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SUMMER 1 NEWSLETTER

Upcoming Dates To Note

- 02.06 **INSET day**
- 02.06 BPSM Rehearsal **
- 03.06 **All children return to school**
- 03.06 Year 4 Swimming lessons
- 03.06 Year 4 multiplication screening 3-13 June
- 04.06 School photos, No PE.
- 06.06 Scratch Built Theatre Workshop **
- 09.06 Year 1 phonic screening 9-13 June
- 10.06 Year 6 trip to the New Forest
- 10.06 Year 4 Swimming Lessons
- 11.06 Year 6 trip to Paultons park
- 13.06 BPSM Dance Rehearsal
- 13.06 Scratch Built Theatre Workshop **
- 16.06 Arts week 16th to 19th June
- 17.06 Year 4 Swimming Lessons
- 17.06 BPSM Dance Rehearsal **
- 17.06 EARA **
- 17.06 BPSM Performance at The Anvil
- 18.06 Year 1 Trip to Alice Holt
- 18.06 BPSM Performance at The Anvil
- 19.06 Dance Workshops
- 20.06 Junior Sports morning
- 20.06 Family picnic lunch (both schools)
- 20.06 Infant Sports afternoon
- 20.06 Basingstoke Parade
- 23.06 Drumba (Juniors Only)
- 23.06 Year 5/6 Quadkids **
- 24.06 Year 4 Swimming Lessons
- 24.06 Drumba (Infants Only)
- 24.06 Year R Vision Screening
- 24.06 QuadKids **
- 25.06 Parent forum
- 26.06 Move up morning
- 26.06 Secondary transfer day
- 27.06 Secondary transfer day for selected schools

What We're Learning Next

Ducklings : Changes

Year R : Water Water Everywhere

Year 1 : Jambo from Kenya

Year 2 : I Do Like to be Beside the Seaside

Year 3 : Secrets of the Sarcophagus

Year 4 : Coast to Coast

Year 5 : Groovy Greeks

Year 6 : Early Civilisations

Upcoming Dates To Note Continued...

- 02.07 Year 5/6 Gym Festival **
- 08.07 Year 3 Create Day with the Royal Opera House
- 08.07 Year 6 performance for parents
- 08.07 Teachers available to meet parents of new class
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- 09.07 Teachers available to meet parents of new class
- 07.07 Move up afternoon
- 10.07 Year 3/4 Tennis Festival
- 11.07 Reserve Sports Day
- 11.07 Reports home
- 14.07 KS1 Scatterball **
- 14.07 Rock 2 The Beat Concert to parents
- 15.07 Teachers available regarding reports
- 21.07 Year 2 End of School Assembly
- 21.07 Year 2 Leavers' Party in school time
- 21.07 Year 6 Leavers' Party
- 22.07 Year 6 Leavers' Assembly
- 22.07 **Last day of term**

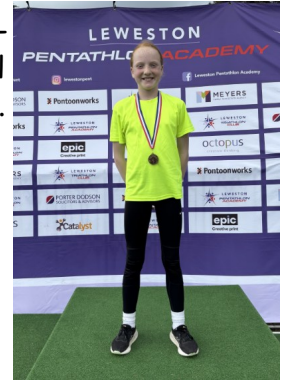
Dates marked ** are for selected pupils only.
Please see our website for more information
about events.

CELEBRATE OUR PUPILS' SUCCESSES

Phoebe Childs was very happy with bronze place in the Regional Schools Laser Run competition and is looking forward to competing in the National Schools Laser Run final in Liverpool in July.



Rocko Lewis and his football team won the JPL Regional Divisional Championships. They then qualified for the Jpl National Finals in Coventry. A fantastic achievement for the boys and the Club.



The Year 2 footballers had a lovely afternoon in the sunshine. Although they only won one of their games, they persevered and had great team spirit.



The Year 3 and 4 Gymnastics Competitors had a wonderful afternoon at the Basingstoke Gymnastics Club. They tried everything and showed amazing determination.

PE Reminders

Year R—Thursday

Year 1—Tuesday + Friday

Year 2—Monday + Wednesday

Year 3—Tuesday + Wednesday

Year 4—Thursday + Friday

Year 5—Monday + Thursday

Year 6—Tuesday + Friday

PE Kit is dark, plain shorts, joggers or tracksuit with a plain white t-shirt.

Please ensure that your child has a water bottle in school to stay hydrated in the warmer weather.

NOTICES

Please do name all clothing—we cannot return lost property if we do not know who it belongs to.

Scooters and Bicycles should always be pushed across the playground, and not ridden.

Dinner Money and Breakfast Club should be paid for in advance, either with cash to the office or by card on Arbor.

Please make sure your child has sun cream applied before school and a sunhat or cap. Please do check the forecast as we cannot apply sun cream in school.

If your child needs medicine during the school day, this must be handed in to the office, and a form completed. Please note that prescription medicines **must** be in the original box, with the information leaflet and the prescription label.

Please do park considerately in the neighbourhood and do not block residents' access or garages.



PAWS

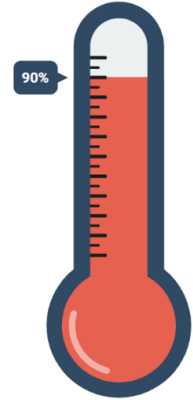
We're almost there — just one final push to reach our **£15,000 fundraising goal!**

What Are We Raising Money For?

We're building a **cabin-style space** for our **THRIVE** program — a crucial initiative supporting children's emotional well-being, confidence, and social development. This new space will:

- Offer a calm, safe environment for children who find the classroom challenging.
- Provide tools and guidance to help children manage emotions and build resilience.
- Enable us to support even more children who need a little extra help.

Together, we can create a haven where every child can grow, heal, and thrive.



Big News from P.A.W.S!

We're shaking things up this summer! While there won't be a traditional summer fair this year (thanks to the unpredictable British weather and volunteer shortages), we're excited to unveil something **NEW** and **FUN**...**PAWS Colour Fun Run!**

This will be our **main fundraiser for the term**, and we'd love your help to make it a success. Expect fun, colour, and plenty of laughter — all for a fantastic cause!

Half-Term Clear Out? We Can Help!

We're accepting **donations of logo school uniform** - drop them off at reception.

Don't forget our **clothes recycling bin** located by the bike racks (between the junior and infant schools). You can donate clothes, shoes, and bags — proceeds go directly to our fundraising!

How You Can Help

Donate, volunteer, or spread the word to help us create this vital space. Every bit of support makes a difference.

Contact us on **PAWS FB** or email: winkleburypaws@hotmail.com.

Thank you for your continued support.

The PAWS Team

Upcoming Events - Get Involved!

Father's Day - Deadline for orders 9th June

Frozen Friday - starts 6th June.

Colour Run - deadline to apply 20th June.

Helpful Websites

Our website: <https://www.winkleburyfederation.co.uk>

Free School Meals Applications: <https://apply.cloudforedu.org.uk/ofsm/hants>

Coolmilk: <https://coolmilk.com/>

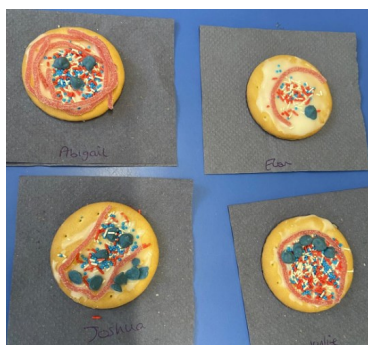
Hampshire County Council Education: <https://www.hants.gov.uk/educationandlearning>

HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE LAST HALF TERM

The Year 6s worked so hard at their SATS exams and to celebrate them finishing, they had a picnic in the sun and went bowling afterwards.



Year 6 Post SATS
Picnic and Bowling

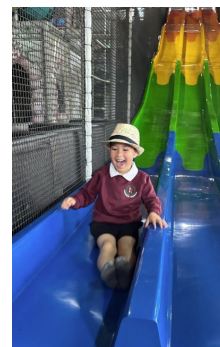


On the 80th Anniversary of VE Day this year, our pupils came to school in Red, White and Blue. Year R made some yummy cookies!!

We have had visits from some lovely ladies from the Basingstoke Arts Council this half term. The children have been painting, sewing and all sorts of craft.

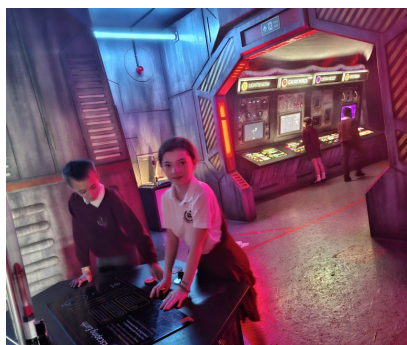


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Year R had an amazing day at 4 Kingdoms, meeting some of the animals and playing on the outdoor equipment.

Year 5 went to Winchester Science Centre. They built rockets, went to the planetarium for a journey through space, and conducted a variety of science experiments around the centre.



Year R children in Badger and Owl Classes enjoyed coming into school dressed-up as somebody that helps us through the jobs that they do. This enhanced the children's learning about these type of occupations after focusing on this theme earlier this half term. This has followed on from learning about different modes of transport which linked into many of the occupations we have learned about. The children have thoroughly enjoyed this topic and particularly enjoyed the dress-up element to bring the learning to life.

Here are some photos from Science Day. Year 6 identified the trees on our grounds from their leaves and learnt about the differences between trees, bushes and flowering plants. Our work on the grounds links to our art project on Climate Unity which will be displayed in Winchester School of Art Gallery next term.

