Sun Hill Junior School Newsletter





Friday message from Mrs Griffiths

"It is not enough to simply teach children to read; we have to give them something worth reading. Something that will stretch their imaginations - something that will help them make sense of their own lives and encourage them to reach out towards people whose lives are quite different from their own"

Katherine Patterson











Dear Parents/Carers.

Books and reading have always been a passion of mine and one of the things I have always loved about working in a school is the joy of being able to share that love with children. Books allow us to enter worlds we might otherwise never experience, and it is wonderful to have a library that is stocked with a variety of books that will appeal to our children and hopefully help to develop children's reading habits.

On World Book Day, yesterday, it was lovely to see the children coming in wearing their pjs and onesies and looking at all the books that had been donated to help us raise money to develop our library even more. The plans for the new look library are to create a space where children will enjoy selecting, reading and listening to books and stories.

I would like to thank everyone who donated books and bought books to support us. The hall looked amazing with all the books spread out. It was exciting to see the breadth of books the children had to choose from. Also, a big thank you to the parents who were able to come in and share a story with the children. If there is anyone who can spare an hour or two to come into school to listen to our children read or share a story with them, please contact the school office.

Have a lovely weekend and happy reading.

MAKE A DIFFERENCE - STARS OF THE WEEK!



Congratulations to all the pupils awarded Head Teachers awards this week

* Strive	George H (Robins), Finlay ADS (Swans),
	Seb W (Buzzards), Ralph J (Kestrels)
Trust	
Aspire	Farris M (Robins), Summer B (Kingfishers), Caspian D
	(Kingfishers), Sarah-Jane P (Herons), Polly N (Swans),
	Oliver W (Woodpeckers), Felix M-C (Woopeckers)
**Resilience	Lena K (Kestrels)
★ Support	Aayden P (Herons), Maddie O (Buzzards)

This week our Star Mascot Puff Puff was awarded to:

Farris M (Robins) "Aspiring to improve his reading"



SCHOOL HOUSE OF THE WEEK



Meon = 86Itchen = 71 Candover = 76

Make a Difference Awards

Congratulations to all our Stars for achieving their first 25 stars certificates for their "Making a Difference Awards" this week!



Macey B (Robins), Oleksii H (Buzzards), Annabelle T (Buzzards)

25 TRUST STARS:

Juliette M (Robins)

25 ASPIRE STARS :



25 RESILIENCE STARS:

Samuel M (Robins)



Evangeline W (Robins), Joe D (Robins), Alfie B-R (Buzzards)





THE BINGO AWARD - THIS WEEK!

We are delighted that this week, Bingo selected:

Grace P from Buzzards class



For the KEEP LEARNING Sign - Why?
'She stayed strong when something hurt her feelings'



Sports Leaders - Health and Wellbeing in Sports

This week, Ms Terry and the Year 6 Sport Leaders hosted an assembly educating and discussing 'Safety in Sports'. They talked about looking after ourselves by keeping hydrated and eating a healthy diet, so we can perform at our best. The Sports Leaders also created an interactive quiz on the different protective equipment for different sports.

Thank you to our SUPER Sports Leaders!



World Book Day 2024

This year staff and students were invited to come to school in pyjamas, onesies or loungewear and to bring in the favourite bedtime story! We all had a fun and cosy day sharing our favourite books.













2nd Hand Children's Book Sale



This year we created our own Book Fair selling 2nd
Hand Children's Books for a donation to the
'Library Refurbishment Fund'. Thank you to our
fantastic Fundraising Ambassadors who helped
organise and run the sale.

Each class had the opportunity to visit the book sale during the school day. The children loved choosing from hundreds of books, all kindly donated by the families of Sun Hill Juniors. Thank you to everyone who donated books, you brought a lot of children a lot of joy!







Delighted to announce that the 2nd Hand
Children's Book Sale raised £473.08 towards the
'Library Refurbishment Fund'. Thank you for all
your donations!!!





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Reading Challenge 2024



Reader Prizes!

Winner-£10 Book Voucher & treats, Runner Up-£5 Book Voucher & treats.

One winner and one runner up randomly selected from each class.

<u>Kingfishers</u> Winner: Ellie B-P, Runner Up: Sophia B

Robins Winner: Poppy M, Runner Up: Bella C

Woodpeckers Winner: Florence S, Runner Up: Luka S

Buzzards Winner: Isobel C, Runner Up: Todd J

Kestrels Winner: Jonah C, Runner Up: Holly B

<u>Herons</u> Winner: Livvia C, Runner Up: Charlotte R

Swans Winner: Finley S, Runner Up: Rory W

Top Fundraiser!

The exciting opportunity to cut the ribbon at the Grand Opening of our new school library.

To be awared to the student who raises the most sponsorship money.

3rd: Cassia T, Kestrels £98

2nd: Summer B, Kingfishers £110

1st: Ted W, Woodpeckers £234

Class Prize!

Hot Chocolate and treats afternoon in the newly refurbished library after the Grand Opening.

To be awarded to the class with the highest percentage of completed cards.

Swans: 15%

Kestrels: 22%

Buzzards: 27%

Herons: 33%

Kingfishers: 30%

Joint Class Winners: Woodpeckers 61%

Robins: 61%

CONGRATULATIONS to all of our winners and THANK YOU to everyone who entered!

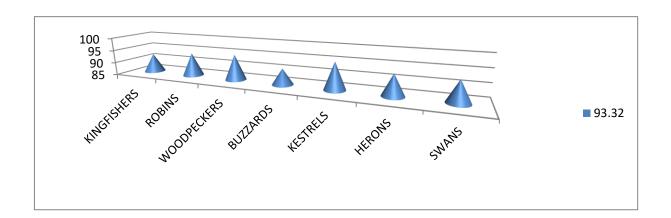
We raised £2190.26!

That's an overall total of

£2663.34!



Whole school attendance this week at SHJS 93.32% (results taken from Thursday to Thursday)



The attendance award was presented to:







• Robins = 98%





Kestrels = 96.91%

Herons = 98.46%

• Swans = 98.77%



Please use the following information as reference if you have any concerns regarding "Is my child too ill for school?"

https://www.nhs.uk/li ve-well/is-my-childtoo-ill-for-school/







Glandular fever
To find out more, search for health protection in schools
Slapped cheek or scan the QR code or visit https://qrco.de/minfec.

NHS





Active Holidays **360

Perins

Easter Holidays 2024

Tuesday 2nd - Friday 12th April

» 3SIXTY Dance Academy

» 360 Sports

Don't forget about our 10% sibling discount too!

£21 per day*

*Get 15% off with our Active Saver code ACTIVE15 valid until Sunday 10th March.

Scan the QR code to book your place:



Location:

Perins School, Pound Hill, Alresford, SO24 9BS



Our mission is

To change lives by improving health and wellbeing using the power of physical activity, sport and education.







For more information and to book, visit

www.activeme360.com





SOCCER SCHOOLS UP THE COMPLETE PLAYER PATHWAY



VENUE ROPLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL



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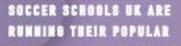
FOR MORE INFORMATION ON DUR BOLIDAY CAMP PROCEDURES, THE FORMAT OF THE DAY AND WHAT TO BRING, PLEASE CHECK THE HOLIDAY CAMPS SECTION, OF OUR WEBSITE-

CONTACT

admin@seccerschools-uk.com

BOOK ONLIN





CAMPS ON THE FOLLOWING DAYS DURING EASTER!

EASTER HOLIDAY CAMPS

MON 2ND - THU STN APRIL

MON OTH - FRI 12TH APRIL

COST

220 PER CHILD, PER DAY ISTANDARD DAY!

128 PER CHILD, PER DAY (EXTENDED DAY)

STANDARD HOURS

SHOP OFF FROM US.45am - UT.30am COLLECTION FROM 03:15pm - 4pm

EXTENDED HOURS

EARLY DEEP OFF FROM \$-15am-8-45gm (CS) LATE COLLECTION FROM Apr -4.45pm (ES) FOLL EXTENDED SAY 8.15am-4.45pm (E8)

ALL COACHES ARE FULLY LICENDED, HULD ENHANCED UBS (CR3) CERTIFICATES, HOL FULLY INSURED, COPYRIGRY SOCCER SCHOOLS UK 2822-23 ERSENCY AID CERTIFICATES AND ARE FULLY TRAINED!

Dates for your diary 2024

- Friday 15th March- Red Nose Day- Funny Hair Day*
- Wednesday 20th March Year 5 Strike a Pose presentation to parents*
- Thursday 21st March Year 6 Strike a Pose presentation to parents*
- Monday 25th March: Kestrels Swimming lessons finish (6 weeks)*
- Tuesday 26th March: Listen2Me concert to parents (Lower School)*
- Wednesday 27th March: Rock Steady Concert to parents starts promptly 9.15am
- Wednesday 27th March: Buzzards Swimming lessons finish (6 weeks)*
- Thursday 28th March: Easter Service at St Johns Church Year 5 to lead*
- Friday 29th March: GOOD FRIDAY
- Monday 1st April: EASTER MONDAY
- Tuesday 2nd Friday 12th April: Easter Holidays
- Thursday 18th April- Perins Creative Arts Festival*
- Monday 6th May: BANK HOLIDAY
- Thursday 9th May: Area Sports at Perins School (After-School Event)
- Monday 13th Thursday 16th May: SATs Exam week for Year 6
- Friday 17th May Wellbeing Day
- Friday 24th May Sports Day
- Monday 27th May BANK HOLIDAY
- Tuesday 28th May Friday 31st May HALF-TERM
- Friday 28th June INSET DAY
- Monday 1st July INSET DAY
- Monday 8th Friday 12th July Year 6 Residential Trip
- Tuesday 23rd July Last Day of term 1pm finish

*An email/letter has been sent home regarding this event.