

## This week

- Fri 17 Oct: Thomas Coram's Royal Charter Day service, St Peter's, 2pm – ALL WELCOME

## Dates further ahead

- Mon 20 Oct: Hinduism RE Day (revised date)
- Wed 22 Oct: Deadline for parents to notify us of changes to music lessons
- Fri 24 Oct: School closes for half term break
- Fri 31 Oct: Application deadline for secondary school Sept 2015, Year 6
- Sun 2 Nov: Friends of Thomas Coram, Photography by Carrie
- Mon 3 Nov: Staff training day, school closed to pupils
- Fri 14 Nov: Friends of Thomas Coram Film Night

## Notices and reminders

Captain Thomas Coram campaigned for 17 years for permission to establish the original Foundling Hospital in 1739. We always have a service to celebrate Thomas Coram's achievement and legacy – work that still continues today. 2014 sees the 275th anniversary and it would be lovely to [welcome all those that would like to join us at St Peter's Church on Fri 17 October at 2pm.](#)

As the weather is beginning to change and pupils will no longer be on the school field at break and lunchtimes, the following rules, discussed and agreed by our pupil School Council, will come into place:

[No football before school on either lower or upper KS2 playgrounds.](#)

[Football is only allowed on Tuesday and Thursday on the playgrounds – one football per year group.](#)

School Council agreed these rules to make our shared space fair for everyone. We expect everyone to follow these rules and to respect (one of our core values) those that made the decision and those that are implementing it.

This week is our third Big Write. [Look out for your Talk Homework](#), which will also be available to download from the school website.

[Tickets for the Rotary Fireworks Display](#) at Berkhamsted Cricket Club on Saturday 1 November are currently on sale at school. We receive £1 for each ticket sold through us.

## Recent letters

Last week we sent out these letters which are also available on our website:

- Rotary Firework Display
- Photography by Carrie

## This week's attachments

Today we're attaching:

- October Half Term Skate Coaching Sessions
- Annual Conker Festival 2014



# Oct Half Term Skate Coaching Sessions

whether you are a  
beginner without  
a board, or a keen  
skate boarder  
who wants to  
develop your  
skills, this is for  
you



Boards &  
helmets to  
borrow  
For ages 8+

**Berkhamsted Skate Park**  
**10am - 12noon**

**Mon 27 & Tues 28 October 2014**

**£5 for a two day course**

There are only 16 places per course  
To book contact Clare @ Swan Youth Centre  
01442 384349

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# BONKERS about conkers!



**FREE ENTRY**

## Annual Conker Festival

**Sunday 19th October 2014, 12noon to 3pm**

**Blackbirds Moor, Boxmoor** (opposite St John's Church)

Compete for the prestigious title of **Conker Champion!**

Classes for **Adults and Juniors** - prizes for winners

Limited number of places, so **come early** to avoid disappointment

Photographic Competition entries on display with **2015** calendars on sale.

**COME AND JOIN US FOR A FUN FILLED FAMILY AFTERNOON**

**Raptor Display**

**Circus Skills**

**Children's Craft Activities**

**Pottery Workshop**

**Live Music**

**Archery Have-a-Go**

**Charity & Community Stalls**

**Refreshments & much more...**



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