

EHPS WEEKLY BULLETIN



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Dear Parents

The children all looked fantastic in their special outfits today - lots of amazing red, white and blue as well as special dresses, crowns and tiaras! Each year group had a parade outside and this afternoon they were all treated to a piece of Union Jack decorated cake made by our Executive Chef Ben.

As you can see from the diary dates opposite, this time of year gets incredibly busy and the weeks seem to rush by, so do keep an eye on all of the important dates!

The Circus tickets have been released on sale so do please get your tickets quickly as it always sells out! It only happens every other year, so it's an incredibly popular event.

Well done to the Year 6 children for completing their SATs this week, and to the Year 2 children who have been doing some of their tests too. The rest of the classes were so respectful and moved around the school quietly and sensibly to allow the children completing their tests to concentrate.

There are only a handful of children who are yet to receive a reading badge - we ask that parents of those children please help them to read enough to earn their badge.

I'm looking forward to seeing lots of families at the Bingo night in the school hall tonight - it should be lots of fun!

Mrs Megan Robinson
Headteacher

Virtue of the week - w/c : 21May

— **Citizenship** —

**Meet the governors -
this week: Miss Lara Rowlinson**

Work viewing timings

To reduce congestion we suggest that KS1 parents arrive at 2.45pm and KS2 parents arrive at 3pm.

Please inform the teacher if you are taking your child home with you directly after the viewing. Please also sign in and out at reception.

MAY

- Fri 18th Friends BINGO Night
- Mon 21st Walk to school week
Y1 Bird Man visit
Y4 Ufton Ct meeting 3.30pm
YR 'Make and Bake'
- Wed 23rd Y6 The Globe Theatre visit
- Thurs 24th YR 2018 meeting 6.30pm
- Fri 25th Inkpen focus assembly
YR topic : Traditional Tales dress up day
- Mon 28th BANK HOLIDAY
- Mon 28th - Fri 1st June HALF TERM

JUNE

- Mon 4th INSET Day
- Tues 5th Back to school
- Wed 6th Sports day
- Fri 8th Morpurgo Focus assembly - 9am
- Mon 11th YR18 Ahlberg Stay & Play 3.30 - 4.15pm
- Tues 12th Y2 Hillier Gardens visit
- Wed 13th Circus 2018
Y6 FACCTS transition
- Thurs 14th YR18 Inkpen Stay & Play 3.30 - 4.15pm
- Fri 15th Hughes focus assembly
YR18 Butterworth Stay & Play 3.30 - 4.15pm
Fun Friday KS2
- Tues 19th YR—Four Kingdoms trip
Work viewing Y3/Y4
- Wed 20th Reserve Sports day
- Thurs 21st Nesbit Focus assembly
Work viewing YR/Y5
- Fri 22nd Work viewing Y1/Y2/Y6
- Mon 25th Y5 Liddington info meeting
- Tues 26th Y3 Blue Reef Aquarium visit
YR Transition to Y1 meeting 2.30-3pm
- Wed 27th Y4—Y6 Author visit
- Thurs 28th Y6 to CP languages dept
- Fri 29th Briggs Focus assembly
Last Y5 swimming
DISCO
YR18 visit 2pm-2.45pm

JULY

- Mon 2nd Y6 production 7pm
- Tues 3rd Y6 production 9.30am
Y1 Rural Life visit
- Wed 4th Y6 production 7pm
- Thurs 5th Y6 to Calthorpe Park day 1
YR-Y5 classes moving up
YR18 visit 9.30am—10.15am
- Fri 6th Y6 to Calthorpe Park day 2
- Mon 9th Y4 group 1 to Ufton Court
- Wed 11th Y4 group 1 return from Ufton Court
Y4 group 2 to Ufton Court
- Fri 13th Y4 group 2 return from Ufton Court
YR18 visit 2pm-2.45pm
- Thurs 19th Y6 leavers assembly & BBQ 5pm start
- Fri 20th Last day finish at 1pm
- Mon 23rd INSET

SEPT

- Mon 3rd INSET
- Tues 4th First day back Y1—Y6
- Mon 10th Year R start school

*Would you like to join our team of friendly
Lunchtime Supervisors?*

*We would need you to be available between
11.50am - 1.20pm for 3 or 4 days a week.*

*If you are interested, please contact Mrs Drew
in the school office.*

GDPR - data protection update

- Like all schools, we are continuing to work with Hampshire County Council (HCC) in order to ensure that we are working to be compliant with the new GDPR regulations that come into force at the end of this month.

Most of the work is behind the scenes, although you may see some minor changes to systems over the coming weeks and months. Significantly HCC are soon to roll out their Parent Lite App. This App will assist with securing up to date information from you without the need to send paper data collection forms and so will not only add to data security but will also increase the effectiveness in administration.

As many schools will be signing up for this new App, we will have to wait until we hear from the IT team at HCC, but we will let you know as soon as we have more news on this project.

Well done to ...

... Leo B and Ollie C (Armitage) who both did very well at the Farnborough Rugby Club's End of Season Awards presentation. Leo won the vote for The Players Player award and was also awarded the Player of the Season award. Ollie was awarded The Most Improved Player. Here is Leo with his trophies.



Year R 2018

If you have a child starting with us in September you will notice the various visit dates are in the diary dates section. You will receive more information at the meeting on 24th May.

Class Photograph Orders

If you would like to order a class photograph and want it delivered to school, please order by 25 May at the latest. After this, you will be required to pay a fee for postage.

Ben, our Executive Chef, was pleased that so many children enjoyed the Special Royal Wedding menu yesterday!



He has noticed that the Week Three Tuesday menu hasn't been popular and so he is changing this from next week.

The regular Tuesday Week Three menu will be:

Spicy chicken taco / Mixed bean taco.

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HONESTLY GOOD FOOD

Make and Bake!

Year 4 were certainly up for the challenge and you made their day (well two days actually!)

The amazing total of make and bake sales this week was £384.85!

Thanks for all the generous donations - we hope you enjoyed all of your purchases!

MEET THE GOVERNORSMrs Lara Rowlinson



How long have you been a governor and what type of governor are you?

I have been a governor at EHPS for 18 months.

Why did you decide to be a governor?

I have a daughter in Year 1 and a son who will start in September. I am passionate about ensuring the education system meets the needs of all children especially those with special educational needs and Looked After Children.

What do you like most about being a governor?

I really enjoy coming into the school and looking at how children progress educationally, socially and emotionally during their time here.

What do you find most frustrating or difficult about your role?

The level of funding and how this is worked out as well as the level of formal testing the children have to go through at such an early age.

What type of work do you do in addition to being a governor?

I have a background in working with children with additional needs as well as children who have been fostered and adopted. I currently work for a local fostering agency managing the recruitment and assessment of new foster carers.

If you had the power to change anything in education right now what would you change?

The amount of pressure that testing puts on both the teachers and the children. Also a reduction in the amount of bureaucracy involved in the education system which might give teachers more time to teach.

What do you like to do in your spare time?

With two young children I don't have much spare time but I have recently joined a local choir called ShuffleTunes where I've met some lovely people and get to sing some great tunes !

What has been your favourite place to visit on holiday?

I have been lucky to do a lot of travelling in my younger years and been all over the world. I really enjoyed backpacking round the Greek Islands my favourite being Naxos.

Have you read any good books lately?

The Unmumsy Mum which is a really funny and honest book about the highs and lows of parenting. Highly recommend you read it!