

HORNSBY HOUSE SCHOOL



AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

JANUARY 2012

Monday

Chamber Choir

Children in Years 5 and 6 are able to attend auditions once a year and once the Choir is selected, they are committed for the year. There is a large repertoire to be learnt and there are numerous performances throughout the year. They must be prompt for rehearsals.

Year 2 Hockey Club

Introduction to the basic skills and positions in hockey. This club will build on what the girls have learnt in their games lessons.

Tennis Years 1 & 2

At Magdalen Lawn Tennis Club, Magdalen Road, SW18. Taken by Mike Francombe, a professional tennis coach. Children must be collected from the Tennis Club and parents will be asked to take a turn attending a session and waiting until all the children have left.

Art – Year 4

Fun, creative activities that encompass a broad range of art and design skills and techniques.

Gymnastics

New this term, the children will start off learning the basics on floor and vault, eg rolls, cartwheels, roundoffs and walkovers, leaps and jumps and vaulting. Eventually those to whom gymnastics comes naturally will move on to harder vaults (handsprings), and harder floor moves (backflips).

Year 6 Cookery Club

Put all those weighing, measuring and ratio skills from maths lessons to good use! A chance to make lots of delicious sweet and savoury food to take home.

Year 6 Rugby Club

The boys will be working on their individual skills to improve their understanding of the game. These skills will then be used in more of a team environment during their Games sessions.

Year 2 and 3 Drama Club

Stars is a fun and energetic drama club which allows pupils the chance to explore different genres of theatre such as slap stick comedy, melodrama and pantomime in a practical way. Pupils will produce a short performance for parents and friends showcasing their work at the end of the Easter term.

Tuesday

Year 5 and 6 Hockey Club

The girls will be looking to advance their stick skills and positional understandings. We will also focus on set plays with the use of various games and drills.

Spanish for Beginners

This club provides a basic introduction to beginner level Spanish. We will be covering topics such as basic conversation, Spanish numbers, Spanish culture, Spanish food, Houses and Homes as well as learning a couple of Spanish games and song along the way.

Taekwon-do

For **Year 2 and above**, children learn this Korean martial art under expert tuition. Students develop personal life skills such as confidence, goal setting and respect. Children take part in punching,

kicking and self-defence exercises in a controlled environment and are encouraged to participate in grading examinations - aspiring towards the coveted black belt!

For **Reception and Year 1** Students, these classes are specifically designed for our youngest practitioners. Children are engaged in varied physical activities in a safe and fun environment. They also learn important life skills such as stranger awareness and anti-bully drills. Children are encouraged to be respectful, confident and have a chance to take part in an award scheme.

Allsorts Drama Years 2 to 6

Allsorts Drama will be working on the wonderful story of Swallows and Amazons. All aboard The Swallow! Follow Captain John and his able crew as they set sail to Wildcat Island on an exotic adventure to encounter savages, capture

dastardly pirates and defeat mortal enemies. So starts the biggest adventure that John, Susan, Titty and Roger had ever experienced! A superb story of boats and lakes, exploration and discovery, wholly capturing the magic of childhood!

Chess - Years 1 & 2 and Years 3 to 6

A club that will allow all years to compete on an equal footing and help them to develop skills that will undoubtedly help in their curricular life. Next term we hope to send two teams to qualify for the English Primary School Chess Association national finals, which will be a whole weekend away in the summer term for the teams if we make it through.

Fun DT - Year 2

The children have an opportunity to design and construct a range of models using lots of different materials and use digital cameras to record their creations. They will then use their pictures, designs and plans to make their very own Design and Technology book.

Year 1 Sports Club

In Year 1 Sports club we aim to be really active and have lots of fun. Every week we will incorporate lots of fun games, some sports skills, team sports and generally have a good run around. All are welcome!

Year 4 Rugby Club

The boys will be working on their individual skills to improve their understanding of the game as they continue their introduction to contact rugby. These skills will then be used in more of a team environment during their Games sessions.

Year 2 Football and TAG Rugby

The boys will have a chance to learn both football and TAG rugby during these after school sessions.

Spanish, Mandarin and French

Children have the choice of learning Mandarin, Spanish and build on their French with a language lab facility which includes headphones and voice recording.

Wednesday

Year 3 and 4 Hockey Club – Refreshing our basic stick and goalkeeping skills and then moving onto positioning, rules and set plays.

Senior Swimming Squad

At Tooting Leisure Centre at 7am with Adrian Turner.

Ballet

Reception and Year 1. Both classes will now be taken by Miss Helen. The Reception class runs from 3.15 to 4pm in the Dining Hall (nb earlier start and end time). The Year 1 class will then take place in the Dining Hall, ending at 4.45pm. The Year 1 children will be supervised until the start of their class.

Cantando Singers

Anyone in the Upper School who enjoys singing is welcome. Part singing and various techniques are learnt through enjoyable songs.

Arts and Crafts - Year 3

Each week we will be making something new using different materials. We will paint glass and

ceramics, use modelling clay, embroider patterns, make jewellery and much more.

Year 5 & 6 Art

An opportunity for children to develop ideas introduced in class and work with more independence to extend their skills.

Public Speaking – Years 4 to 6

Over the term, your child will consider what makes a good public speaker, partake in some fun icebreaker games, choose a topic about something they are interested in and then research and type up the speech in one of our e-learning suites. Once the speech is written, we spend the last few weeks editing and practising the delivery of the speech which concludes in the final week of term with a competition in our school hall where your child's peer group is invited to listen.

Junior Swimming – Years 3 to 6

Our aim is to give the opportunity for all the children to gain enjoyment from the sport, developing and achieving their maximum

potential level of success as well as improving the health and fitness of each swimmer.

Year 5 Rugby

The boys will be working on their individual skills to improve their understanding of the game. These skills will then be used in more of a team environment during their Games sessions.

Thursday

Running Club Years 3 to 6

At the start of the term running club will be based at HHS where the children will do circuits to improve their fitness. Once the light is better we will be running in groups around Wandsworth Common.

Street Dance – Years 3 to 6

An exciting chance for children to learn some new dance moves. Over the term they will learn a variety of Street Dance moves which they will use in a performance at the end of term.

Piccolo Singers

A singing group for children in Year 1 and 2. We focus on singing for fun, with a few techniques learnt along the way.

Year 2 Art

Fun, creative activities that encompass a broad range of art and design skills and techniques.

Philosophy and Thinking Skills

Philosophy is a chance for children to get together and discuss everything and anything. It

will help to develop higher order thinking skills, improve communication skills and helps children learn to co-operate with others. Children will learn to reflect before speaking so that they are accurate in what they really want to say.

Year 3 Rugby Club

The boys will continue their introduction to TAG rugby in a fun environment, especially their handling skills and the way they read and understand the game.

Senior Cricket Development

By invitation, the cricketers will train in the nets at the Oval for this session, working primarily on improving their batting and bowling.

Year 5 and 6 Drama

Glimmers is a drama club that allows pupils the chance to extend their drama experience outside the classroom through fun practical activities on a range of themes and issues. Pupils will produce a mini production to be performed at the end of the Easter term for family and friends.

Friday

Senior Football Squad

By invitation, the footballers will be working on developing their touch, their movement and the way they read the game.

Girls Football Club – Years 3 to 6

The Girls Football club will be based at HHS where the children will do drills in order to improve their skills and ball control, as well as taking part in small matches. The Year 6 girls will have the opportunity to take part in games against other schools.

Orchestra

If you are of Grade 1 standard or above, we want you! Orchestra allows the opportunity for children to experience ensemble playing with a variety of instruments, and realise the value of each individual part.

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