



Weekly Newsletter 2025/26



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April 2024



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Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome to this week's newsletter and Happy Half Term!

As we reach the end of a busy and rewarding term, I want to take a moment to thank you for your continued support. It's been a term full of opportunities, achievements, and fantastic learning, and we're incredibly proud of everything the children have accomplished.

Online Safety Reminder

As we celebrate Internet Safety Day this week, we would like to take the opportunity to gently remind families about the importance of supporting children with their online activity. As children grow more confident using digital devices, many begin exploring apps and platforms designed for older users. If your child is allowed to access these apps, we kindly ask that you continue to guide them in understanding what is—and is not—appropriate to share or say online. These small, ongoing conversations can make a significant difference to how they navigate digital spaces.

We also encourage parents to carry out simple, regular check-ins on their child's online activity to ensure they are using these platforms safely, kindly, and responsibly. Recently, we have noticed that too many issues arising online outside of school are beginning to spill over into school life, affecting friendships and day-to-day interactions.

To support these messages further, PC Davies also visited the school this week to speak to the children about how to keep themselves safe and act responsibly online. His guidance reinforced the importance of thoughtful online behaviour and the real-world impact it can have.

By continuing to work together, we can help children develop healthy digital habits and ensure that both their online and school environments remain positive, supportive, and safe.



Year 4 Celebration of Learning

Year 4 were delighted to welcome their parents to their Celebration of Learning on Wednesday afternoon. The children proudly showcased their work on food preparation and cultural celebrations, sharing the process behind designing and making their own delicious samosas to mark Ramadan.

It was wonderful to see the creativity, care and enthusiasm they put into their learning. Thank you to all the parents who were able to join us and celebrate the children's achievements.

Wishing you all a wonderful half-term break. Enjoy the time to rest, recharge, and spend time with family and friends.

Kind regards
Charlotte Faithfull, Headteacher

Inset Days for 2025-2026

Our INSET days have now been confirmed for the next academic year. These dates align with those of the Infant School to support families with children across both settings. The INSET days are as follows:

- 1st September 2026
- 23rd October 2026
- 12th February 2027
- 17th May 2027
- 21st July 2027



A message from HCC Road Safety Team ...

The Road Safety Team are responsible for educating young people and their families on the importance of keeping safe when travelling in a vehicle. Part of this education includes ensuring young people are travelling with correct restraints. Are you aware that 37% of children are in the wrong type of seat for their age and/or height? The Road Safety Team would like to share this car restraint leaflet with you to ensure you know how to always keep your child(ren) safe – in the correct restraint. There are also hints and tips about choosing the right seat, transporting other people's children and how to fit different types of car seat. To read this informative leaflet, please visit – [in car safety guide](#)

CLANFIELD FC GIRLS U11 WOLVES RECRUITING



TRAINING WEDNESDAY
MATCHES SATURDAY
SCHOOL YEAR 6 AND 5
QUALIFIED COACHES
SUPPORTIVE ENVIRONMENT



Contact Us

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Homework

- Years 3 & 4 Scode spelling, times table frenzy.
- Years 5 & 6 have been set online homework.

All children should be reading daily at home.

Letters Home

Please see the following correspondence attached to the covering email:

- Year 5 Residential to Stubbington Study Centre
- Update on School Communications
- Year 6 to 7 Instrumental Tuition



Upcoming Dates

Every Thursday morning 8:45am

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

Young Voices visit to The O2
Year 5 Mad Hatter's Tea Party

Monday 23rd February
Friday 27th February

Last Day of Spring Term 1
Inset Day
First Day of Spring Term 2

Thursday 12th February
Friday 13th February
Monday 23rd February

Rocksteady Easter Concert

Tuesday 24th March 2:00pm

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.

The Cowplain School newsletter

Please find below the link to their February 2026 newsletter:

<https://www.cowplainschool.co.uk/media/2553/newsletter-february-2026a3.pdf>

EMPOWERING NEURODIVERSITY

EXCLUSIVE LAUNCH EVENT: Building bridges for education, employment, and family life.

Join us for an exclusive free event introducing new Occupational Therapy services designed for our local neurodiverse community.

Tuesday, 10 February 2026

Alton Community Centre, Amery Street, Alton, Hampshire, GU34 1HN, United Kingdom

Session 1 – Parents & Caregivers

Hear about our neurodiverse parent workshops. A unique space for neurodiverse parents raising neurodiverse children and young people aged 2–25yrs.

Welcome from 9:00am

Session: 9:30–11:30am

Free | 60 places, online or in-person



Session 2 – Schools, Educators, Tutors and Alternative Provisions

Hear about how we can help children and young people thrive outside of school and how we can support individuals in your learning spaces.

Welcome from 12:00pm

Session: 12:30–2:30pm

Free | 60 places, online or in-person



Session 3 – Pathways to Employment (ages 19–25)

Learn about our job-readiness workshops, how we support neurodiverse young adults to succeed at work, and how employers can support and include this population.

Welcome from 3:00pm

Session: 3:30–5:30pm

Free | 60 places, online or in-person



Unlock Your Child's Potential Through Music!



Why learn a musical instrument?

Research shows it's more than just music—it's a pathway to success.

It has been scientifically proven that engaging in musical activities has huge benefits for children, including:

- Improves memory and recall
- Improves attention and focus
- Sharpens listening skills
- Boosts academic achievement
- Encourages critical thinking
- Fosters creativity and imagination
- Develops discipline and perseverance
- Builds fine and gross motor coordination
- Reduces stress and anxiety
- Boosts confidence and self-esteem
- Supports emotional regulation
- Encourages collaboration and teamwork



Learning an instrument is fun, rewarding, and proven to help children thrive —academically, socially, and emotionally.

Hampshire Music Education Hub can help your child start their musical journey with instrumental or vocal lessons.

Find out more about Hampshire Music Education Hub:

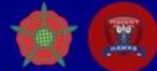
hantsmusicclub.co.uk

music.service@hants.gov.uk

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Free! YEAR 5 & 6 GIRLS INTRO TO CRICKET

- 8-WEEK PROGRAMME
- QUALIFIED & DBS-CHECKED COACHES

SESSION DETAILS

FRIDAY

5-6PM

WARBLINGTON SCHOOL

PO9 2RR

6TH FEBRUARY - 28TH MARCH

For more information and to register, email us: hawks@havantcc.com



JOIN US ON SUNDAY 5TH JULY FOR THE WOMENS T20 CRICKET WORLD CUP FINAL WATCHALONG AT HAVANT PARK

WHY NOT START YOUR CRICKET JOURNEY AT HAVANT LIKE ENGLAND'S CHARLIE DEAN

2026 FEBRUARY HALF TERM CAMP



TUESDAY 17TH FEBRUARY
WEDNESDAY 18TH FEBRUARY

JUNIOR AND DEVELOPMENT CAMPS

9.30AM - 4.00PM

AGES 5-15

£30 FOR ONE DAY, £50 FOR TWO DAYS



BOOK VIA QR CODE OR VISIT HHC WEBSITE

www.havanthockeyclub.org.uk

community@havanthockeyclub.org.uk

FEBRUARY HALF TERM

Hands on History: Castles and Catapults (6+)
 Mon 16 Feb | 10.30am, 1pm | Tudor House | £8

Art for All: Introducing Acrylics - Winter Scenes (8+)
 Mon 16 Feb | 10.30am, 12.30pm or 2.30pm | Art Gallery | £8

Tour for All: Saxons, Vikings and Normans Walking Tour
 Tue 17 Feb | 11am | Tudor House | £10 (accompanying children FREE)

Art for All: Minecraft Mosaic Worlds (7+)
 Tue 17 Feb | 10.30am, 12.30pm or 2.30pm | Art Gallery | £8

Art for All: Great Fire of London Clay Scenes (5+)
 Wed 18 Feb | 10.30am, 1pm | Tudor House | £8

Art for All: Bluey Inspired Pen Pots (3+)
 Wed 18 Feb | 10.30am, 12.30pm or 2.30pm | Art Gallery | £8

Art for All: K Pop Demon Hunters Clay Sculpture (6+)
 Thu 19 Feb | 10.30am, 12.30pm or 2.30pm | Art Gallery | £8

NEW FOR 2025
Toddler Time: Characterful Dogs! (under 4s and friends)
 Thu 19 Feb | 10.30am | SeaCity | £6

Hands on History: Awesome Egyptians (7+)
 Fri 20 Feb | 10.30am, 1pm | SeaCity | £8

Junior Art School: Go Wild with Wool (7 - 13 years)
 Fri 20 Feb | 10.30am - 3.30pm | Art Gallery | £26

CULTURE CLUB FOR KIDS ACTIVITY DAYS

(Age 6½ - 12 years)

Drop off your young people
 Three days per week | 9am-4pm (drop off from 8.45)

SeaCity | £35 per day or £90 for all three days

Get creative, explore our collections and learn new stuff while making really cool things at our themed activity days.

Cruise Adventures
 Mon 16, Tues 17, Wed 18 Feb



See venue websites for further details on events and to book
seacitymuseum.co.uk | tudorhouseandgarden.com | southamptoncityartgallery.com



JOIN US FOR Drop In Sessions!

MONDAYS at The Clanfield Centre
 2 Endal Way, Waterlooville, PO8 0YF

Promoting positive wellbeing, confidence building and an opportunity to socialise with others in the same position

Every Monday

£4 per young person*

2 Slots for different groups, drop in at a time that suits you best!

Teen Tea & Talk

4.45pm - 5.45pm
 Support and activities for teenagers *£2 for teens

InSync Family Drop In

3.30pm - 4.45pm
 KS1 and KS2 family drop in session



Scan to see our website and learn more about what we do at InSync



Price includes games, arts and crafts, messy play and each session you will be provided with a sensory activity or strategy your child will make or learn to use and take home.

Plus, resources for the family and specialist advice and support for parents and carers.

@insync_southeast

www.insyncsoutheast.com



PARENT FINANCE SUPPORT

There is a range of financial support available for parents in the UK. Some benefits are available to most families, while others depend on your income, work status, or personal circumstances.

Government Tax Free Childcare

<https://www.gov.uk/tax-free-childcare>

You set up an online childcare account and for every £8 you pay in, the government adds £2.

Universal Credit

<https://www.gov.uk/tax-free-childcare>

You may be able to claim back up to 85% of your childcare costs if you're eligible for Universal Credit.

Healthy Start

<https://www.gov.uk/tax-free-childcare>

If you're more than 10 weeks pregnant or have a child under 4, the Healthy Start scheme can help you:

- buy healthy foods such as milk or fruit
- get free vitamins

You need to be claiming certain benefits to qualify.
 If you're under 18 and more than 10 weeks pregnant, you can claim even if you do not receive any benefits.

Where to Find Advice and Apply

For full and up-to-date information about government benefits, visit GOV.UK.

Turn2us can help you search for charitable grants you may be eligible for.

Gingerbread offers advice and support specifically for single parents.

Citizens Advice provides free, confidential guidance on benefits, budgeting and managing debt.



FAMILY LEGO

FREE

Open to all young people and their families, (suitable for young people aged 8yrs +)



Wednesday 11th March
 &
 Wednesday 25th March
 4pm - 6pm
 At
 Anders Hall
 Jubilee Park
 Waterlooville
 PO7 6AW

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