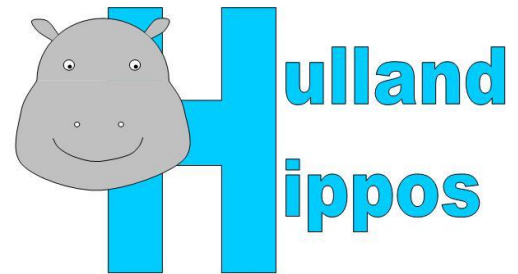


# 2022 Summer Newsletter

Dear Everyone,

**New Families:** Welcome to the families that have started coming to Hulland Hippos since the last newsletter.



**Team news:** We have welcomed Norma into the team. Norma has agreed to be our First Aider, a role she did at her Primary School. Hopefully we won't have any accidents but it will be good to have Norma's expertise if we do.

**Summer Holiday Hippos:** Older siblings and ex-Hippos are welcome at our school holiday sessions. We provide activities for children up to 7 years and enjoy seeing how Hippos of the past have grown!

**A plea:** The team are of a certain age when their memories aren't so sharp, so please help us to learn the names of your children by giving them name labels to wear.

**Leavers:** We know that there will be some children needing to leave Hippos at the end of the summer to go on to the next stage of their education. Please let us know when your child is soon to leave so we can wish them well. Also we can ensure that you, as Mum /Dad/ carer, know you are very welcome to pop in to see us and have a coffee at any Hippos session.

## Dates for the Diary

Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> July, 4.00 - 6.00 pm: **Messy Church** at Hulland Ward Millennium Hall. Activity-based church for all the family exploring one of the stories Jesus told. It finishes with a hot dog and ice-cream picnic tea. Just turn up.



Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> August: **Hulland & District Horticultural & Craft Show** in Hulland Ward Millennium Hall. There is a children's section. The under 5s have a Jubilee Corgi to colour or collage which we'll have available at Hippos. Copies of the complete schedule will be at Hippos too. The Hippo team are the main organisers of the Show so support it if you can!

## Email contact

If you would like to receive this newsletter and other Hippo related news by email and currently don't, please give your email address to Penny.

We are sorry about our first unplanned closure of a session in March which was due to team sickness. In the unlikely event of another last-minute closure, information will be put on the website [www.hullandchurches.org.uk/groups/hulland-hippos](http://www.hullandchurches.org.uk/groups/hulland-hippos), Facebook and emailed to those on our email list.

Best wishes for a happy and healthy summer from the Hippo Team

**Penny, Katrina, Hil, Pauline, Doreen, Shirley, Margaret, Norma, Michael and Carol** our treasurer

