



# Manor Primary School

*'Learning Together, Achieving Our Best'*

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## Diary Dates

**Tuesday 18th Sep**—Individual school photos

**Tuesday 18th Sep**— 'Meet the Team' evening—Year 3/4

**Thurs 20th Sep, 3.15pm**—Friends AGM in the Den—all parents are welcome and encouraged to come along!

**Thurs 20th Sep, 3.15pm**—Meeting for parents of children in Year 6 re; Heatree residential in July.

**Friday 21st Sep**—Jeans for Genes Day—children may wear their jeans in return for a contribution of 50p. All other uniform should be worn as normal.

## Welcome

We would like to welcome our new trainee teacher, Mrs Voaden, who will be with us throughout the year based in Hedgehogs class. We hope she will enjoy and benefit from her time at Manor.

Welcome also to Jake and Henry who have joined us today in Hedgehogs. Again, we hope they will be very happy here.

## Morning Drop-off

The children have now settled into their new classes and should be able to come into school in the mornings on their own. Parents of children in Foundation may still walk down with them for now if they wish, but please could all other parents say goodbye at the gate. If any parents need to see a teacher urgently in the morning, please sign in at reception. If you feel that your child will experience any difficulty with this, please speak to Mrs Dixon or Mrs Solomon. Thank you!

## One Way System and Road Safety

Please can we remind parents, and inform new parents who are unaware, that an unofficial one-way system operates in Manor Drive during the morning and afternoon drop off and collection times—in at the top entrance to the road and out at the bottom. We would be very grateful if all parents could adhere to this as it significantly eases traffic flow and congestion.

Traffic outside school remains a real issue. Please

could parents try not to park in Manor Way or Manor Close at the beginning and end of the day, and when arriving and leaving drive no faster than 10mph (i.e. dead slow) in order to keep our children safe.

## Guitar Lessons

Guitar Teacher Alex Knight currently has spaces for guitar lessons. If interested please contact him on 07896438242 or alex@classical-guitar.net. Lessons cost £9 for 20 minutes, or £12.50 for 30 minutes and take place on Monday afternoons.

## South Brent Drama Club

South Brent Drama Club is inviting new members to join them and is open to children from 8-11. Workshops offer fun games, training and opportunities for performance. They meet upstairs in the village hall on Thursdays from 5pm - 6.30pm For more information please see: [www.dartington.org/whats-on/typt](http://www.dartington.org/whats-on/typt)

## Counselling Service—Ivybridge

A new service has just started in Ivybridge providing counselling and intervention services and support to young people aged 5-25. It has an experienced counsellor who works in a range of methods with a range of needs and issues. They also run workshops during the school holidays and clubs after the school day. Contact details:

www.youthinterventioncentre.com;

Email: info@youthinterventioncentre.com

Phone: 01752 896260

Well done to Hedgehogs & Hares who have won the attendance shield with an attendance rate of 100%



Congratulations to Willow - this week's winners of the House Points cup with 65 house points.

