



Nursling C of E Primary School

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Message from the Head



Dear Parents,

Over the past few weeks I have had many meetings with various people and companies to discuss ways to improve various areas around the school.

I am excited to say that we will soon be starting a refurbishment project on the main school corridor. By the end of the half term holiday the whole corridor should have been decorated and re-carpeted. Most of the work will be undertaken during weekends and throughout the half term break but please bear with us as we work hard to improve our learning environment!

Kind regards

Mrs Jearrad

★ Stars of the Week ★

Oak Y6
 Poppy & Lyle
 Rowan Y5
 Mason S & Bailee
 Sycamore Y4
 Paige & Jack
 Holly Y3
 Sam H & Lily
 Willow Y2
 Eloise & Ethan
 Birch Y1
 Luke & Freya

Our Church

We didn't see Reverend Julian for his usual collective worship this week as he is recovering from having an operation on his knee. We all wish him a very speedy recovery!

A Message from our Vicar Reverend Julian

Courage and Responsibility – dealing with frustration

Nehemiah 6:9 (OLD TESTAMENT)

I prayed, "But now, God, make me strong!"

House Points

Mitchell	825
Templeton	880
Watts	1020
Miller	890



Thank you for all your very kind and generous donations of food for the City Mission Basics Bank, we have got quite a collection in our hall now! City Mission will be collecting from us on Monday afternoon so you still have time to donate!

Arrangements for Church - We will be leaving school at 1.20 and walking to St. John's Church, please ensure your child has a coat to wear. Parents/carers are to collect their children at 3p.m. from the Church. Children must be signed out from the teacher. Please note we will be asking the children to leave all bags at school Monday night. Children attending after school clubs/Rascals will be walked back to school by school staff.

Attendance

Oak Y6	96.53%
Rowan Y5	98.41%
Sycamore Y4	94.81%
Holly Y3	96.30%
Willow Y2	94.07%
Birch Y1	100% 
Whole School	96.62%



We do have families who hold the disabled bay blue badge permit for personal reasons. Please can I ask that you are not over-hanging the disabled parking bay or using it without a permit. Many thanks for your cooperation in advance.



Matt and Teresa from Southampton City Mission worked with Class 5 Rowan on Thursday. They spent the day learning about the Creation story from the Bible through games, storytelling and drama. In the afternoon, the children took different days from Genesis and drew their interpretation. They then made a 3D model based upon their drawings.



Diary Dates

Monday 2nd Oct	Harvest Festival at St. John's church 2 – 3p.m. Collect from church
Wednesday 4th Oct	Great British Food Day (Ringwood V Meatballs)
Monday 9th Oct	Stay and Play for KS1 and Chestnuts 2p.m.
Tuesday 10th Oct	Parents Evening 15:30 – 17:30
Wednesday 11th Oct	Parents Evening 16:00 – 19:00
Monday 16th Oct	Individual photos
Thursday 18th Oct	KS2 Challenge afternoon



Safeguarding News

Hampshire Constabulary are running a new initiative called **Operation Encompass** that we have been asked to inform our parents about.

The aim of the initiative is for the police to share information with the school, prior to the next school day, when a child has been exposed to or involved in incident of Domestic Abuse. This disclosure will include risk information affecting the child but not all the information obtained by the police at the incident and shared in confidence with the key adult at the school (Headteacher).

This information is already being shared with school but there are often delays. This new initiative improves the speed of the information sharing to the school to allow early support to be put in place for a child when it may be needed the most. This will support the long term wellbeing of children affected by domestic abuse.

Rock Challenge

As you can appreciate Rock Challenge is a full time commitment and takes many months of planning and dedication. Due to unforeseen circumstances Mrs White is unable to enter Nursling School this year but we do hope to enter again in the future

Issues regarding safety



We really do want to keep our children safe at all times so as a polite reminder, please do not allow your children onto the climbing frame before or after school. It is a piece of equipment that should only be used when supervised by the school staff.

PTA Update

Following on from my meeting this week with Mrs Jearrad, I am excited to announce we have several projects in the pipeline for development over the course of the year and we haven't forgotten about the outdoor musical instruments!

We have a meeting booked for Thursday 12th October at 9.00am and as always we look forward to seeing you there!

Here's to the new school year and collaboration with our new headteacher!

Stephanie Killaspy
Chair of the PTA