



# Newsletter

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11<sup>th</sup> May 2018

## Governors

We are currently looking for a new school Governor. Our school governors play a vital role in school and we literally cannot run the school without them and the time they give.

There are a few different roles Governors do in school. One of them is coming to six meetings a year after school, there is also a bit of reading of school information to prepare for those meetings. Another of the jobs governors do is to link up with staff and find out what they are doing and how their job is making a difference for the children. Some governors come into school to do this a couple of times a year and some governors do this by email. The Governors use this information to help them support the school and also to challenge us as a school to continue to do better.

Our current governors are a great team and any new member would get a lot of support. There are no skills that are necessary, you do not need to have any knowledge of how schools run, just a desire to help us as a school to do the very best for each and every child.

If you are interested in the role, or you know someone who is, like a grandparent or someone at your place of work please either talk to your child's class teacher or come to the school office and let us know. If you would like to know more about the role then please speak to one of our current governors or to Mr Greenhalgh.

## Mrs Brown

We are delighted to be able to announce that Mrs Brown is expecting her second baby. All the staff at school are very pleased and it was probably the worst kept secret in school for a few weeks!

Mrs Brown will not be going off on maternity leave until part way through next academic year so there will be no disruption to Penguin class.

We know you will join us in wishing Mrs Brown and her husband all the very best.

## Upcoming Events

### 18 May 2018

Royal Wedding Picnic Lunch

### 24 May 2018

3.15pm End of term

### 4 June 2018

8.45am Start of term

### 6 June 2018

Elephant Class Hogmoor Inclosure

### 7 June 2018

Giraffe Class Hogmoor Inclosure

### 8 June 2018

Year 1 Southsea Trip

### 11-15 June 2018

Phonics Week

### 15 June 2018

11.45-1pm Father's Day Lunch

### 2 July 2018

Reports out

### 2-6 July 2018

British Values Week

### 4 July 2018

4-7pm Parents Evening

### 5 July 2018

3.30-5.30pm Parents Evening

### 6 July 2018

Move up day

### 13 July 2018

9.30am-12pm Sports Day

### 17 July 2018

Year R Alice Holt trip

### 18 July 2018

Year 1 Medieval WOW Day

### 19 July 2018

9.10-10.30am Year 2 Graduation Assembly

5-7pm Year 2 Disco

### 20 July 2018

3.15pm End of term

### 5 September 2018

8.45am Term Starts

## New Report Format

This year we are trialling a new report format. A child's end of year report lets parents know how their child has done in comparison to National benchmarks as well as capturing a little bit of what they are like at school, their likes and dislikes, their attitude in class and their friendships.

Teachers and parents have commented for a few years that as nice as the reports are parents get much more information about their child during parents evening and talking to the teacher than they do in the reports.

This year we will put all the information about how your child has done in each subject area, as well as the children's own thoughts about those subjects into the reports. Instead of teachers comments we will instead have two additional parent's evenings for you to talk through that report with your child's class teacher. Those evenings will be the 4<sup>th</sup> and the 5<sup>th</sup> of July.



### Stars of the Week

4<sup>th</sup> May

Jared Tabafa  
Charlie Halling  
Libby Coombes  
Nathan Cajudo  
Archie Hadjicostas  
Owen Harris

11<sup>th</sup> May

Isla Bowler  
Abbey Pennington  
Jamie Rowe  
Jay Thackray  
Ryan Booth  
Albey Smith



### Royal Wedding Picnic Lunch

**Don't forget our Royal Wedding Picnic next Friday, 11:45 to 1:15.**

**Families are welcome to join us on the school field and eat with their child.**

**In case of bad weather we will have the picnic in class and we will ensure that siblings can eat in the same class so you can all be together.**

## Bird World Tickets

Our Bird world tickets are going very fast. We have one family ticket (three children and two adults) for each day of the year.

If you would like a ticket please come and speak to us in the school office.

Bring a pot of bubbles, and bring a smile because...

**We're**  
Blowing bubbles on one leg!



**WORLD RECORD ATTEMPT!**

**10am Saturday 26th May**  
At the Hogmoor Inclosure  
Hogmoor Rd, Whitehill, Bordon GU35 0FJ

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