

Hob Moor Oaks

19TH JUNE

The end of the school year is always a time to celebrate each and everyone of our pupils and their progress and achievements over the year, yesterday we shared your child's end of year reports, we hope that you enjoyed reading them as much as Olivia and I have.

Last week on our INSET day the whole school took part in training from Bamboozle, all of our staff took part in an introduction to the Bamboozle Approach, before completing 3 workshops as a Phase Team, which included free exploration and exploratory play, creating focus through the use of rituals, and movement and the enabled space. We look forward to weaving this training into our curriculum and using these approaches with our pupils.

We are really looking forward to our whole school trip to Piglets on Wednesday 8th July, a second letter went out yesterday with additional details.

A big thank you to everyone for your support during this week's immensely hot weather. High temperatures are never easy to work or learn in, however our staff team has been incredibly creative in finding ways to keep the children cool, engaged, and regulated throughout the day—whether that meant moving lessons to the shadiest or cooler spots around the school, adapting activities, or introducing fun, low-energy ways to keep everyone comfortable. The headteachers offices have also been used for sensory stories, music therapy and snack time to name but a few, to enable pupils to remain cool in these hot temperatures!

We also want to extend a huge thank you to you, our families, for ensuring the children arrived at school prepared with cool clothing, sun hats, and sun cream. It has made a massive difference in helping us keep everyone safe and happy. Have a fantastic, well-deserved weekend—hopefully with plenty of shade and a cold drink in hand!

29 th June - 1 st July	Yr 6 Residential to Lea Green - Group 2
1 st July - 3 rd July	Yr 6 Residential to Lea Green - Group 3
Tuesday 30 th June	3:30-5:45pm - Parents Evening/Meet the New Class Teacher - appointments to be booked
Wednesday 1 st July	3:30-5:45pm - Parents Evening/Meet the New Class Teacher
Monday 6 th July	10am - Forest Phase Performance and year 6 Leavers
Tuesday 7 th July	10am - Forest Phase Performance and year 6 Leavers
Wednesday 8 th July	Whole school Piglets trip
Monday 13 th July	10am - Orchard Phase Sports Day and Wheelchair Races
Tuesday 14 th July	10am - Forest and Woodland Phase Sports Day
Friday 17 th July	Break up for Summer Holidays
7 th & 8 th September	Staff training - School closed
Wednesday 9 th September	Pupils return to school for 2026!

Accessibility survey

We have been working with CYC about local parks in York, their accessibility for families with SEN, and what improvements could be made to local parks. Gathering direct feedback from families who actually use these spaces is incredibly important. Follow the link below if you would like to complete the survey.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CYC-AccessibleInclusivePlay>

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18TH OCTOBER 2026

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HELP ME RAISE £500 FOR HOBMOOR OAKS

MY NAME IS JOE AND THIS IS MY SON HARRY, HE HAS PROFOUND AUTISM AND HAS ATTENDED HOBMOOR OAKS SINCE 2023. SINCE THEN HE HAS COME ON LEAPS AND BOUNDS BUT WITHOUT THE SCHOOLS SUPPORT THIS WOULD NOT HAVE BEEN POSSIBLE AND WE ARE BEYOND GRATEFUL.

SO IM HOPING TO GIVE BACK TO THE SCHOOL AND THE CHILDREN WHO ATTEND, BY HELPING TO PROVIDE THE RESOURCES THEY NEED TO CONTINUE SUPPORTING OTHER FAMILIES LIKE OURS.

ANY DONATIONS ARE GREATLY APPRECIATED NO MATTER HOW SMALL