

# Hamilton Lodge

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Weather: It's still warm, have another BBQ.

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### Breaktime Fun in the Sun



Mrs Grant snapped these pictures of pupils enjoying the late summer sun.

**Ben and Marcel** reaching for the sky on the school field and some **Year 9 and 10 girls** enjoying a fun game of football on the astro pitch.

### Harvest Festival

We are starting a collection for a local homeless centre. If you can spare a tin of soup please bring it into school and leave it with Heather in reception.



### Visitor

On Wednesday, a researcher called Kristin from Germany visited us. She told us about her work in Germany and we told her about HLSC.



### New Principal

We are pleased to announce the permanent appointment of David Couch as the Principal of HLSC. David said, "I am very pleased to take on this role and I am thrilled to be here."



### College Cooks

Peter and Atlanta are doing catering at college. They liked making Chocolate Chip Cookies.



### A Coincidence



It's a small world.

Yep!

Liz (SALT) went walking in the Peak District with her family— she was very surprised to meet ex-student, Sarah Sharrock, walking on the same path.

Sarah left HLSC 3 years ago. Do you remember her?



### Hockey Stars

On Tuesday evening, a group of boys and girls went for an evening of Hockey skills training at Brighton and Hove Hockey Club. BBC News Cameras were there and they met GB Olympic Hockey goal keeper, Kirsty Mckay.

Ms Simmons (ex Science teacher), who is one of the fantastic coaches at the club, said, "I was very impressed with the players, they asked Kirsty lots of questions and they had all improved by the end of the session... Kirsty was very worried that they might soon be better than her! Well done to John (Year 7) who won the 'Fox and Chicken!'"

Marcel and Beth were interviewed by BBC News which should be on Freeview Channel 8 this week and Virgin on Saturday morning from 9am.

## Signing Classes at HLSC



It's been a busy week for Ms Caiels (Deaf Studies Co-ordinator) at HLSC. She started five BSL classes for toddlers, parents and people interested in learning to sign. Everybody thought the lessons were great!



## Christmas Card

Design work for the new HLSC Christmas card has begun. Mr Kent (Art/Drama) is working with 2 groups of pupils at Tuesday and Thursday lunchtimes through to half term.



The final design is sure to be a stunning piece of artwork and, as always, very popular with friends and family. Watch this space for details on how to buy the official HLSC Christmas card.



## Drama

In their drama lesson, Year 7 & 8 have been learning about Slow Motion acting. They created slow motion in tennis, football and running. John gave a fantastic performance. He used lots of facial expression and good body movement in slow motion. Well done!



## Assembly

On Wednesday, Mrs Grant talked about the new Education, Health and Care Plans in Assembly. Paighton and Sally explained what they have said in annual reviews. The said how important it is that children and young people are clear about their reasons and views for coming to HLSC and wanting to stay here. Your views are very important!



## Deaf Diaspora

On Saturday lots of Deaf people came to HLSC for Deaf Diaspora. It was a great day!



Clive Mason from See Hear was



there along with many other visitors. More pictures on Facebook.

## DofE



On Thursday evening, Paighton and Oliver were marked 'Outstanding' for their Expedition presentation.

They have been invited to represent their group in front of 500 people at an awards ceremony in February. Well done!

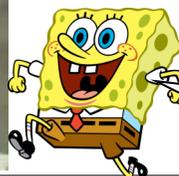
## Decorative Art

Amy, Abbie, Rosie and Sally all did some Decoupage with beautiful results.



## Bright Spark

Patrick impressed Mr King this week with his precise soldering skills while making his torch circuit. Soon his "Sponge Bob" torch will be ready to take home.



Well done, Patrick!



## Champion Bowler

On Saturday Ali was invited to the Portslade Cricket Club award presentation. Ali plays for the under 14s and won the best bowler award for his team. This is the second year running that Ali has won this award. His coach, Greg said "we are so lucky to have Ali in the team, he has a great attitude and always does his best." Well done Ali!

