadly missed out on their preferences this term. In order to improve the signing up process for January, we will be consulting with you later this term.

## PTA Family Fun in the Garden

Mow the meadow, see the harvest and build a log pile at this half term's [family fun in our wildlife garden](#) on Saturday (15th) from 9.30 till 12.30. All welcome.

## No Car 'Feast-ival'

Join the [Bandstand Beds' Feast](#) in their community garden on Windmill Drive on Saturday 25th from 12 until 5pm. Enjoy insect workshops and lots more fun too!

## Our Newsletter's 500th Edition!

This is the 500th edition of our weekly newsletter. Keep reading yours to stay informed (they are also emailed so you can hyperlink to our website and others).