

14th March 2024

Enrichment and clubs at Heronshaw School – Summer 1

Dear Parents/ Carers,

Extracurricular activities are beneficial to enhance children's self-confidence and self-esteem, as well as keeping them healthy and active. At Heronshaw School we pride ourselves on developing a curriculum that is enriched with extracurricular activities running during and after school. Alongside our flourishing after school tea club, we are able to offer enrichment opportunities. Each half-term clubs are shared and parents can sign up to electronically via MCAS. Please note clubs are assigned on a first-come, first served basis and have limited spaces; please do sign up quickly to secure a place for your child. Prices for clubs vary depending on the nature of the activity, the need to cover the costs of materials or external coaches. Feedback from our parent's sports enrichment survey has proved vital in tailoring our clubs especially for summer term as we bring in summer sports, football as we lead up to the Euros as well as tennis! Please sign your child up for a club on MCAS.

Summer 1	External clubs w/b 15.04.24 – 24.05.24 (NB 06.05.24 – MAY DAY BH)	
Monday	Football – skills and games (Premier Ed) 5 weeks £30 3:15-4:15pm	ROCKSTEADY (In school morning on weekly rotation)
Tuesday	Dance club (Miss Wendy) 6 weeks £30 3:15-4pm	
Wednesday	Summer games (all years) (Premier Ed) 6 weeks £30 3:15-4:15pm	Sports clubs: Please Bring alternative sportswear to change into, water bottle and trainers
Thursday	Athletics (all years) (Premier Ed) 6 weeks £30 3:15-4:15pm	ACOUSTIC GUITAR LESSONS Strum into Music) (In school morning)
Friday	Football (on the field) (Let's Kick It) 6 weeks 3:15-4:15pm https://eequ.org/letskickitheronshawprimaryschool Fri 19th April – Friday 24 th May	Bring alternative sportswear to change into, water bottle needed and trainers

Alongside our after school clubs we also run extracurricular music provision during school time for our budding musicians; offering many opportunities for all of our children to express themselves and gain a wealth of confidence through music:

- Private acoustic **guitar** lessons with Mr Finch (Strum-into-Music) (£8/wk group £12/wk individual)
- Be part of a **Rocksteady** band. These bands are formed of guitarists, keyboard players, drummers and vocalists. Each week the musicians come together to learn a new music skill as they work collaboratively to play a section of a well-known track each week.

If you would like to begin acoustic guitar lessons please contact myself or sign up on:

<https://forms.office.com/e/DtcdDFF8sY>

If you would like to reserve a space with Rocksteady please sign up at:

<https://booking.rocksteadymusicschool.com/>

If you would like to sign up for any of these clubs for Summer 1, please sign up on MCAS or else contact the main school office or class teacher for more information.

Many thanks

Kind regards

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