



Castle Hill News: 11.07.25

Dear Parents/Carers,

This week we have welcomed our new Reception pupils into school and all children have met their new class teachers. It was lovely to also welcome our two new members of teaching staff, Mr. Telford and Miss Hocking (soon to be Mrs. Davidson!). The children are definitely ready to move up and we know that they will do well in their new year groups.

Prince of Wales 2025

As the academic year comes to an end, I wanted to share the recent success of our Castle Hill pupils at The Prince of Wales sports event at the end of June. Children from Year Two to Six proudly demonstrated their teamwork and resilience across a number of different track and field events. Mr. Bowers, Mr. Enon and Mrs. Gibbs were extremely proud of all the children, not only for their efforts in each event but for their outstanding behaviour.

A special congratulations goes to our incredible **Year Two** children, who finished an outstanding 2nd place out of eleven schools! Their energy and determination in both the individual and team events was clear to see and they should be extremely proud of their achievement.

We also want to recognise our **Year Six** pupils, who competed at this event for the very last time. Their leadership and sportsmanship set a brilliant example for the younger children and they gave it their all in every race. What a memorable way to finish their sporting journey at Castle Hill! Well done to everyone who took part.





[Forest School thank you](#)

A big thank you to all our volunteers who have helped with Forest School over the year – we couldn't do it without you! Your support is invaluable so from Mrs. Lee and all the staff and children.....



[Thank you](#)

Thank you also to all our volunteers who make our school community the happy and vibrant place that it is. Whether it is hearing readers, walking to swimming, helping out in a classroom or running the library your help really is very much appreciated and it makes a positive difference to our school.

[Debt reminder](#)

Today is the deadline for clearing any dinner money debt. If your child's account is still in debt, please settle the account today otherwise you will be unable to order a school dinner next week. Thank you.

[Big Write](#)

There is no Big Write next week as it is the final week of term.

[Dance Festival – 15th July at Ribston Hall High School](#)

Good luck to our dancers who are performing at the dance festival at Ribston Hall High School next Tuesday. We know you will be amazing. Your performance at Castle Hill Fest was just fantastic!

[Clubs for Summer 2](#)

PLEASE NOTE: Fine motor skills club, Dance club, Games club, Art club and Multi-sports club have now all finished for the term.

Mondays – Severn Valley Gymnastics – FULL **PLEASE NOTE: 14/7 (FINAL SESSION)**

Thursdays – Football – Y4/5/6 – Sports Active – **PLEASE NOTE: 17/7 (FINAL SESSION)**

[Key dates for next week](#)

Tuesday 15th July – Dance Festival – @ Ribston Hall 4pm (By invitation only)

Wednesday 16th July – Y6 Leavers' Party – 3.15 – 5pm – Y6 pupils and staff only

Thursday 17th July – Y6 Leavers' Assembly – 9am

Friday 18th July – TERM ENDS @ 2pm

Have a fabulous weekend.

Mrs. Ettrick

CALL TO ACTION

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| Year 6 | Year 6 Leavers | https://forms.office.com/e/eVhYArNM9x?origin=lprLink |
| Parents of Castle Hill Primary school | Emotional Coaching Workshop on Wednesday 5th/12th/19th/26th November 9:00 am -10 am | https://forms.office.com/e/DF5sEPC4ES?origin=lprLink |
| Current Year 4 and Year 5 (Please check your emails only sent to pupils that expressed interest) | Young Voices- Thursday 8th January 2026 | https://forms.office.com/e/36x1xuGx81?origin=lprLink |