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# FRIDAY FLYER

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Welcome to another Friday Flyer packed full of celebration and success. I have spoken many times on the importance of us working together and the school already benefits greatly from developing well planned, active parental and community links through participation by adults in the activities of the school on a voluntary basis but we need your help!

We believe that volunteers are a welcome resource for helping to raise children's achievement by supporting the work of teaching staff in delivering the curriculum to all pupils. Volunteers bring with them a range of skills and experience which can enhance the learning opportunities of all children at Midhurst CofE Primary School without encroaching on the professional teaching responsibilities of the class teacher.

The types of activities in which volunteers may be engaged in could include any of the following:

- Hearing children read
- Working with small groups of children
- Working with groups of children in our amazing Early Years setting
- Working alongside individual children
- Undertaking art and craft activities with small groups of children
- Working with children on computers
- Preparing resources for a future lesson
- Accompanying school visits
- Escorting children on local walks
- Running or assisting with an after-school club
- Social activities such as running a disco
- Fund raising activities such as running a cake stall or Summer Fayre

- **Forest Schools** - after half term we start our Forest School sessions in our big woods with KS2 starting with year 6. We are looking for volunteers to help with this. The sessions run on a Thursday and Friday afternoon so if this is something you are interested in please let the school office know. Any help would be much appreciated.

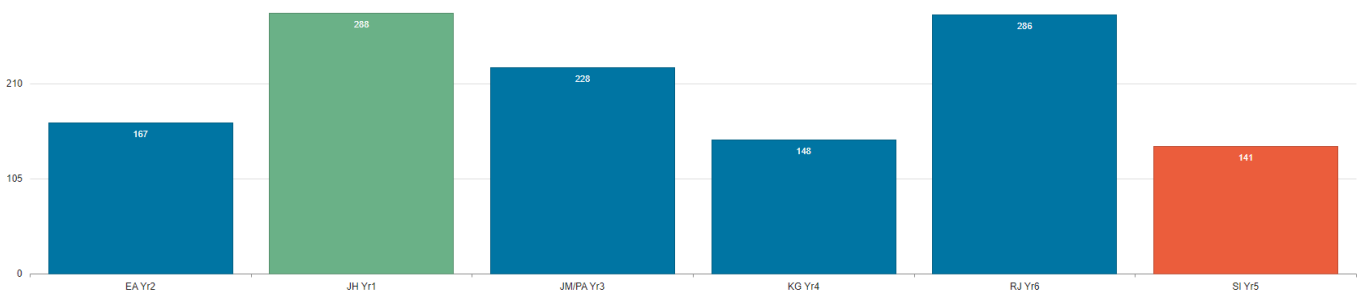
If you wish to volunteer for any of these activities or have any skills that you feel might benefit the school other than those on the list please drop in and talk to us, or send us an email. We need your help.

With every best wish!

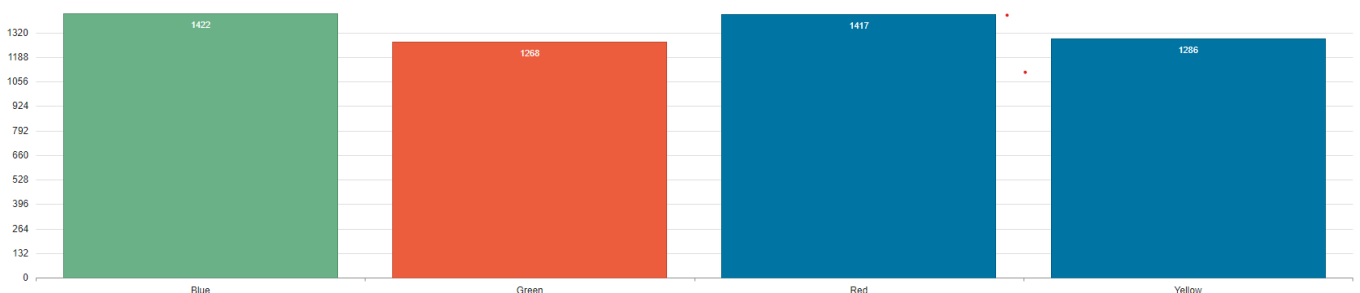
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## REWARD POINTS

And congratulations to Year 1, Mrs Hurrion’s class, for gaining the most Reward Points this week with 288 points. Go Year 1!



Congratulations also to Green House who are currently in the lead with 1422 points – just taking the lead from Red House!



## YEAR 1



In Science, we explored materials that have been used in the production of old and new cars.

Year 1 used their knowledge of cars and materials to explain why materials were suitable for different parts of a car.

They used a variety of materials and match them to part of a vehicle. Some great conversations took place.

## SCHOOL PHOTOS – FRIDAY 13<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER

Yellow will be in school on Friday to take individual photos of all children at Midhurst Primary School. Please make sure your child is wearing school uniform.

## EVACUATION PROPOGANDA

Year 5 have been working on the first events of WWII and started looking at propaganda and evacuation. After studying several posters and their messages we recreated some of our own - we had great fun!



## TEXTILE RECYCLING COLLECTION – 30<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER

If you are having a clear out of summer clothes, please don't forget to save all your unwanted textiles. We are always happy to receive them and will store them until our next recycling event on the 30<sup>th</sup> November. See poster below for more information.

### AND FINALLY, ...

Breakfast/After School Club bookings open Monday 9<sup>th</sup> October for NEXT half term. Please note that BC/ASC booking requests will open on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> October at 12pm. You can send requests for after the half term break to our school bursar Helen Bond by email on – [bursar@midhurstprimary.co.uk](mailto:bursar@midhurstprimary.co.uk)

### DATES FOR THE DIARY

Date	Event /Activity	Details
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Years 1 & 3 PE today Open Afternoon/Evening 1.30pm - 6.30pm Dance club (Street)	Don't forget your PE kit School open for new intake 2024 3.30 - 4.30pm
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Years 2, 4, 5 & 6 PE today Aspire football club	Don't forget your PE kit 3.30 - 4.30pm
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Year 1 & 2 PE today Year 6 Football at Conifers	Don't forget your PE kit Kit will be provided
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Years 3 & 6 PE today Year 4 Football at Conifers Dance club (Dynamic)	Don't forget your PE kit Kit will be provided 3.30 - 4.30pm
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Year 4 & 5 PE today  School Photos  Year 5/6 Football at MRC	Don't forget your PE kit  Smart uniform please  Kit will be provided – more info to follow
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Years 1 & 3 PE today Dance club (Street)	Don't forget your PE kit 3.30 - 4.30pm
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Years 2, 4, 5 & 6 PE today Aspire football club	Don't forget your PE kit 3.30 - 4.30pm
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Year 1 & 2 PE today	Don't forget your PE kit

	Year 5 Girls Football at Conifers	Kit will be provided – more info to follow
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Years 3 & 6 PE today Year 4 Girls Football at Conifers Friendship tea Dance club (Dynamic)	Don't forget your PE kit  Kit will be provided – more info to follow  3.15 - 5pm – some Yr6 children involved.  3.30 - 4.30pm
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Year 4 & 5 PE today  PTA Neon Disco £2 entry see poster below	Don't forget your PE kit  KS1 – 5.30 - 6.30pm  KS2 – 6.45 - 8pm
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> – Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> Oct	HALF TERM BREAK	SCHOOL CLOSED
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup>	INSET DAY	SCHOOL CLOSED



Apply online at:  
[westsussex.gov.uk/admissions](https://westsussex.gov.uk/admissions)



# Was your child born between 1 September 2019 and 31 August 2020?

If so they are eligible to start school  
in September 2024

## Apply online!

It's simple, convenient and time-saving.  
If your application is received after the deadline,  
your chance of securing a place at one of your  
preference schools could be seriously affected.

You can apply online from  
**Monday 2 October 2023.**  
If you would like further advice or  
information, phone: **03330 142 903.**

**Deadline: Monday 15 January 2024**

Free internet access to apply online is available at all West Sussex libraries.



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MIDHURST C OF E  
PRIMARY SCHOOL



## Reception Open Afternoon/Evening

Come and see what we offer at Midhurst Primary School

Monday 9<sup>th</sup> October 2023 1.30pm- 6.30pm

Reception places available  
for September 2024

[office@midhurstprimary.co.uk](mailto:office@midhurstprimary.co.uk)

Tel: 01730 813526





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GLOW TATTOO'S

MPS PTA  
PRESENTS

NEON FACEPAINTS

# NEON DISCO

GAMES

LUCKY DIP

CANDY FLOSS

OCTOBER 20TH

KS1 - 5:30 - 6:30PM

KS2 - 6:45 - 8:00PM

£2 ENTRANCE -  
INCLUDES DRINK AND A  
CUPCAKE

SWEETS AND  
CRISPS



# Raise funds by collecting reusable clothes



**WE ACCEPT CLEAN,  
GOOD QUALITY, DRY,  
REUSABLE CLOTHING**

- Adults, Childrens & Babies Clothing
- Jewellery and Accessories
- Paired Shoes and Footwear
- Belts and Handbags

A full list of reusable items is listed on our website  
[www.rags2riches4schools.co.uk](http://www.rags2riches4schools.co.uk)

## **WE DO NOT ACCEPT**

**POOR QUALITY ITEMS SUCH AS  
DIRTY, WET, RIPPED OR SOILED  
CLOTHES.  
PILLOWS, DUVETS, CURTAINS,  
BOOKS CDs OR ANY UNIFORM**

If you are unsure what to put in the bags

**STOP AND THINK  
WOULD YOU WEAR IT?**

Please use the clothing bag provided.  
You can also use any additional bag if required.

Collection Date:



**Please remember - NO UNIFORM**



MRC Parents Presents

# FIREWORKS NIGHT

## 2023



Tickets on  
Eventbrite

Search for MRC  
PARENTS

Friday 3rd  
November

Gates open 6.00pm



- Hot food & snacks
- Licensed Bar
- Raffle to start the display
- No parking onsite (disabled parking available if booked)



**ADMISSION**

Family of 4 - £20/£16 adv

Adult - £7/£6 adv

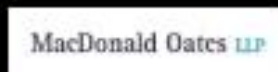
Child - £4/£3.50 adv

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**Midhurst Rother College**

North Street, Midhurst



# Autumn

**S A L E**

**Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> October**  
**10am-12pm**

**50p entry**  
**per adult**

**Children's clothes**  
**Toys, games, puzzles &**  
**books**

**Refreshments**  
**available**

**Lamberts Lane. Midhurst**







The Sussex Charity for Children  
Since 1890

# Midhurst Activity Day



Midhurst Methodist Church, 65 North St,  
Midhurst GU29 9DU

Please wear a mask in  
the church hall



Lots of great activities for everyone and a  
separate mother and baby area

Parents must remain with Children



Arts and crafts and lots more!

Please ensure you have a  
negative COVID-19  
lateral flow test before attending

Monday 2nd August  
10.00 - 13.00



To book a place contact Kirsty Hewitt on:  
07541 207 057 or [kirsty@familysupportwork.org.uk](mailto:kirsty@familysupportwork.org.uk)

CHICHESTER DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION FOR FAMILY SUPPORT WORK  
CHARITY NO 285337 A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE REGISTERED  
NO 1648903 REGISTERED  
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West Sussex Young People's Service



# October Half Term Programme 2023

## Bookings now open!

Our school holidays programme has been designed specifically for young people under 18 on the neurodevelopmental pathway (including but not exclusive to SEMH, ASC, ADHD).



"Thank you- S has had a great time. I actually can't believe I spent those hours worrying for him to say can I go again please!" Mum to Young Person aged 8

"I can't stress how much she enjoys what she does do when she comes to the different activities. I just wanted to send an email to say how much we appreciate your efforts in what you do" Mum to Young Person aged 16



To book a place please scan the QR code or visit <http://wsxshortbreaks.aspens.org.uk>

Locations Include: Shoreham, Chichester, Angmering, Haywards Heath and Crawley

aspens.org.uk

Charity no: 1171446



## Petworth Festival Literary Week brings family events to this year's West Sussex Literary Festival line-up



### Joseph Coelho - Poetry Prompt

11:00am, Saturday 28 October at Leconfield Hall, Petworth

We are thrilled to welcome the Waterstones Children's Laureate for 2022-2024 Joseph Coelho to the festival, his Sunday morning interactive session being fully family-orientated and for children of 6 and upwards. A 100% must for anyone who has taken part in the festival's in-school poetry sessions of recent years.

[Click for tickets](#) - Adults £8 / 18 & under £5



### Andrew Pettie - The What on Earth! Family Quiz

2:00pm, Saturday 28 October at Leconfield Hall, Petworth

How many planets in our solar system would fit between Earth and the Moon? How many cups of snot does your body make in a day? And how many people are flying up in the sky at this very moment? All of these questions and more will be answered during this fun and fascinating family quiz. Your host is Andrew Pettie, editor of *What on Earth! Magazine*, the UK's fastest-growing children's magazine. [Click for tickets](#) - Adults £8 / 18 & under £5



### Lucy Reynolds - We are Family (Children's event)

10:30am, Thursday 2 November at Leconfield Hall, Petworth

There are billions of creatures on this earth, but there is only one YOU! Join children's author, Lucy Reynolds, for a fun, interactive workshop celebrating the many ways young grow up on this wild, wonderful planet. Perfect for ages 4+ but all very welcome.

[Click for tickets](#) - Adults £6 / 18 & under £5

Petworth Festival Literary Week - 25 October to 5 November 2023

[Full line up here](#)

[www.petworthfestival.org.uk](http://www.petworthfestival.org.uk)

Tel: 01798 344576





# West Sussex Young People's Service



## October Half Term Programme 2023

Sunday 22nd	Goodwood Forest Adventures Family Day	Chichester
Monday 23rd-24th	The Empower Programme Sensory and Emotion Regulation 12+	Crawley
Monday 23rd	School Holiday Club 8+	Felpham
Tuesday 24th	School Holiday Club 8+	Haywards Health
Wednesday 25th-26th	The Empower Programme Sensory and Emotion Regulation 12+	Chichester
Wednesday 25th	Teenz Trip 14+ Out of Bounds, Rustington	Rustington
Thursday 26th	School Holiday Club 8+	Shoreham
Friday 27th	Sussex Forest Activities Dappers Lane, Angmering	Angmering
Friday 27th	Arun Youth Club 14+ Felpham Methodist Church	Felpham

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