

Norton Hill News



Newsletter 10 Tuesday 7th July - 2026

Dates for your Diary

Head Teacher Awards

	Friday 19th June	Friday 3rd July
Bumblebee Class	Frank	Felicity and Erin
Honeybee Class	mia	Charlie, Myah and Joshua R
Dragonfly Class	Albie	Isla-Grace and Emilia
Firefly Class	Bonnie	Arlo
Turtle Class	Isaac	Archie and Lorelei
Gecko Class	Delilah L and Kasey	Avis and Eira
Iguana Class	Elsie	Seren and Ethan
Leopard Class	Elsa	Isla
Jaguar Class	Jaxon	Daisy
Cobra Class	Luna	Valentina

Tennis Awards

Name	Class	Achievement
Baylaa	Leopard	MSN Tennis Tournament
Mila	Leopard	MSN Tennis Tournament
Jack	Leopard	MSN Tennis Tournament
Jesse	Gecko	MSN Tennis Tournament

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Date	Event	Details
Friday 3rd July	End of term 6 clubs	
Wednesday 8th July	MSN Year 3/4 Quad Kids Athletics	Details shared via Arbor
Thursday 9th July	Craymoor Trip	Reception Class - information sent via Arbor
Friday 10th July	Football Match	Cancelled
Friday 17th July	End of Term 6	

Office Update

Free School Meal Changes for the 2026 to 2027 Academic Year

Free School meal eligibility is changing - Many families will become eligible for the first time under the expanded FSM Criteria which is changing from September to the following:

- **Targeted FSM, which continues to be based on the existing threshold, covering pupils who are in households in receipt of Universal Credit with annual household earnings of £7,400 or less**
- **Expanded FSM, a new category covering pupils who do not qualify for targeted FSM, but who are in households receiving Universal Credit with annual household earning of £7,400 & above**

If you believe you may qualify for the expanded FSM please make an application now. Please see the link here:

www.bathnes.gov.uk/form/apply-free-school-meals

School Meal Bookings

School meals are now available to book for Term 6 via School Grid. Term 1 booking are not yet live, you will receive a message when these can be booked.

Tax Free Childcare /Childcare voucher payments - To enable us to allocate the payments quicker please can you email the School Office with the following information EVERY TIME. Please allow 1 week for funds to be allocated to Arbor.

- **Child's Unique Reference Code**
- **Date Paid**
- **Amount £**

Unfortunately we are not able to accept vouchers to pay for extra-curricular clubs/meals or trips.

TFC payments for September 2026

If you require TFC payments to be added to Arbor in preparation for September - please ensure you do this by Monday 13th July. Payments after this time may not be added to Arbor until September.

Wraparound Care Bookings - September 2026

Sessions will be released in August to book sessions for the new academic year. You will receive an email when this is available.

Emails to school

When contacting the school office regarding your child. Please could you include your child's class for us to be able to process your request quick. If requesting wraparound care booking, please ensure you inform us of the time of the session required.