



MPS Friday Flyer

Friday 27th Jan 2023

Date	Event /Activity	Details
Mon 30 th Jan BC/ASC bookings open midday today	Year 1 & 3 PE today Street dance club Crumble Coding club	Don't forget your PE kit 3.30 - 4.30 3.30 - 4.30
Tues 31 st Jan	Reception class PE today Woodwind lessons Year 4, 5 & 6 PE today Aspire football club all years Brilliant Bricks	Don't forget your PE kit Don't forget your instruments Don't forget your PE kit 3.30 – 4.30 3.30 - 4.30
Weds 1 st Feb School fully open	Year 1, 2 & 5 PE today Aspire multisport club Rec-Y4 Governors meeting	Don't forget your PE kit 3.30 - 4.30 Health & Safety committee 5pm at school
Thurs 2 nd Feb	Swimming Y5 am Year 3 & 6 PE today Little woods forest schools Y2 Big woods forest schools Y5 RV festival Dance club	Don't forget your kit Don't forget your kit Year 2 group 2 (please wear kit and bring uniform) Year 5 group 1 - (please bring kit in) 3.30 - 4.30 - by invite only
Fri 3 rd Feb	Piano lessons Big woods forest schools Y3 Cross country competition pm Sewing club	Don't forget your music Year 3 group 1 - (please bring kit in) Some chn in Y3/4/5 & 6 involved 3.30 - 4.30 with Miss Hurrion
Mon 6 th Feb	Year 1 & 3 PE today Street dance club Crumble Coding club	Don't forget your PE kit 3.30 - 4.30 3.30 - 4.30 ***LAST ONE***
Tues 7 th Feb Safer internet day	Reception class PE today Woodwind lessons Year 4, 5 & 6 PE today Aspire football club all years Brilliant Bricks Y5/6 Residential meeting	Don't forget your PE kit Don't forget your instruments Don't forget your PE kit 3.30 – 4.30 3.30 - 4.30 6pm in the school hall – children also welcome
Weds 8 th Feb	Year 1, 2 & 5 PE today Aspire multisport club Rec-Y4	Don't forget your PE kit 3.30 - 4.30
Thurs 9 th Feb	Swimming Y5 am Year 3 & 6 PE today Little woods forest schools Y2 Big woods forest schools Y5 RV festival Dance club Governors meeting	Don't forget your kit Don't forget your kit Year 2 group 2 (please wear kit and bring uniform) Year 5 group 1 - (please bring kit in) 3.30 - 4.30 - by invite only Finance committee - 7.20pm at school

Last week update

The weeks are certainly zooming by – I can't believe that in 2 weeks' time it will be half term! I have to say I will not be sad to see the back of January, such a long month with the dark mornings and evenings, although it has been nice to see the evenings at least lightening up a little bit – a glimmer of hope and brighter days to come!

Before I move onto this week I must share last the news about our Year 5 & 6 children who took part in the MRC Quadletics competition last Friday afternoon. This event involved a 600m run, 75m sprint, vortex throw and long jump. I gather the teams worked wonderfully together and offered one another plenty of encouragement. Many children jumped to the 2m mark which left the accompanying adults incredibly envious! Lucas also wowed spectators with his 32.9m vortex throw- amazing! Mrs Bowles and Mrs Alden were super proud of all who competed they worked so hard and did brilliantly! (more pics below)



I had a great start to the week as I was invited by Miss Hurrion to join the Eco warriors' trip to the Ford Materials Recycling Facility first thing Monday morning. It was such a treat to be with children from across the school who were all so interested in looking after our planet, they were full of enthusiasm and knowledge throughout the morning as we learnt about what rubbish we could put in our recycling bins and what could be recycled elsewhere. Things change so quickly and I certainly learnt a thing or two and came away determined to try harder to reduce, reuse and recycle. (See the useful fridge flyer below as a reminder!) The highlight was definitely getting all geared up in Hi-Viz, gloves and hard hats with ear defenders to go inside and watch the sorting

machines in action. It was quite incredible! The children were a joy to be with and their behaviour impeccable – another super proud moment! Thanks to Miss Hurrion for organising the trip AND inviting me along – I loved it!

On Tuesday I happened to pass through the hall when our lovely Reception children were doing PE. They looked SO smart in their PE tops and were working so quietly and carefully on the apparatus that I decided to return to watch and take some pictures to share. (more below) Good job Reception – you were superstars!!

Mrs Bowles had some great news this week when she found out that she had passed the national statutory test to once again moderate work for schools end of key stage 2 writing across West Sussex. These tests are not only terrifying but also incredibly tricky and I know Mrs Bowles was worried that she might not pass this time round. But she did!! We are SO lucky to have Mrs Bowles teaching our Year 6 class with such a high level of expertise, knowledge and bravery – she can certainly empathise with her class sitting SAT's papers!!



Once again I spent Thursday with our Year 5 children as we went swimming in the morning and Forest Schools in the afternoon. It was a fab day – especially the woods - where the children enjoyed playing a game together, whittling, toasting marshmallows, fire lighting and creating clay faces. It's such a tonic spending time outside altogether. (photos below)

**** Breakfast/After school club bookings for NEXT half term****

Please note that BC/ASC booking requests will open on **Monday 30th January at 12pm**. Please send requests for after the half term break to our school bursar Helen Bond by email on – bursar@midhurstprimary.co.uk

Teachers strike

Further information will be sent out by email today – at this moment in time I can share that MPS will be fully open and offering a normal working school day.

**Last week's FAB awards!
Well done everyone!!**





MPS Quadletics team!!!



This is the cross-country squad post muddy training session - they all attacked the mud and showed no fear 😊



Reception PE lesson!





Year 3 are learning about forces this term – last week they investigated how a toy car moves on different surfaces depending on the amount of friction created.



Forest school fun!



What can I put in my recycling bin?

Items should be
Clean, Dry and Loose
Not tied up in plastic bags!

	✓ Yes please	✗ No thanks
 Paper & card	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Junk mail Cereal and egg boxes Newspapers and magazines 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wrapping paper (if scrunchable) Catalogues and directories Coffee cups and lids
 foil	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clean takeaway containers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Foil trays Tin foil
 glass bottles & jars	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wine bottles Beer bottles Perfume bottles 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jam jars Sauce jars
 metal cans & aerosols	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Food cans Drink cans Pet food cans 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Empty aerosols Biscuit and sweet tins
 cartons	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fruit juice cartons (lids on) Custard cartons 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Soup cartons Milk cartons
 plastic bottles & containers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Milk/drinks bottles (lids on) Bathroom/laundry bottles and tubs Moulded plastic packaging 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Food, fruit and ready meal pots, tubs and trays Plastic container lids
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Shredded paper Paper towels Tissues Polystyrene cups
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pet food pouches Food pouches Crisp packets
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pyrex[®] Drinking glasses and crockery
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cables Batteries Electrical items
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plastic bags and film Plant pots and seed trays Polystyrene

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Contact 01243 642106 for more information & advice
or visit www.westsussex.gov.uk/recycling

 West Sussex
recycles




WEST SUSSEX
WASTE PARTNERSHIP

Myla and Emilia

School council competition!

Competition Time

Build a bird house!

Enjoy -

Bird house
Deadline:
Monday 20th February

Get Creative!

have FUN

Do your best!

Prizes to be won!



Amazing Atlantis

HALF TERM

BRILLIANT BRICKS
ACTIVITY CLUB

THURSDAY
16TH FEBRUARY 2023
10:30-12:30

OLD LIBRARY, MIDHURST

£12.50 PER CHILD
AGE 5 +

Drop your kids off for
2 hours of
Lego building fun!



Book at
www.brilliantbricks.co.uk

Aspire Coaching Limited February Half Term Holiday Sports Courses 2023

- All courses run 9am to 3pm
- Free drop off from 8:45am and free pick up by 3:15pm
- Half day options available 9am to 12pm
- Multiple Day Discounts
- Sibling Discounts
- Prizes and competitions
- Children need a **NUT-FREE** packed lunch, mid-morning snack, refillable drinks bottle, suitable clothing/protection for the time of year
- Bookings can be made at www.aspirecoaching.org.uk
- For further information email Nigel info@aspirecoaching.org.uk

Dates	Activity	Location	Ages
Mon 13 th to Wed 15 th Feb	Multi-Sports	Buriton Village Hall & Recreation Ground	5 - 11
Mon 13 th to Wed 15 th Feb	Multi-Sports	Easebourne Primary School	5 - 11
Thurs 16 th to Fri 17 th Feb	Football	The Petersfield School AstroTurf, Petersfield	5 – 13



PANCAKE DAY

Friday 24th February 2023

Book online and view the full menu at

www.Mealselector.co.uk



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Community Day

Saturday 22 April 2023



Inviting businesses, agencies and groups to join our event to demonstrate what our local community offers

If you are: locally produced - locally grown
eco-friendly - sustainable - renewable
recycled or recyclable

Why not come and join us?

We want you!!



**ALL STAND &
EXHIBITION SPACE**

10am - 2pm

FREE OF CHARGE

For more information email: madeline.hathaway@mrc-academy.org
or contact the College Office on: **01730 812451**

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Chichester
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CHILDREN'S HALF-TERM EVENT

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THE BOX

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favourite
things!

At Chichester
Canal Café



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