

Woodcroft Primary School/ Newsletter

Friday 17th November 2023

Remembrance Day

Last week we talked about Remembrance Day and what it represents. Our children created art work which was proudly displayed in Asda Waterlooville. Our Year 2 children learnt that there are 4 different colours of poppies, each having a different meaning. Do you know what the 4 colours are and what they mean? Also several of our children took part in remembrance parades as part of groups such as Brownies, Beavers and Cubs.



Children in Need

On Thursday we were very excited to welcome Pudsey to our Children in Need celebrations. He surprised the children in Breakfast Club and they coloured in pictures of Pudsey which again are on display in Asda. We are always pleased to support this worthy cause and your generosity will be much appreciated.

A big thank you to Jacqui Benham from Asda who organised Pudsey's visit.

We raised £139.00.



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Illness

We understand at this time of year that unfortunately children will be ill.

If your child has a cough or cold they should still come to school.

However, if they have a high temperature and are unwell then please keep them at home.



Warm clothing

As the days are getting colder please can children bring a coat to school.

They are welcome to bring in hats and gloves but please can all clothing be clearly labelled with your child's name.



Well done to this weeks attendance winners



Zebras
With 98%



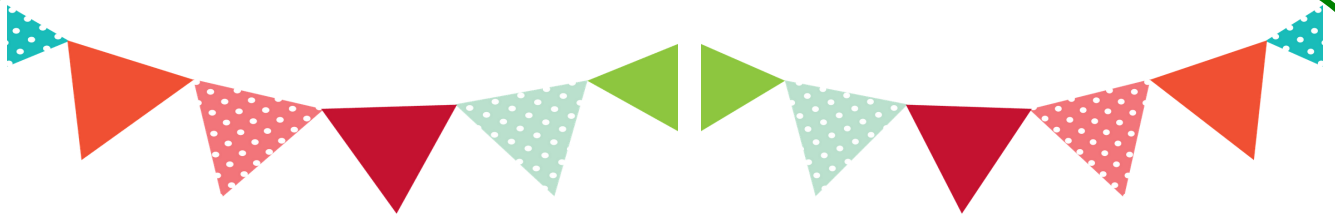
**They get to have Magnum the attendance alpaca in class
next week!**

The school site

We have had a number of complaints from parents about scooters and bikes. Please can we ask that both children and adults do not ride scooters and bikes anywhere on the school grounds.

Please can we also ask that when waiting to come into the school grounds, you do not smoke or vape directly outside the school gates. Please be considerate to others.

Thank you for your support with these matters.



Coffee Morning

Thursday 23rd November

8:45am - 9:30am

In the Den

Pop in for refreshments



Inset days 2023/2024

Thursday 2nd May

Monday 22nd July

Tuesday 23rd July



Stars of the Week!



Hedgehogs

Elijah

Year 1 Owls

Ariana

Year 2 Zebras

Austin

Year 3 Tigers

Alex

Year 4 Lions

Danny

Year 5 Giraffes

Lettie

Year 6 Gorillas

Alice



Headteacher awards!

Neveah	Alex
Riley	Oliver
Ronnie	Freddie
Ivy	Sami
Marlayah	Elliott
Mehmet	Arnie-George
Oscar-Paul	Ashley
Cristian	Ralphie
Lola	Finlee

Please ensure your child has no nut products in their lunch box, this includes chocolate spreads

This is really important as we have children with severe nut allergies in school.

Thank you for your support with this matter.



Trip dates to remember!



- * ***Thursday 30th November Gilbert White House Year 6***
- * ***Thursday 7th December Pantomime Trip Year R & 1***

Starting school in September 2024

If your child is 4 or will turn 4 before **1 September 2024**,
they can start school in **September 2024**.

For more information go to www.hants.gov.uk/admissions
Applications open for Hampshire residents on **1 November 2023**


THE NATIONAL CLOSING DATE
FOR APPLICATIONS IS
MONDAY 15 JANUARY 2024

DON'T MISS IT!



Hampshire
County Council

hants.gov.uk

A photograph of a woman and a young child sitting on a wooden floor. The woman, on the left, is wearing a white knitted sweater and is looking down at a map or book she is holding. The child, on the right, is wearing a dark blue sweater and jeans, and is looking up at the woman. The background is a wooden wall.

Does your child suffer with sleep issues?

Do you struggle
with your child's
bedtime?

Will your child
not sleep in
their own bed?

WE CAN HELP

 **03303 530 541**

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 7pm - 9pm

Monday & Wednesday 9am - 11am



**Around 50% of
children will have
a sleep issue at
some point***

WHAT IS THE NATIONAL SLEEP HELPLINE?

In partnership with Furniture Village, The Sleep Charity has launched a brand new National Sleep Helpline to ensure that everyone has access to high quality, evidence-based advice.

HOW CAN THE NATIONAL SLEEP HELPLINE HELP YOU?

- Run by a team of specialist trained sleep advisors
- Offer you some practical strategies and recommend services that could help
- Ensuring you understand how sleep plays an important part in your child's mental health and wellbeing
- Listen without judgement and help you decide what next steps are right for you
- Empower you with sleep knowledge so you can understand why your child might not be sleeping well and how that can change

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**CHRISTMAS
PARTY DAY
FRIDAY 22ND DEC
9.00AM - 3.30PM**

**HAF FUNDED
SPACES**



JOIN US FOR CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY CLUB

18TH - 22ND DECEMBER 2023



**LAZER TAG
FOOTBALL DARTS
ARCHERY ARENA
UV GLOW ARENA
BOARD GAMES
ART & CRAFT
TRADITIONAL SPORTS
TEAM GAMES
LEGO
ELECTRONIC CIRCUIT ACTIVITY
K'NEX BUILDING SETS
MARBLE MANIA**

Ofsted

**www.active8minds.co.uk
01243 696580**

**WEEKDAYS: 8.00AM - 5.00PM
HAF FUNDED SPACES (9.00AM - 4.00PM)
SIBLING DISCOUNTS AVAILABLE
OPEN TO YEARS 1 -7**

TPS | ST JAMES | SPRINGWOOD | Highbury | MEON | WICOR

**MENTAL HEALTH
SUPPORT TEAMS**

**Invite all Parent Carers and Staff
from MHST Schools**



Future in Mind






**Hampshire Child and Adolescent
Mental Health Service**

Join us lunchtime online

Monday 20th Nov 12.00



-  **What free support is available?**
-  **Promoting positive mental health in all 0-25yr olds**
-  **Understanding Neurodivergence**

Book via Ticket Tailor
www.linktr.ee/futureinmind



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