



If anyone has any spare paving slabs that they don't need, please could you let Emily in the office know? We'd be very happy to take them off your hands! Thank you



# Ducklings!



If you follow our school Instagram or Facebook accounts, or if you've been into Apple Tree class this week, you will no doubt have seen our gorgeous little Pekin Ducklings! The children (and staff, and parents!) have fallen in love, and we can't bear to send them back! So, we have the space in forest school, and we have lots of willing helpers, we just need the equipment! Because we are starting from scratch with an enclosure, (which will be a bit like the one we have for the chickens), it is going to cost more than we have. So - we have decided to appeal to the local community to see if we can raise the money to allow us to keep them. If you would like to make a donation, no matter how big or small, you can either scan this QR code to make a donation online. Alternatively, you can pay with cash, (in a labelled envelope and handed into the office, please).



We will also be doing a sponsored funrun after Easter, and the money raised will be going towards the ducklings. Your child should have brought a letter home this week so they will have plenty of time to ask family, friends, neighbours, etc, for sponsorship.

Please help us raise enough money to keep our ducklings and add them to the St Peter's family.

Thank you in advance!





# Calendar



Please see the website for more information - <https://www.st-petersoxon.co.uk/diary>

Monday 30th to Friday 10th - **Easter holidays** (School closed)

## **APRIL 2026**

- Monday 13th - **INSET DAY** (School closed)
- Tuesday 14th - Football v Hanborough Manor
- Wednesday 15th - Weight and Measures day for Reception & year 6
- Thursday 16th - Special visitors for After School Club
- Wednesday 22nd - **Sponsored Fun Run (Raising money for our ducklings appeal!)**
- Thursday 23rd - Y6 transition day at Bartholomew
- Friday 24th - Stay & Play in Apple Tree for children under 4 yo. 2-3pm

## **MAY 2026**

- Monday 4th - **Bank Holiday** (School closed)
- Friday 8th - Sir David Attenborough is 100 years old today! More details to come!
- Tuesday 12th - Apple Tree to the Story Museum in Oxford
- Friday 15th - Stay & Play in Apple Tree for children under 4 yo. 2-3pm
- Friday 22nd - Last day of term

Monday 25th to Friday 29th - **Half Term** (School closed)

## **JUNE 2026**

- Wednesday 3rd - Apple Tree Sports Day
- Tuesday 9th - KS1 & 2 Sports Day
- Tuesday 9th - Apple Tree to Oxford Science Centre
- Thursday 18th - Chicken & Duckling fundraiser **NEW DATE**
- Friday 26th - Stay & Play in Apple Tree for children under 4 yo. 2-3pm

## **JULY 2026**

- Tuesday 7th - Willow afternoon performance
- Wednesday 8th - Willow evening performance
- Tuesday 14th - Apple Tree end of year trip



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# EASTER FOOTBALL CAMPS

Our Easter Football Camps are open to all players aged 4-13 Years & will be engaging sessions with lots of fun, challenges, games and prizes throughout the day.



**WEEK 1**  
31<sup>ST</sup> MARCH - 2<sup>ND</sup> APRIL  
EYNHAM SPORTS PAVILLION  
OX29 4HG



**WEEK 2**  
7<sup>TH</sup> - 9<sup>TH</sup> APRIL  
GATEWAY PRIMARY SCHOOL  
OX18 3SF



£25 per day/£60 for all 3  
(siblings discount available)



10am - 3pm



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# YARNTON BLUES FC

🎉 U10s 25/26 SEASON 🎉



## CALLING ALL YEAR 5 BOYS & GIRLS

Yarnton Blues are looking for more  
players to join their Under 10  
teams for the remainder of the season.

No experience necessary.

Please contact  
[d.riseley@icloud.com](mailto:d.riseley@icloud.com)



BADAPPLE THEATRE PRESENTS



# CRUMBS

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[www.badappletheatre.co.uk](http://www.badappletheatre.co.uk) (Booking fees apply) or  
contact 07711 489463  
[cassingtonvillagehall@gmail.com](mailto:cassingtonvillagehall@gmail.com)



# THE FINAL THREE

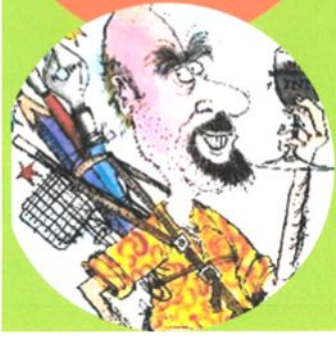
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**A GREAT FAMILY DAY OUT.**  
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**Hill End is 100 in 2026! We need your help to celebrate a century of fun & learning**

## DESIGN AN AWESOME LOGO COMPETITION

Fab prizes to be won - for children, families and schools!  
 Enter by Thurs 30 April 2026

In our special birthday year we are inviting children aged 4-12 years to create a new centenary logo. Winnie the Witch illustrator Korcky Paul will choose the winning design!



Full details at:  
[www.hill-end.org/news/logo-comp](http://www.hill-end.org/news/logo-comp)



# FREE TICKETS

USE THE CODE: **OXFORDTHREE**

### MEN'S FINAL THREE

### WOMEN'S FINAL THREE

SAT 28 MAR 3PM 	MON 6 APR 3PM 	SAT 18 APR 3PM 	SCAN ME 	SUN 5 APR 2PM 	SUN 12 APR 2PM 	SUN 17 MAY 2PM 
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**Remember to place your Expressions group photograph order by Friday 03/04/2026 for FREE delivery to St Peter's Church of England Primary School, Cassington**  
 Every order generates funds for your school too

[www.schoolphotographs.co.uk](http://www.schoolphotographs.co.uk)



Join 24th Abingdon (Dry Sandford) Scout Group  
and Wootton Wasps Explorer Scouts for the  
**Good Friday Walk**



**Friday 3rd April**  
Scout Hut, Lashford Lane, Dry Sandford  
Entry fee £2.50 per person  
Start between 10am - 12.30pm  
Food & stalls 10am - 2.30pm



**THIS EASTER**  
AT HILL END, OXFORD  
DISCOVER THE MAGIC OF  
**DRAMA IN THE WOODS**



BBQ \* Hot Cross Buns \* Raffle \* Easter Egg Hunt  
Rope Making \* Soft Archery \* Tombola \* Stalls & Games

Join us again for the traditional Scouts Good Friday Walk! With 2km, 5km and 10km circular routes from the Scout hut, there's something for everyone. Gather your team, collect your map and quiz sheet and set off on an Easter adventure (beware of mud on 5/10km routes if it has been wet). Prizes available for most correct answers in each category! On your return we'll have a BBQ and Hot Cross Buns waiting for you, together with a range of stalls and activities. We're looking forward to seeing you there.



Scan the QR Codes above or use the following links to register and buy your raffle tickets online  
Buy your raffle tickets here: [go.rallyup.com/24thabingdon](http://go.rallyup.com/24thabingdon)  
Register for the walk here: [forms.gle/R1sgkEfMaPfgLMAW9](https://forms.gle/R1sgkEfMaPfgLMAW9)



**March 30th-April 2nd**  
**Daily 10-4pm**

**Ages 5-12 years**  
Scan here to book your place!  
[www.dramainthewoods.com](http://www.dramainthewoods.com)  
[info@dramainthewoods.com](mailto:info@dramainthewoods.com)



**DRAMA**  
IN THE WOODS

All funds raised support Scouting in Wootton and Dry Sandford



**Is your child finding it hard to make friends?**

The award-winning makers of *The Dog House* are casting for a brand-new BBC series about friendship.

We are looking for children aged 5 to 8 from all over the UK who need a little help navigating the world of friendship. Over three days, a team of child psychologists will help them build the social skills and confidence to make real, lasting connections with other kids.

If you'd like to help your child make a new friend (with no pressure to take part), please apply at:

**bemyfriend.tv**



Lego Easter Event for Families

# THE EASTER STORY



Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April  
10am - noon

St Leonard's Church

Join us for a fun morning exploring the Easter story through brick-building. Stay for refreshments, hot cross buns and sausage rolls.

faith  kids

Sign up here:



## Easter Holiday Tennis Camps Ages 4 - 16 years old



### Week 1:

- Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March - Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April
- Witney Lawn Tennis Club
- Kingston Bagpuize with Southmoor Tennis Club

### Week 2:

- Monday 6<sup>th</sup> April - Friday 10<sup>th</sup> April
- Witney Lawn Tennis Club

### Week Long Course Bookings:

Mornings:	9am - 1pm	Ages 4 - 16 yrs	£192
Afternoons:	1:30pm - 3:30pm	Ages 8 - 16 yrs	£96
Full Days:	9am - 3:30pm	Ages 8 - 16 yrs	£245
Short Courses:	9am - 11am	Ages 4 - 7 yrs	£96

### Individual Day Bookings:

Morning:	Ages 4 - 16 yrs	£48
Afternoon:	Ages 8 - 16 yrs	£24
Full Day:	Ages 8 - 16 yrs	£65
Short Courses:	Ages 4 - 7 yrs	£24

Fun and Educational

No experience needed

Small Group Sizes - Limited Spaces Available

Flexible Bookings - Full Week or Individual Days

Childcare Vouchers Accepted

Morning, Afternoon and Full Day Sessions Available

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