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November + December 2018 Newsletter

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Christmas Jumper Day - Friday 21st December 2018

Friday 21st December 2018, school closes at 1:15pm

Return to school on Monday 7th January 2019



A message from

Mrs Jones

Wow! What a fabulous year! Can't believe we are embarking on 2019! It's been a great term and I am very proud of the progress and achievements of all our children.

We would like to say a huge well done to those children who took part in the National Young Mathematicians' Competition, this month, with Mrs Thompson - they won the region finals. Please look out in our January Newsletter for more details.

Our Hedgehogs are doing well - there are some adorable photos in this issue! Thank you to Mr and Mrs Richards for taking such good care of them.

I would also like to thank our parent readers for their tireless support, working with children throughout the year. We would not be able to do it without you.

I am so very proud of all of the children for taking part in the wonderful Christmas Productions. Thank you to all those who attended, we managed to raise an amazing £940.33 from your kind donations - half of this will go towards creative projects in school, and the remainder will be split between our two chosen charities, Wessex Cancer Trust and Naomi House Hospice for books.

Your support for the Christmas Fair was tremendous, raising approximately £1600 to support the children in school. We hope to use this money to support the development of our curriculum.

We return to a Whole School enquiry entitled 'One World' - we have attached more information for you to see.

We have Chris Lubbe, Nelson Mandela's former body guard, working with Year 6 on the 14th January 2019. He will be holding an hour's keynote speech for parents from 3:30pm - 4:30pm on the 14th January in the hall (this will not be suitable for young children).

Can I wish you all a very Happy Christmas and I look forward to welcoming you back in the New Year!

Mrs Jones



Rewards



Learner of the Week Friday 2nd November 2018

- Leighton King in Lion Class who has flexed his 'independence' muscle.
- Armaan Alavizadeh in Lemur Class who has flexed his 'perseverance' muscle.
- Cameron Gatehouse in Zebra Class who has flexed his 'perseverance' muscle.
- Ethan Randell in Dolphin Class who flexed his 'questioning' muscle.
- Ziggy Beard in Seahorse Class who has flexed his 'listening' muscle.
- Harry Dashwood in Monkey Class who has flexed his 'independence' muscle.
- Brooke Armstrong in Panda Class who has flexed her 'perseverance' muscle.
- Lara Bailey in Meerkat Class who has flexed her 'perseverance' muscle.
- Leia Ransley in Cheetah Class who has flexed her 'perseverance' muscle.
- Anna Walford in Bushbaby Class who has flexed her 'independence' muscle.
- William Sainsbury in Otter Class who has flexed his 'perseverance' muscle.
- Alex Bound in Orangutan Class who has flexed his 'independence' muscle.
- Lily Phillips in Hawk Class who has flexed her 'absorption' muscle.

Learner of the Week Friday 9th November 2018

- Jessica Whale in Lion Class who has flexed her 'questioning' muscle.
- Imogen Bonwick in Lemur Class who has flexed her 'making links' muscle.
- Blake Wright in Zebra Class who has flexed his 'capitalising' muscle.
- Buddy Ransley in Dolphin Class who flexed his 'collaboration' muscle.
- Khloe-May Stamp in Seahorse Class who has flexed her 'perseverance' muscle.
- Ellie-Nicolle Owens in Monkey Class who has flexed her 'perseverance' muscles.
- Daniel Wax in Wolf Class who have flexed his 'independence' muscle.
- Olivia Van-Gass in Panda Class who has flexed her 'perseverance' muscle.
- Connor Glen in Meerkat Class who has flexed his 'empathy' muscle.
- Elijah Thompson in Cheetah Class who has flexed his 'questioning' muscle.
- Saskia Harvey in Bushbaby Class who has flexed her 'perseverance' muscle.
- Eric Dodden in Otter Class who have flexed his 'perseverance' muscle.
- Jaydan Armstrong in Orangutan Class who has flexed his 'noticing' and 'absorption' muscles.
- Hermione Greenwood in Eagle Class who has flexed her 'independence' muscle.
- Abi Arnell in Hawk Class who has flexed her 'imagination' muscle.



Rewards



Learner of the Week Friday 16th November 2018

- Nathan Long in Lion Class who has flexed his 'independence' muscle.
- Albie Stansall in Lemur Class who has flexed his 'listening' muscle.
- Samuel Whale in Zebra Class who has flexed his 'independence' muscle.
- Thomas Chamberlain in Dolphin Class who flexed his 'perseverance' muscle.
- Jamie Paling in Seahorse Class who has flexed her 'listening' muscle.
- Sophia Liu and Savannah Hinchcliff in Monkey Class who have flexed their 'noticing' muscles.
- Filip Weis in Wolf Class who have flexed his 'absorption' muscle.
- Tawhid Qayumi in Panda Class who has flexed his 'reasoning' muscle.
- Mia Acteson in Meerkat Class who has flexed her 'imagining' muscle.
- Leo Gibbons in Bushbaby Class who has flexed his 'noticing' muscle.
- Charis Parsons in Otter Class who have flexed her 'reasoning' muscle.
- Georgie Cummerson in Orangutan Class who has flexed her 'making links' muscle.
- Samantha Santos D'Ambrosio in Eagle Class who has flexed her 'capitalising' muscle.
- Macie-Marie Goddard in Hawk Class who has flexed her 'noticing' muscle.

Learner of the Week Friday 23rd November 2018

- Erika Miklasz in Bee Class who has flexed her 'independence' muscle.
- Mavey-Rose Bishop in Dragonfly Class who has flexed her 'perseverance' muscle.
- Fraser Ellis in Lion Class who has flexed his 'independence' muscle.
- Amelia Dennis in Lemur Class who has flexed her 'listening' muscle.
- Grace Dennis in Zebra Class who has flexed her 'listening' and 'perseverance' muscles.
- Amelia Wong in Dolphin Class who flexed her 'listening' muscle.
- Lillie Broadbere in Seahorse Class who has flexed her 'independence' muscle.
- Lillie Leon in Monkey Class who has flexed his 'capitalising' muscle.
- Harry Hixon in Wolf Class who have flexed his 'perseverance' muscle.
- Callum Hill in Panda Class who has flexed her 'independence' muscle.
- Malaika Linza in Meerkat Class who has flexed her 'imagining' muscle.
- Paul Winney-Villagrasa in Cheetah Class who has flexed his 'absorption' muscle.
- Alfie Walton in Bushbaby Class who has flexed his 'revising' muscle.
- Maxwell Llewellyn in Otter Class who has flexed his 'noticing', 'listening' and 'managing distraction' muscles.
- James Bainbridge in Eagle Class who has flexed his 'absorption' muscle.
- All children in Year 6 that went on the Calshot residential trip, who flexed their 'collaboration' and 'perseverance' muscles.

Attendance

Lower School Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 19th October 2018

Lemur Class : 100%

Higher School Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 19th October 2018

5LS, Orangutan Class : 98.3%

Lower School Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 2nd November 2018

Seahorse Class and Wolf Class : 100%

Higher School Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 2nd November 2018

4EH, Bushbaby Class : 99.3%

Lower School Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 9th November 2018

Lion Class : 100%

Higher School Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 9th November 2018

4GB, Cheetah Class : 100%

Lower School Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 16th November 2018

Dolphin Class : 99.3%

Higher School Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 16th November 2018

6CT, Eagle Class : 99.4%

Lower School Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 23rd November 2018

Zebra Class and Wolf Class : 99%

Higher School Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 23rd November 2018

4FR, Meerkat Class : 99.7%

Lower School Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 30th November 2018

Seahorse Class : 100%

Higher School Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 30th November 2018

5LS, Orangutan Class : 98.7%

Hedgehog Update!

After finding three hedgehogs on the school field, in need of help, we have been caring for them following expert advice from a rescue centre. We were told not to release the hedgehogs because they were not big enough to survive the cold weather.

So we converted our conservatory into a hedgehog home! Professor Prickles, Iris and Nelson have settled in very well. Our main aim is to get the hogs up to 640g in weight so that they can be released outside to hibernate. They are very noisy eaters and eat up to 2 packets of cat food a day each! They enjoy hiding in their log homes that are filled with warm paper shredding in the day and scuttle about, climbing and building their nests at night time.

We are very pleased to say that Prickles ate so much cat food that she is now 700g!! So Mr Richards spent one Saturday building her a beautiful wooden home in our garden where she now lives. We still feed her everyday but as she is outside there are plenty of slugs and worms to fill her tummy! As soon as she is ready and the weather is cold enough she will hibernate for the winter.

We love having the hedgehogs at home. We have come to know their cheeky characters and can easily tell them apart! Our dog can't really work out what they are quite yet but he would really like to share their cat food with them.

Thank you so much for all your donations so far, any cat meat or biscuits or old newspapers would be very much appreciated, they take a lot of cleaning out!

Mr and Mrs Richards



Year 4 - Fishbourne Roman Palace Trip - Friday 16th November 2018



Year 6 - Calshot Residential Trip



Lots more photos can be found on our school website

My Awesome Day Training as a JRSO

On Friday 2nd November, I attended a JRSO course with Mrs Millard.

First, we had an introduction assembly, and met the head of road safety across Hampshire. After, Julia Shopland, the lead lady for the day sent us to our groups.

My first activity was a quiz about road safety and the environment around our school. Next we made a radio advert with Heart Radio - so exciting!

Lunch was amazing!

Then we played a Snakes and Hazards game, plus learning to fit bike helmets properly.

My last group activity was designing and colouring our own 'Be Bright Be Seen' t-shirts. This was my favourite!

We got a bag with lots of cool road safety items in eg. Glow pegs for bikes, strap ban, pens etc. I also got a proper JRSO badge. It was an awesome day!

By Anna Noyce
(Year 5 JRSO)





Poppy Displays





We would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who gave a kind donation towards NSPCC - £319.86 was raised!

We're pleased to be able to announce that today we heard we are through to the finals of the Aviva Community Fund!

Thank you for all of the support that has helped us to get to this point. We will hear if we get the full award at the end of January.

We're really looking forward to getting started!



Poppy Appeal

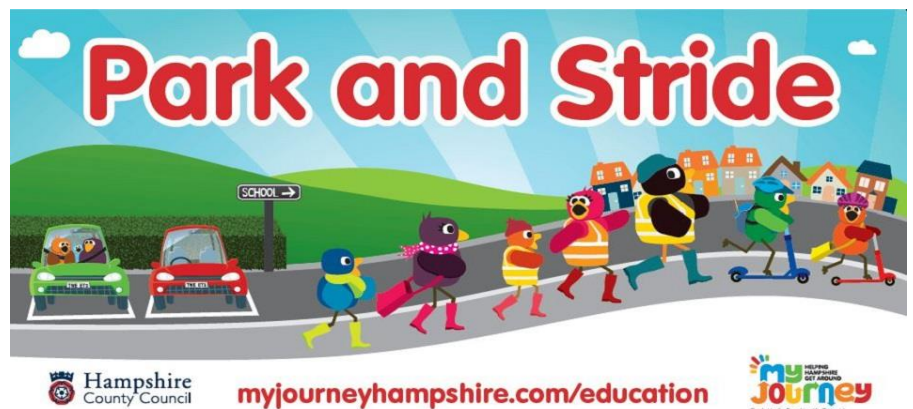
We managed to raised £86.81 for The Royal British Legion - thank you!

Be Bright Be Seen



On Monday 14th January 2019 Hampshire County Council are relaunching the Budgen's Park and Stride.

Parents are welcome to join!



School CLUBS

Letters/ application forms for clubs will be going out very shortly – please keep an eye out on your emails!

Train to Teach with us



The Wildern Partnership SCITT offers an established, outstanding teacher training programme working in partnership with local schools, colleges and universities.

We offer school-based, high quality, cross-phase teacher training which is adapted to your individual needs.

The full-time, one year programme in both primary and secondary commences in September. Successful completion of your training with us will result in Qualified Teacher Status (QTS), along with a Postgraduate Certificate of Education (PGCE) at Masters level.

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Help Us To Help You

Communication

The majority of our communication is via email and text so please keep us updated with your contact information.



*We strive to respond to emails within 5 working days.
Please bear this in mind if you are awaiting a response.*

Coats

Please remember to send children with coats as they go outside whenever possible. Don't forget to put their names inside so they do not get lost!



School Clubs

Please ensure children are collected promptly after school clubs.

Due to several children having severe nut allergies, we have a 'no nuts' policy at Shamblehurst.

If your child is going to be absent from school, please ensure you contact the office, either by phone, absence message or email, to provide us with a reason for absence. Please ensure you contact us each day of absence. Unfortunately, if we do not hear from you and Mrs Curry is unable to contact you, this will result in an unauthorised absence being marked.

If your child is going to be late to school, eg: medical appointment, please let the office know beforehand if your child needs to order a school dinner, otherwise, you will need to provide your child with a lunchbox.

We would like to remind you that school dinners for KS2 have increased to £2.30 per meal.

All dinner money is to be paid for in advance, or on the day of ordering. There should be no outstanding debt, only in an emergency circumstance.

Encouraging Talking

Research has shown that parents are not responsible for children's speech or language difficulties. However parents can make a big difference to their child's language development by changing the way they talk and listen to their child.



Here are some ways you can help:

Slow down: If you slow your own speech down your child will find it easier to keep up. The best way to do this is to leave extra pauses between phrases.

Keep it simple: Use simple words or explain as you go along e.g. 'Astronaut... that means a person who goes into space.'

Keep it short: Less really is more when it comes to language. Lots of children with language difficulties find it hard to remember what they hear. By keeping instructions and talking short your child will find it easier to follow what you are saying.

Choices: Give your child choices to encourage them to use words. Instead of asking 'Do you want juice?' Try asking 'What do you want to drink, juice or milk?'

Expand: Expand what your child says to give him or her a good model,

e.g. child: 'That pig'

adult: 'Yes, we used the pink paper to make the pig...'

Copy back: Try to repeat back your child's sounds, words or actions. This shows him or her that you have understood and encourages him or her to try again.

Provide a good model: If your child makes a mistake give them a good model of what they are trying to say,

e.g. child: 'Him runned fast'

adult: 'Yes, he ran very fast'

Brass Music Tuition



Brass Lessons - Places available for January 2019 for children in Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6.

Learn to play the Cornet, Horn, or Trombone
Instruments available to hire from Hampshire Music Service
(and a limited number of instruments are available to borrow from the school).

Please contact Mrs Davison in the School Office for further details.



Year 3 have been doing the daily mile since the start of the year. If we add the distance together that all the children have run (75 days with a mile a day, and at least 80 children) that's the same distance as Southampton to Japan (just over 6000 miles).

Tesco Bags of Help

We will be in the Tesco bags of help scheme during January and February next year, at the following stores.

Help towards our Farm Project!

Bursledon Towers, Extra, SO31 8GN
Hedge End, Express, SO30 2US
Tanhouse Lane, Express, SO30 2ZS

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