



Weekly Newsletter

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Have fun and recharge your batteries ready for the next half term!

Reminder: Inset Day on Monday 19th February 2024.

Attendance this week:

Class	Attendance	Lates
Anning	96.3%	7
Peake	97.9%	5
Franklin	92.1%	2
Jenner	93.5%	5
Darwin	96.4%	3
Nightingale	94.6%	0
Hawking	94.4%	4
Potter	94.4%	3

House Points

Congratulations to **Green** House for winning the most points this half term!

Green	469	Red	418
Purple	448	Yellow	452
Blue	396		

Green House are able to wear non-school uniform on the first day back – Tuesday 20th February.

The Cowplain School Newsletter

Please find below the link to their February 2024 newsletter:

<https://www.cowplainschool.co.uk/media/2231/newsletter-february-2024a3.pdf>

Stubbington Residential 2025

Mr Pinder will be hosting an information session after school in his classroom for our current Year 4 parents on **Monday 26th February at 3.30pm**. This will give parents an understanding of what a typical residential at Stubbington Study Centre looks like. The children are of course welcome. It will also provide an opportunity to ask any questions.

To secure a place for your child on the Year 5 residential we will require a £40 deposit by Friday 1st March 2024. Further information will follow after half term.

Spring Clubs and Events

After a busy January, our afterschool clubs will be limited this next half term!

Miss Jones is going to organise Easter Craft for all year groups and Mrs Hahn will lead our Film Club for all year groups. Please look out for separate letters for these events.

Mx Colley and Mr Pinder are doing SATs work with some of our Year 6 children (by invite only).

Mr Bird, Miss Ranson and Miss Bailey have all run clubs in the previous terms and are taking a break this time! Whilst we fully appreciate that clubs are a vital part of our school community, we should also recognise that clubs are voluntary for our teaching staff!

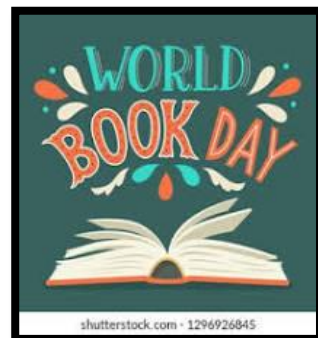
Football with CM Sports is available on a Thursday after school and Southern Karate Association runs on a Tuesday after school.

Look out for more exciting clubs in the summer term. Thank you!

World Book Day

This year we will be celebrating World Book Day on **Thursday 7th March**.

On this day, we would like all children to either wear a costume or accessory to celebrate their favourite book or story character. Each year group will also be celebrating the work of a chosen author and the children will complete a range of activities linked to this throughout the day.



Year 6 visit to Portsmouth & Southsea

On our school trip last Friday, we visited important landmarks which were affected by WWII. We went there by train and saw the Spinnaker Tower, Square Tower, Round Tower and Southsea Castle. We had lots of fun! We visited Southsea beach and saw the hovercraft take off.

We had a great time and were very tired at the end of the day!

By Alex and Toby – Potter class



Upcoming Dates

Every Thursday morning 8:45am

Monday 12th – Fri 16th February

Monday 19th February

Tues 20th & Wed 21st February

Thursday 22nd February

Mon 26th Feb – Mon 25th March

Monday 26th February

Thursday 29th February

Thursday 7th March

Joint HPIS & HPJS Coffee Morning @ the Family Hub in the Infants

Half Term

INSET Day

Bikeability for Year 6

Year 3 Portsmouth Guildhall Trip

Year 4 Swimming Lessons

Stubbington Residential

Information Evening @ 3:30pm

Year 4 Chichester Festival Theatre

Trip

World Book Day

Signposting

Please note from time to time we signpost families to local activities and clubs. Whilst we are selective in what we send out, this should not be seen as a recommendation or endorsement. We do not carry out the same checks for signposted activities as we would for those activities hosted with the school and parents should therefore satisfy themselves that they are happy with the organisation and their activity.



Looking to improve your English so you can help your children with their homework?

FREE English for Speakers of Other Languages courses at Havant and Waterlooville Libraries

To book type in the link: <https://shop.hants.gov.uk/collections/library-courses>



Mondays 19th February – 13th May

Havant Library 10:30am – 12:00pm

Waterlooville Library 1pm – 2:30pm

These courses are aimed at Hampshire residents aged 19+. Attendance is expected at each session to ensure that you get the most out of your learning experience and to minimise disruption for other learners. Please advise the venue/tutor of any absence you may have.



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FREE Family Fun at Staunton Farm



The Multiply team are hosting a FREE family fun session planting trees at Staunton Farm on Wednesday 14th February from 10.00am to 1.00pm.

Put on your wellies and come along to this fun packed event open to families* with school aged children. Entrance fee into the farm is included along with parking, a cafe voucher and even a return visit!! (maximum of 2 children per adult)

Families will take part in a carousel of different activities including:

- Tree and Trundle activity – how to measure the height of a tree.
- Mighty Measurements - How to calculate the age of a tree.
- Tree Planting with the Horticulturists
- Tree planting fun facts quiz

Contact

If you would like to reserve a place, please email multiply@hants.gov.uk

*This course is aimed at adults over 19 years who do not have a Level 2 maths qualification. (e.g. Maths GCSE at grade 4/C and above, or a Functional skills Level 2 in maths). However, places are also open to those who lack numeracy confidence or have experienced a 'skills fade' in their numeracy knowledge.

Help us plant 1 million trees in Hampshire by 2050!

The Hampshire Forest Partnership has been set up with the relationship between people and trees in mind. In the modern day where humans have impacted almost all the natural world, trees need us, and we need trees. We need your help to care for our woodlands and to plant more trees. If you would like to plant trees in your local community space or school, then get in touch at treeplanting@hants.gov.uk or visit our website at www.hants.gov.uk/HampshireForestPartnership.



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