



Dear parents and carers,

As we reach the final week of the school year, we can look back with real pride at what our children have achieved. It is always a joy to walk around the school and see the beautiful displays which show the hard work and passion children put into their learning across the curriculum all year round.

This week, we said goodbye to our year 6s. After a jam-packed week of fantastic productions, a disco and leaver's assembly, we wish the children all the best and know they will go onto achieve great things and can't wait to hear all about it when they come back and visit.



As you will be aware, from September, our nursery will be run by an external provider, [Crafty Wizards](#). They are very excited to be having many children from the community join them, and we look forward to working closely with them as they prepare children for Reception.

Sadly, this is my last newsletter as Headteacher of Horn Park, and I want to say a huge thank you to everyone who has supported the children of Horn Park over the years that I have been here. It has been a privilege to work with the community, and I am going to miss everyone dearly. As many of you know for the past 6 years, I have commuted to work taking almost 2 hours each way, so my next adventure takes me to a Headship at a school much closer to home where I live on the south-east coast.

I look forward to hearing about all of our children's next ventures and I know under Mr Green's headship, the school will continue to flourish in the years to come.

From all of the team at Horn Park, we wish you a wonderful summer and look forward to seeing the children back in school **on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September**.

Yours sincerely

Zoe Crosland

## Dates for your diary

- 18/07:** Last day of this academic year
- 21/07:** Inset day – School closed to children
- 22/07:** Inset day – School closed to children
- 23/07 – 29/08:** **SUMMER HOLIDAY**
- 01/09:** Inset day – School closed to children
- 02/09:** Inset day – School closed to children
- 03/09:** **Children return to school**
- 04/09:** 9am Headteacher's Briefing
- 04/09:** 6pm Headteacher's Briefing
- 15/09:** Swimming starts for Year 5 Richmond class
- 16/09:** Swimming starts for Year 5 Albert class

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Term dates for the next academic year can be found [here](#).

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**Children return to school for the  
2025 – 2026 school year on  
Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2025**

## Attendance Matters

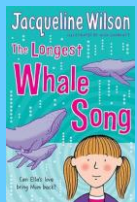
**Good attendance is key to success both educationally and beyond. For this reason, we aim for 100% attendance.**

This week's attendance: 92%  
Best Year Group: Year 3 – 93.5%

## Book Recommendation

In Richmond we have been reading *The Longest Whale Song* written by Jacqueline Wilson. We have really enjoyed this book because the characters are very relatable - we feel like we know them in real life!

We are all desperate to see whether the main character's mum makes a full recovery. We recommend this book - it has kept us on the edge of our seats.



**IncludEd** Please read issue 3 (Summer 2025) of 'IncludEd' The Compass Inclusion Newsletter [here](#).

**Music lessons at Horn Park Primary School**  
If you're interested in rock band lessons with **Rocksteady** for your child, please visit their website [here](#) for info.

If you're interested in keyboard lessons with **Totally Rad** for your child, you can find out more via their website [here](#).

**Local School Committee: Election for Parent Governor**  
The application process to become a parent governor at Horn Park is still open. If you are interested in making a difference in our school community, more information can be found [here](#) or please email [hornpark@compassps.uk](mailto:hornpark@compassps.uk)

**Workshops**  
If you have recently attended a workshop in school, please take a couple of minutes to complete [this parent/carer feedback form](#). Thank you.

**Royal Greenwich Together**  
**HOLIDAY FOOD and FUN**  
We're taking part!

- Name:** ProInfinity HAF Camp 4-11 year olds
- Location:** HORN PARK Primary School, Altwick Road SE12 9BT
- Ages:** 4-11 years
- Days:** Monday 28th July - Monday 18th August 9am - 1pm
- Number:** 020 3651 2161 / [info@proinfinitycoaching.co.uk](mailto:info@proinfinitycoaching.co.uk)
- Website:** <https://proinfinity.classforkids.io/camp/118>

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HORN PARK Primary School  
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**Term Value:**  
Perseverance

**Lunch Menu: 2**  
From 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept 2025

