

## FRIDAY FLYER

I can hardly believe that another academic year has come to an end, and I am so happy to say that it has been a year of wonderful learning, celebrations and growth for all our children with each and every child now ready to embark on the next step of their academic journey.

There are always mixed emotions at this time of year as we say goodbyes to both children and staff who are beginning new adventures. To all our amazing Year 6 pupils, I wish them every happiness and success at secondary school; they have so much to be proud of and have so many golden memories to reflect on of their Midhurst years and I for one, will miss them all.

We are also saying goodbye to a number of staff, some of whom have been at Midhurst for many years. I would like to express my gratitude to Mrs Mansell and Mme Byers. Mrs Mansell, affectionately known as Denise by us all, has been with us for 17 years as Midday Meal Supervisor. During that time, she has shown endless care and affection to our children and staff. Mme Byers has been teaching our children French for 10 years now. I thank both Denise and Mme Byers for their hard work and commitment to our children and the wider school and I am sure you will join me in wishing them the best for their futures. We welcome Mrs Robery as part of our Midday Supervisor Team.

I would also like to express my thanks to our Midhurst PTA for all the fabulous events they have organised and for the money they have raised for the school. I am hugely grateful for all that they do to provide extra opportunities for all our children.

I know that you all agree that we should give a huge thank you to our staff. We have an amazing group of staff, highly committed and definitely all wanting the best for your children and each other. They have all worked so hard this year and I am sure you will want to thank them as I do for everything that they have done throughout the year. Without them, Midhurst would not be the very special place that it is.

I am so proud of the learning journey our children have made this year. Our school is built on the key values of friendship, peace, kindness, forgiveness, respect and creativity all of which ensure that our children have the knowledge and skills needed in their learning journeys; broaden their horizons; excite them and light the spark of learning and support and evolve their personal development

My final thanks go to you, our parents and carers. Thank you to you all for working with us to provide the very best start in life we can for our children.

I wish you all a wonderful summer break and I look forward to welcoming you all back in September.

With every best wish

Mark

#### **SAFEGUARDING**

Should you have any urgent safeguarding concerns over the summer period, please contact me by email on <a href="migreto-migret

#### YEAR 6 LEAVERS' ASSEMBLY

We would like to invite all parents and carers of Year 6 Leavers to their final assembly this coming Tuesday at 2.30pm.

#### **NON-UNIFORM DAY**

Following a request from our Year 6 leavers, the last day of term – Tuesday – will be a non-uniform day.

#### **COFFEE AND CROISSANT**

Following the success of our childhood anxiety course earlier this year and the request by parents for more opportunities to talk to other parents and share the daily struggles of parenting, we are delighted to launch our 'Coffee and Croissant' morning. This is an informal drop in half termly to chat to other parents, talk to the SENCO and ask any questions you may have. We look forward to welcoming you to our first event on Friday 6th September 9am-10am. We look forward to seeing you there. *Mrs Chance* 

#### OAK CLASS ENJOYING THEIR LAST FOREST SCHOOL SESSION





And here are the Forest School tidy up team who worked incredibly hard and collected 4 bags of rubbish from the site. They were amazing!





#### **HAZEL CLASS GYM SKILLS**

Hazel Class had the opportunity to show off some of the gymnastics skills they have learnt this year - there was some amazing vaulting, climbing, balancing and jumping.









**YEAR 6 LEAVERS SERVICE** 









#### YEAR 6 LEAVERS CAMP AT STEDHAM







#### **BEECH CLASS GET CODING!**

Beech Class have been strengthening their coding knowledge by using micro bits. They have coded an emotions badge, by showing different pictures on the LED display when they press the A or B button, shake the micro-bit or talk to it. The children were very creative. Different emotions were explored and how they could be used in the classroom.





**CANINE PARTNERS - A HUGE THANK YOU!** 



With your help, we were able to raise the amazing total of £167.70 for the Canine Partners charity during our recent non-uniform day.

Thank you for your amazing support!

#### **PUNGENT PINE CLASS**

Pine Class enjoyed an Ancient Greek food tasting feast! Pitta, Tzatziki, Greek Yoghurt and Honey and Flat breads were a real hit. Taramasalata a bit less so! We had a lovely time evaluating the smells and tastes of the different foods. A favourite word being 'pungent'! Some children even enjoyed olives!

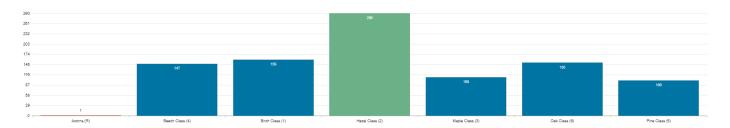


#### **SPORTS DAY 2024**

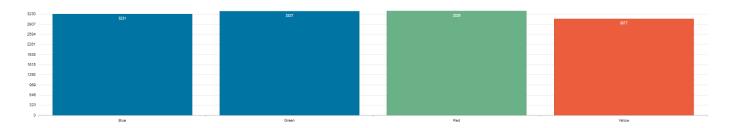


#### **BEHAVIOUR POINTS**

Congratulations to Hazel Class for gaining the most Reward Points this week with 290 points. Well done Hazel Class!



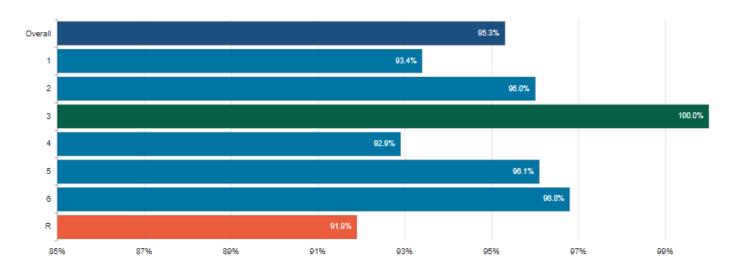
Arun House have just taken the lead this week with 3328 pts closely followed by Rother House on 3327. With only point in it, there's still everything to play for.



The final totals for the year will be announced in Leavers' Assembly on Tuesday morning.

#### **WEEKLY ATTENDANCE**

This week's overall attendance is 95.3%, just .3% above our target of 95%,



#### THIS WEEK'S ATTENDANCE CHAMPION

Congratulations to Maple Class, this week's attendance champions with 100%

#### **PRIZE GIVING 2024**



Midhurst CofE Primary School Sports Award (Girls)
Libby Porter

Midhurst CofE Primary School Sports Award (Boys)

**Sunny Capes** 

Midhurst CofE Primary Community Award (Girls)
Sienna Olkinuora

Midhurst CofE Primary Community Award (Boys)

Barnaby Oliver

Midhurst CofE Primary Determination Award (Girls)

Robyn Munday

Midhurst CofE Primary Determination Award (Boys)

Jayden Lawson

The Henry Adams Trophy for Embodiment of the School Values

Anhelina Krasnozhon

#### **DIARY DATES**

Date	Event/Activity	Details
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Whole school beach	Letter already out – please send back slip ASAP so we can
	trip	organise adults
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Last day of Summer	No hot dinners – picnic lunch for all years. School ends at
	term	3.25pm as normal
	Non-Uniform Day	
	2.30am Leavers	
	Assembly – Year 6	
	Parents and Carers	
	only (School Hall)	
	Have a fantastic break!	

#### SUMMER HOLIDAYS - Wednesday 24th July - Friday 30th August.

Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September	Staff INSET day	School closed to children
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	First day of Autumn	School open – please bring your children in!
September	term	Please come in PE kit
	Years 1, 2 & 3 PE today	
Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup>	Year 4, 5 & 6 PE today	Please come in PE kit
September		
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup>	Years 1 & 6 PE today	Please come in PE kit
September		
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup>	Years 3 & 5 PE today	Please come in PE kit
September		



July 27th

### The Cross Stage 11am-8pm

11am - Will

12.30pm - Cristian Herrera

2pm - Stewart Taylor

3.30pm - Dean Dyson

5pm - Jack Boyd











### Town Square Stage Midday-8pm

Midday to 4pm
- Jam Cafe presents
- Kids Musical Activities



- Sing along workshop with Sarah

- Making music worshop

-Percussion Workshop

 With live performances from Creative Beats Young People

4.30pm - Archie Ray 6pm - Petrol Money Kids Craft Area 12 to 4pm

Hair braiding and festival crafts (make your own swords and shields, fairy wings, twirlers or crowns)



+ Craft ale popups from
The Escapist
and The Little
Monster Tap,
food trucks,
funky clothing,
vinyl, Künst
Gallery popup,
local
independent
artist art popup plus much
more!





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## MACMILLAN CANCER SUPPORT

In September 2024, I am taking on a 13 mile Mighty Hike along the stunning Dorset Coast to raise vital funds for people living with cancer.

I have pledged to raise £250 and would appreciate any support in reaching this. By fundraising my pledge, I could pay for a Macmillan Support Worker for two days who could provide emotional, practical and financial advice to someone affected by cancer.

If you would like to donate anything to Macmillan please use the QR code below which will take you to my just giving page. Thank you for your support, Jess Channon







## SUMMER FUN

### AT PETERSFIELD OPEN AIR POOL

Swimming is a healthy and fun activity for all ages and the open air swimming pool is a family friendly, charity-run, pool in the heart of Petersfield town centre.

Open seven days a week from spring until autumn, the 25 metre open air pool is heated to 27 degrees throughout the summer. With a poolside cafe, plentiful seating, and refurbished toilets, showers and changing areas, the pool provides a warm welcome for children and families.

#### Swimming lessons

Feeling confident and comfortable in the water can boost your children's self-esteem. Whether you're planning a staycation at our pool or a holiday overseas, our school haliday swimming lessons will give your children the confidence to swim unaided. We offer group sessions or private tuition for children of all abilities from school year R upwards.

#### Giant inflatables

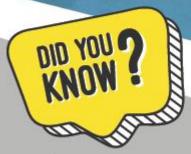
Putting the fun into summer, our inflatable, floating, assault course is a great way for kids to gain confidence in the water, whilst having fun and burning off excess energy! These sessions are strictly kids only (age 5-15). Our giant inflatable is huge, fun but slippy less confident swimmers must wear a lifejacket and we loan these free of charge.

#### Rash vests for the cool kids!

Rash vests provide protection from harmful UV rays. Even on the sunniest days children who wear these stretchy polyester tops won't need sunscreen under the vest, which helps keep our pool water crystal clear.

Rash vests are an essential piece of gear for anyone spending time in or near water. We have a selection in kids sizes we loan at no charge, but regular swimmers may prefer to express their personal style with their own rash vest.





WE'RE RIGHT IN THE TOWN
CENTRE IN HEATH ROAD CAR
PARK NEAR THE FESTIVAL HALL!

Petersfield Open Air Swimming Pool is a charitable incorporated organisation (charity number 1195755).

## NEW FOR 2024! Kids' summer passes

This year we are launching a special kids' summer pass, which offers access to all general swimming and giant inflatable sessions for children aged under 16 for just £70. The pass is valid for six weeks, from Saturday 20 July until Sunday 1 September, and makes it affordable for your kids to drop into the pool as often as you want.

From the age of ten young swimmers can come to swim under the supervision of our life guards without an adult. Eight and nine year olds can swim without an adult in the pool, but do need an adult to be onsite don't forget we have a poolside cafe and free WiFi on site.

Teaming up the kids' summer pass with our adult's monthly membership or 10-swim pass makes it easier to budget for the whole family to spend their summer at the pool.



#### Party at the pool

Our pool is the perfect party venue. With a capacity of up to 150 people (85 in the pool) we can help you make your celebration memorable.

You can book exclusive use of the pool for two or three hours on a Friday, Saturday or Sunday evening. You can even add our giant inflatable assault course or BBQ hire to your party as an added extra throughout the summer!

As a special offer for local schools and uniform groups we also have term-time daytime bookings for class or year group end of term parties or swimming galas at the pool!

#### It's not all about the kids ...

We pride ourselves on being family friendly, but we also offer time and space for adults to unwind and relax. Whether it's our Wednesday Twilight Swims and Swim & Supper sessions, poolside Wildnest yoga, Adult Swim Club or evening Aqua-aerobics there's something for everyone at the open air pool.

Visit our website to see all sessions and times. We recommend booking online in advance to avoid the queue as the pool can get busy in the summer.



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SCAN FOR MORE INFORMATION & TO BOOK LESSONS ONLINE



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### Private Swimming Tuition for Children and Adults

1:1 x 3 DAY
INTENSIVE SWIMMING HUBS

NORTHCHAPEL PRIMARY SCHOOL

August

Tues 6<sup>th</sup>/Weds 7<sup>th</sup>/Thurs 8<sup>th</sup> FULL Mon 12<sup>th</sup>/Weds 13<sup>th</sup>/Thurs 14<sup>th</sup> - Afternoon availability Tues 20<sup>th</sup>/Weds 21<sup>st</sup>/Thurs 22<sup>nd</sup> - Afternoon availability

> NEW DATES ADDED! Weds 28th/Thurs 29th/Fri 30<sup>th</sup>

> > Family friendly
> > Tailored to you
> > Convenient
> > Rapid results
> > Water safety first
> > Holiday ready!

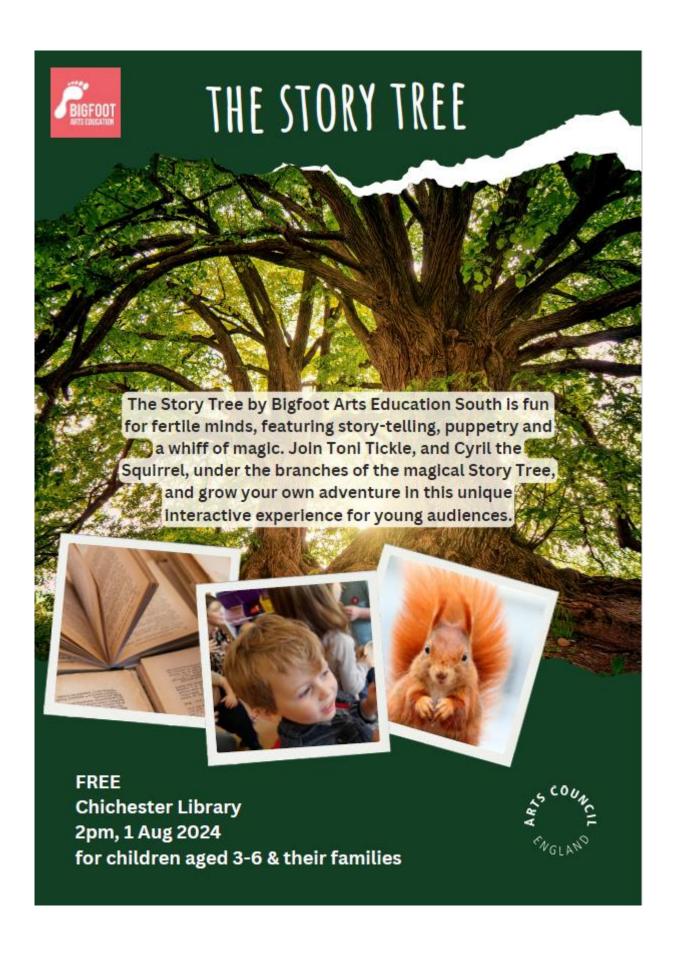
Book Your Slot Now!



Get in touch for more information and to book your slot!

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4 DAY MATHS WORKSHOP

# BE YEAR 7 READY!

BOOST YOUR CHILD'S MATHS SKILLS BEFORE THE START OF SENIOR SCHOOL

AUGUST 27TH - 30TH

TUESDAY 3.30 - 4.30
WEDNESDAY 9.30 - 10.30
THURSDAY 3.30 - 4.30

FRIDAY 9.30 - 10.30

\*Fun and friendly group

\*Bespoke teaching for all abilities

\*Specialist Maths tutor with 15 years
experience in both the State and
Independent exam systems

\*£99 per child for all 4 days

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