



27th March 2026

"Learning Together for Life"

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to everyone who attended parents' evening over the past few weeks. It has been wonderful to welcome so many of you into school. The partnership we share with our families is one of Hartford Manor's strengths, and your continued support plays a vital role in helping our children thrive.

We are also relaunching our Parent Survey, and we would love to hear from as many of you as possible. Last term we received 56 responses; this time, we are aiming for well over 100. Every parent or carer is welcome to complete the survey—your views truly make a difference.

[Parent View 2025 – Click here to complete](#)

Best wishes,

Simon Kidwell
Principal

<u>School Dinners</u>	Next week, we will be on menu 3. Please pay for your meals via School Gateway. Please note that from 1 st April 2026, school meals prices will increase to £2.96.
<u>Year 4 Residential- Smiles all Around</u>	It has been an exciting few weeks in school, our Year 4 children enjoyed their first ever residential visit to Tattenhall. Even the surprise blast of winter weather couldn't dampen their spirits! They returned full of enthusiasm, pride, and plenty of stories. A huge thank you to the staff team who made the visit possible.
<u>Cross Country Champions</u>	180 children represented Hartford Manor in the recent inter-school cross country event on the Hartford Campus. We are delighted to announce that we won the overall team competition, supported by several superb individual performances. Cross country is a brilliant test of stamina, determination and fitness. It is encouraging to see how strongly our children are embracing physical activity.
<u>Spring/Easter Break</u>	A reminder that school will close for the Spring/Easter break on Wednesday 1 st April at 3:20pm. After-school club is open until 6pm. We look forward to welcoming the children back on Monday 20 th April.
<u>FOHM Spring Disco 1st April 2026</u>	FOHM will be running the Spring disco on Wednesday 1 st April. Tickets are available to purchase via school gateway. The timings are as follows: <u>FOHM Spring Disco</u> • Reception- the disco will take place during the school day (No tickets required) • Years 1&2 3:30-4:15pm

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Diary Dates

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
Wednesday 1 st April 2026	<u>FOHM Spring Disco</u> • Reception- the disco will take place during the school day. • Years 1&2 3:30-4:15pm • Years 3 &4 4:30pm-5:30pm • Years 5&6 5:45pm-7:00pm
Wednesday 1 st April 2026	School closes for Easter break
Monday 20 th April 2026	School re-opens
Tuesday 19 th May 2026	Reception Sports Day
Wednesday 20 th May 2026	Years 1-6 Sports Day
Thursday 21 st May 2026	Nursery Sports Day
Friday 22 nd May 2026	School closes for half-term
Monday 1 st June 2026	INSET DAY- school closed for Pupils
Tuesday 2 nd June 2026	INSET DAY- school closed for Pupils
Wednesday 3rd June 2026	School re-opens
Wednesday 22 nd July 2026	School closes for summer break 1:30pm (There is no after school club on this day)