



# Weekly Newsletter

12.09.2025



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## Homework

- Year 6 have been set homework.
- Years 3,4, & 5 will be issued next Friday.
- All children should be reading daily at home.

## Attendance

It is really important for the children to be in every day.

Research shows that the first two weeks of a new academic year are crucial in securing good attendance for the rest of the year.

Should you need support with attendance, then please contact Sarah Atkins at School.

Attendance figures for this week:

Class	Attendance	Lates
Anning	96.7%	2
Hawking	96.7%	3
Nightingale	98.5%	0
Jenner	97.8%	1
Peake	97.0%	7
Darwin	97.4%	1
Franklin	94.4%	1
Potter	100%	1

Please ensure the children are in school every day and ready to learn. They can enter their classroom from 8.30am for 8:45am.

## Letters Home

Please see the following correspondence attached to the covering email:

- The Sustainability Centre trip for Year 4
- Young Voices visit to The O2
- Residential trip to Runway's End for Year 6

## Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome to this week's newsletter!

### Year 6 – Crime and Punishment Workshop

On Wednesday, Year 6 were visited by Luke from *Past Productions*, who led a fascinating workshop on **Crime and Punishment through the ages**. The children explored how justice was served during the **Anglo-Saxon, Roman, Viking, and Medieval periods**, learning about crimes such as theft, witchcraft, and even gossiping!

The children had the opportunity to examine **primary sources** including an axe, a thumb screw, and the brank, which helped bring history to life in a memorable and engaging way.

It was a successful and enjoyable day, and the children came away with a better understanding of how crime and punishment has evolved over time.

Schools have been sent a letter from the Prime Minister to forward to all parents, please follow the link:

[Prime Minister's letter to parents and carers on Best Start in Life – The Education Hub](#)

Year 6 parents, don't forget, applications for Year 7 are now open. We have sent an email this week with the local Open Evening dates for your information.

There are still spaces in our after school clubs – please see the letter sent home with last week's newsletter and follow the link to sign up: <https://forms.office.com/e/kV02BaqPT2>

Best wishes  
Charlotte Faithfull, Headteacher

## Upcoming Dates

Every Thursday morning 8:45am

Joint HPIS & HPJS Coffee Morning @ the Family Hub in the Junior School

The Sustainability Centre – Yr 4 Hawking  
The Sustainability Centre – Yr 4 Nightingale  
**Inset Day**  
**End of Autumn Term 1**  
**First Day of Autumn 2**  
Christmas Pantomime  
**Last day of Autumn 2**

Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September  
Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> September  
**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> October**  
**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October**  
**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November**  
Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December  
**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December**

**First day of Spring Term**  
Young Voices visit to The O2

**Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January**  
Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February

## Coffee Mornings at The Hub – Every Thursday 8:45am

Thank you so much to all the mums who joined Tonia and Sarah for yesterday's Coffee Morning!

It was lovely to see you and spend time together. The sun catchers you made were beautiful — such a creative and cheerful touch to brighten any window!

Looking forward to seeing you again soon.

Also, a big thank you to everyone who joined Sarah for coffee, cake and activities during the summer break.



## Hart Plain Junior School Facebook

Here is a QR code, which will enable you to 'like' and follow our Facebook page!



For your reference, this is the page you should be finding.



Hart Plain Juniors are visiting the Panto on 19<sup>th</sup> December, please complete the online form if you would like your child to attend <https://forms.office.com/e/3cDXqB11YH>

## 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.

# Boost their HYDRATION & DEVELOPMENT

Cool Milk

Our school works with Cool Milk to provide fresh school milk

FREE FOR UNDER 5S | SUBSIDISED FOR OVER 5S\*

- Calcium for strong bones and teeth
- Protein for muscle repair and growth
- Vitamin B12 to boost the immune system
- Vitamin B2 to aid energy release
- Potassium to regulate fluid and blood pressure
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Don't let your child miss out!  
Register online today at [www.coolmilk.com](http://www.coolmilk.com)

Free milk for under 5s is funded by the Department of Health and milk for over 5s is subsidised by DEFRA.  
\*Over 5s in receipt of benefits-based free school meals are eligible for free school milk.  
Please speak to the school for details.



## Cost of Living & Community Event

CITIZENS ADVICE HAVANT



AT THE BEACON CHURCH  
MERIDIAN CENTRE  
1ST FLOOR HAVANT PO9 1UN

CITIZENS  
ADVICE

TUES 30<sup>th</sup> SEPT  
10AM TO 1PM

### Information on....

What is available for you in the local community  
&  
how to make your money go further

# HARVEST

Hart Plain Church

Sunday 5th October

We would like to invite you to join us in celebrating Harvest at Hart Plain Church.

We are asking groups and organisations linked to the church to decorate either one or a pair of welly boots that will be displayed in the church,

You could decorate the outside of the boots and/or fill them with something that represents Harvest to you.

If you would like to participate we ask that your decorated boots be at the church before Wednesday 1st October.  
Many Thanks



## SEND Health & Wellbeing Fayre



START  
10AM-2PM

FREE  
ENTRY

CONNECT • EXPLORE • SUPPORT

8<sup>th</sup> October Wednesday | Horizon Havant  
Civic Centre Rd,  
Havant, PO9 2AY

Explore up to 20 local exhibitors sharing support, advice, and resources - all tailored for SEND families and individuals.



SPOTLIGHT UK  
Creating positive memories

## Monkey Bizness

Monday 15th September - 6:15pm - 8:15pm -  
Unit 1, Frater Gate Business Park, Aerodrome  
Rd, Gosport PO13 0GW

FREE SPACES FOR YEARS R-6



Please book via email - [activities@spotlightuk.org](mailto:activities@spotlightuk.org)  
For more information visit the events calendar on our website  
[www.spotlightuk.org](http://www.spotlightuk.org) Reg. Charity 1129258

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# AFTER SCHOOL COMPUTING CLUB

HART PLAIN JUNIOR SCHOOL



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# SKA KICKBOXING HAMPSHIRE

## K1 & KICKBOXING AFTER SCHOOL CLASS AT HART PLAIN JUNIOR

STARTING WEDNESDAY 10TH

SEPTEMBER 2025

3.05 - 4.05PM

£5 A LESSON.

PAY-AS-YOU-GO.

EMAIL OR TEXT THE NUMBER BELOW FOR MORE INFORMATION & TO BOOK YOUR PLACE:

TEXT: 07512 365263  
EMAIL: [SKA.MARTIN8@GMAIL.COM](mailto:SKA.MARTIN8@GMAIL.COM)  
FACEBOOK: @SKA.MAIN  
[WWW.SOUTHERNKARATEASSOCIATION.CO.UK](http://WWW.SOUTHERNKARATEASSOCIATION.CO.UK)



PAY AS YOU GO. NO DIRECT DEBITS

### TEACHING

- ✓ Cardio K1 & Kickboxing
- ✓ High energy sport
- ✓ Learn self defence techniques
- ✓ Improve fitness
- ✓ Burn up to 900 calories an hour
- ✓ Beginners always welcome
- ✓ All classes run by professionals



# HALF TERM HOLIDAY CLUB

THEMED DAYS | SPORTS | TEAM GAMES | ART AND CRAFTS

BOUNDARY OAK  
WICOR PRIMARY  
HIGHBURY PRIMARY  
MEON JUNIORS  
ST JAMES  
HORIZON  
SPRINGWOOD  
TPS

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Friendly & Qualified Staff  
Staff DBS  
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Childcare Vouchers Accepted

# STARTING SCHOOL IN

# 2026



If your child is 4 or will turn 4 before 1 September 2026, they can start school in September 2026. For more information go to [www.hants.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.hants.gov.uk/admissions) Applications open for Hampshire residents on 1 November 2025

THE NATIONAL CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS IS THURSDAY 15 JANUARY 2026

## DON'T MISS IT!



[hants.gov.uk](http://hants.gov.uk)