



# WEST HADDON PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## Footgolf

Year 6 took part in Footgolf at Cold Ashby Golf Club this week and Year 5 will be doing the same next Thursday. The cost for this experience is being funded by the government Sport Premium initiative, which is funded by the Soft Drinks Industry Levy (nicknamed the sugar tax). The children really enjoyed the experience!



## Dates for the Diary:

### October

Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup>	School Photos (Individual photos)
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup>	Yr 5 Footgolf at Cold Ashby
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Yr 4 Swimming
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup>	Reception Superhero Day
	Yr 5 & 6 African Dance Workshops
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Harvest Service in Church
	Yr 4 Swimming
	Term Ends
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup>	Training Day – School closed
Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup>	School Opens
	Closing date for secondary school applications
Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup>	3.50 – 5.00 – Parents Evening
<u>November</u>	
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup>	3.50 – 5.00 – Parents Evening
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	5.00 – 7.00 – Parents Evening
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Yr 6 Class Assembly

## Football Tournament

Year 5 and 6 took part in a local cluster Football Tournament at Guilsborough School this week. Twelve teams took part in the tournament (we entered two teams from West Haddon). One of our teams won the tournament (for the second year in a row) and will go on to the semi-finals and the other team came 9<sup>th</sup>. A huge congratulations to all the children who took part.



### Internet Safety Tips

*The internet can be a fantastic communication and learning tool for our children but there are many risks associated with young children going online. Tips to consider:*

1. Put parental controls on your child's device. *Internetmatters.org* is a good site to help with this.
2. Use a safe search such as *swiggle.org.uk* or *kids-search.com*
3. Explore and use games together with your child.
4. Talk to your child about what they are using online and discuss expectations and boundaries.
5. Check new sites and apps prior to letting your child use them.
6. Avoid chat rooms and social media, particularly ones with an age restriction for under 13 year olds, such as Facebook, Snapchat and Instagram. If you insist on allowing your child to use these apps, please ensure they are clued up about safe usage and cyberbullying.

### School Photographer

The photographer is coming in to take individual photos on Tuesday (10<sup>th</sup> October). If you would like sibling photos, we will try and get these done within the school day but if not or if you would like younger siblings to appear in these, the photographer will be available in the hall after school.

## **Our value for October is Harvest**

Please remember to visit our school website regularly for useful information

<http://www.westhaddonprimary.net>

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