



Michael Hall
WALDORF SCHOOL

Midsummer Festival

2026

Programme



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Programme of Events and Locations

11:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Information Stand • Old Scholar Registration & Reunions • Old Scholar Photograph Displays • Drama Exhibition - Daniele Gaillemin's productions <p>Exhibitions open:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Early Childhood & Classes 1-8 • Lower School Handwork & Crafts • GCSE Art • A-Level Art & BTEC Displays • A-Level Photography Exhibition 	<p>In front of Mansion In front of Mansion Round Room Great Hall</p> <p>Dick Chester Studio Studio 1 Clock House Clock House Clock House Canteen Early Childhood</p>
11:00 - 14:00	Hot Drinks / Snacks	Canteen
12:00 - 13:30	Early Childhood open for you to come and explore and for little ones to play!	Early Childhood
12:00 - 16:00	BBQ Lunch	Canteen
12:30 - 14:00	Visit Darshan the Market Gardener: Tour at 12:30, then drop in to chat	Walled Garden
13:00	Old Scholars' Parents Group launch	Front Lawn
14:00	Pageant Classes 1 - 5	Valley Field
14:45	Sideshow - by Class 7	South Lawn
	Strawberries & Ice Cream by Class 12	South Lawn
	Mansion Cream teas - by Class 9	Terrace & Long Room
	Softball Game (sign-up at the Old Scholars stand)	Hockey Pitch
17:00	Exhibitions Close and Refreshments Finish	



‘Crazy For You - Youth Edition’
 Performed by Classes 9 & 11
FRIDAY EVENING - Theatre at 19:30
SATURDAY EVENING - Theatre at 20:00
 This is a ticketed event - book online here:
 Tickets also available from the information stand



Parents are responsible for their children at all times

MIDSUMMER PAGEANT

14:00 VALLEY FIELD

Poem - Classes 1 to 5

A Song of King Arthur's Castle by Alfred Cecil Harwood

*White waves on Arthur's castle wall,
And sun-gold in the spray;
And knights like stars in Arthur's hall
And he like Sun of Day*

Class 1

As the sun rises, colours burst across the sky

Classes 2

Will sing "Hey Wichichao" from the theme of Original Cultures (North American)

Class 3AD

Will show a traditional ceilidh dance, akin to the barn dances farmers across the country would have held to celebrate the harvest

Class 3VG

Oh how peaceful, living in the country!

Classes 4

Summer Comes Laughing

A traditional German children's song with Eurythmy

Class 5TG

Class 5TG our bounding towards their festive Olympics, and somewhere some juggling has found its way in too!

Class 5EN

Behold the flower,
It is the butterfly
Bound by the earth!

Behold the butterfly,
It is the flower
set free by the cosmos!

Song - Classes 1 to 5

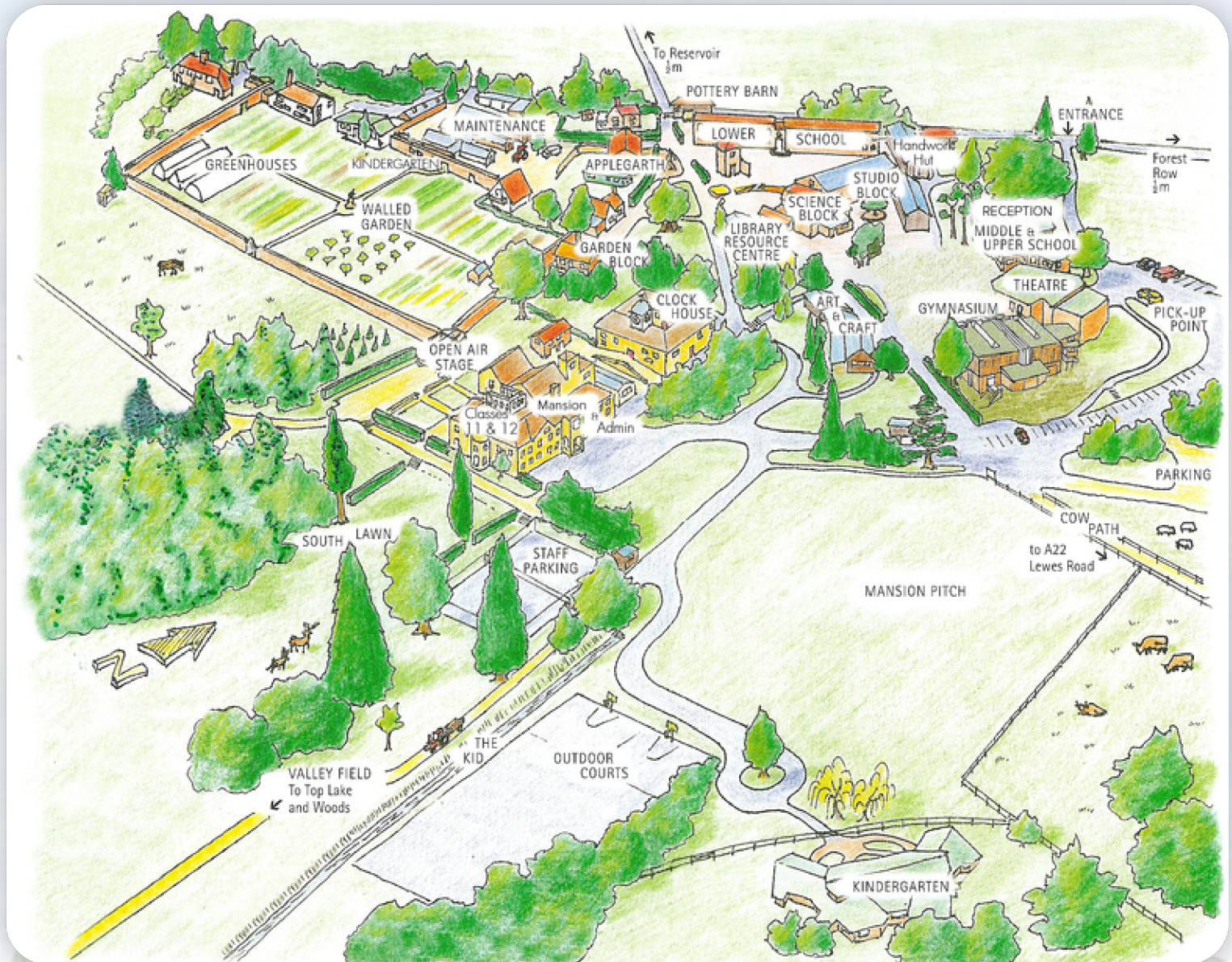
Song for St John's Fire by Alfred Cecil Harwood

*Earth and Man, have you no fire
To greet these heaven-kindled hours?
Earth has fire, and hearts have fire -
Light the flame among the Flowers!*

With special thanks to our pageant musicians

No dogs, smoking or alcohol on site please

**FIRST AID & MISSING CHILDREN in the Information Stand
OLD SCHOLARS & INFORMATION STAND in front of the
Mansion LOST PROPERTY at the Information Stand**



Children must be supervised at all times
No flash photography at the St. John's Fire or Musical
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No children under Class 8 (age 14) are allowed on the school grounds after 18:00