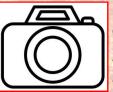


# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

# **Hand In Hand Achieving Together**

Newsletter No. 5 Thursday 5th October 2023



Rearranged Photo Session - Unfortunately due to the closure of school yesterday, several classes missed out on having their photo's taken. The photographers will be back with us next Wednesday (11th) to take these, along with anyone else who missed their photo this week.

**Book Fair** - We will be holding the Scholastic Book Fair in school throughout next week. Books will be available to browse and then purchase electronically with payment being made online. Please come along throughout the week, the books on sale can be viewed online via this link: Scholastic book fair

Parents are invited to see the Fair Monday - Friday 8:15 - 8:35am and after school from 3:15 - 3:45pm

Buying books from the fair will earn books for the school library

Don't forget about our Book Fair Competition! Entries close on Wednesday 11th October.

**Dojo** - We have received reports from some parents that they have seen requests for payment whilst using the dojo app. After speaking with Class Dojo, they have advised the following:

'The basic Class Dojo app is free for parents, teachers, and students to download and use! We have added a new, optional feature to the parent app called Class Dojo Plus that is available for purchase within the app. Class Dojo stays free for teachers and schools because of our optional subscription service.

COME TO THE BOOK FAIR WITH THE OWNER TO THE BOOK FAIR WITH THE OWNER THE THE



#### Key Dates -2022/23

Weds 11th Oct - School Photo's

Mon 9th Oct - Book Fair (whole

week)

Fri 20th Oct - Break up for Half Term

Mon 6th Nov - Back to School

Mon 18th Dec - Church Carol Service

Tues 19th Dec - Break up for Christmas

Tues 2nd Jan - Back to School

#### **School Meals**

School dinners are provided by Chartwells. The cost will increase in September to £2.75 per day.

Summer Menu will continue until October half term.

W/C 09/10 Menu Week 1

Families are under absolutely no obligation to purchase this subscription. All features to communicate with their teachers and school are free, and we are committed to those features always remaining free.'

We are looking for new Parent Governors - Please take a look at the poster further down the newsletter for more information.



Last week we took part in two tournaments for tag rugby. The first of these was the U11 girls team who played away at Wootton. The girls played extremely well, winning 5 games, drawing 1 and losing 1. They will now take part in a finals tournament at Wootton on the 19<sup>th</sup> October. The boys then took part in their tournament at Ryde school where again they performed very well, winning 3, losing 3 and drawing 1. Well done to both

of our tag rugby teams.

better luck next time.

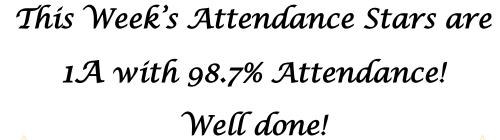
This week we had two football games for our U9 boys and girls who both played against Gurnard Primary. Both teams played well against their oppositions, however, despite a great performance they both lost 2-0 and 2-1 respectively. Well done to both teams,

Next week we have our U11 girls football team playing against Hunnyhill for their first game of the season. Good luck girls!













# School Attendance

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#### **School Start Times:**

Doors open at **8.30am** and register is taken promptly at **8.40am**.

It is essential children are in time for registration and ready to start the day in a timely manner.

School ends at 3.10pm—please arrive promptly to collect.



<u>Minutes Late</u> - The number of late arrivals after the register closed this week has meant that <u>58 minutes</u> of learning have been lost! Please remember school starts at 8.40 promptly.

Whole School Attendance: 95.3%

Target: 96%

Please remember to call school by <a href="mailto:9.00am">9.00am</a> on <a href="mailto:563372">563372</a> if your child is absent AND follow this up with a letter. We would appreciate letters via email where possible at <a href="mailto:admin@haylands.iow.sch.uk">admin@haylands.iow.sch.uk</a>

Regular meetings are held with the Education and Inclusion Assistant who monitors attendance.

If a letter is not received the absence will remain unauthorised.

## Isle of Wight School Terms And Holidays 2023 – 2024

Determined programme of school term and holiday dates for county and controlled schools for the academic year 2023/24

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**TUESDAY THURSDAY** MONDAY WEDNESDAY FRIDAY **Beef Bolognese** Cheese and Tomato Pizza o **Breaded Fish Pork Sausages** Roast Turkey 🤫 Served with Served with Mashed Served with Roast **Fingers** Wholemeal Pasta Served with Potato Potatoes and Gravy Potatoes and Gravy Served with Chips and Garlic and Wedges Herb Bread HOT MAINS Vegetarian Cauliflower **Tomato** Bolognese 💿 🐲 Macaroni Vegetarian Served with Pasta 🐲 **Ploughmans** Cheese Dippers • Wholemeal Pasta served with two Lunch Served with Chips Served with two and Garlic and vegetables vegetables Herb Bread **Jacket Potatoes Jacket Potatoes Jacket Potatoes Jacket Potatoes Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings, with a choice of hot and cold fillings including Salmon and cold fillings and cold fillings and cold fillings Mayonnaise » Tomato Pasta Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta 🔻 💥 All main meals are served with two vegetables

**Hot Chocolate** 

Sponge with

Chocolate

Custard

**Lemon Slice** 

with Fruit 🐞

**Strawberry** 

Jelly with Fruit



**Pineapple** 

Cake

DESSERT



**Crispy Crackle** 

Bar

# Welcome to Haylands



**Primary** 

Is your child starting school next September?

Join us for one of play sessions to see the fun we have learning together.



"The reception team go above and beyond to make the children feel welcome and settle in."

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November 9:00-10:00

"My son was very excited."

**Thursday** 9th November 9:00-10:00

If you can't make it to play with our Reception friends you can come on Wednesday 8th November 5-5:45pm



#### **Parent Governor Vacancies**

We are currently looking for new parent governors. If you have a commitment to improvement of outcomes for our pupils, a willingness to learn and an interest in being part of a friendly, inclusive and dedicated team then we would love you to join us.

#### Who are school governors?

School governors play an important role in helping to run schools. It is an extremely rewarding role and governors are the largest volunteer group in the country, working to do something positive and make a difference to education in the community. Our governors are a mix of people from our school community.

#### What don't we do?

We do not get involved in the day-to-day running of the schools, that is the job of the Headteacher and her team. We do not inspect the schools or their staff, we do not decide what the children are taught, and we do not make any judgements on the quality of teaching.

#### What are we looking for?

We are looking for two parent governors who are committed to Haylands Primary School and its future, with a keen and active interest in education and school improvement. We welcome nominations from anyone who has an enquiring mind and willing to learn. We ask our governors to commit to: -

- Attendance at meetings
- Maintaining confidentiality
- Training
- Visiting the schools

All newly appointed governors are also required to complete an enhanced DBS check.

We really look forward to welcoming two more parents onto the Haylands Primary School Governing Body. For further information and an application form please contact Alison Starnes, Clerk to governors at clerk@haylands.iow.sch.uk

#### What do governors do?

The school's governing board is responsible for providing confident and strategic leadership, creating robust accountability, and oversight and assurance for the schools' educational and financial performance. We are all passionate about education and committed to continuous school improvement to ensure the best possible outcomes for our pupils.

#### What do parent governors do?

There are several different types of governors and elected parent governors form an integral part of a governing body. You will be elected by the parents, however, you are not a parent representative and do not report back to parents. If parents have any comments about the way the school is run, they should always get in touch with the Headteacher and her team first.

#### What is the time commitment?

We hold monthly Full Governing Body meetings on a Wednesday evening and other statutory committees including Pay meet when needed. We expect governors to prepare for meeting by reading all the paperwork produced.

We would also hope you would get involved in additional link roles and responsibilities monitoring areas in the School Improvement Plan.

Currently training is available and there is reading to be done as part of your induction and to keep up to date with current educational thinking.

#### **Training and mentorship**

Training is an important part of learning your role as a governor and includes Induction, Safeguarding and any courses relevant to a link responsibility.

## Isle of Wight Family Information Hub

Helping families keep up to date with the information, support and advice that is available to them.

Visit www.familyinfohub.iow.gov.uk to find out more.













OPEN MORNING
SATURDAY 7 OCTOBER 10.00AM UNTIL 12.30PM

Join us for tours of the School, a Q&A session with the Head Master and senior team and an opportunity to talk to pupils, staff and parents. Enjoy displays, live music and drama rehearsals and join in with science experiments.

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07759111686

wightflagarts@gmail.com













October 2023

## Newsletter

## ET'S FACE SOME ISSUES!

Wednesday 18th Oct 18:30 - 19:30 FREE



**FREE SESSION** 

Family Meetings: Why and How

Monday 2nd Oct 18:30 - 20:30

£24



**Understanding** the Teenage Brain

Why teens think, feel and behave differently from adults

23rd Oct



**Understanding Anger** 

Yours and theirs - what is anger, why do we feel it and how can we manage

**Thursday** 26th Oct

18:30 - 20:30



Supporting a Child with ADHD

interactive session explaining what ADHD is nd offering a range of interventions that can make lasting differences.

info@facefamilyadvice.co.uk

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Extra session added due to demand from parents and teachers

"Every parent and teacher should see this..." Mr Mead, Headteacher at Lytchett Minster school, Dorset.

Do you sometimes find your teens behaviour confusing? challenging? worrying?



#### UNDERSTANDING THE TEENAGE BRAIN

30th October 2023, 6:30-8:30pm

Jane Keyworth, Lead Facilitator at FACE giving a two hour talk to parents (and teachers!), explaining why teens, think, feel, and behave very differently from adults.

Book online now £24 facefamilyadvice.co.uk

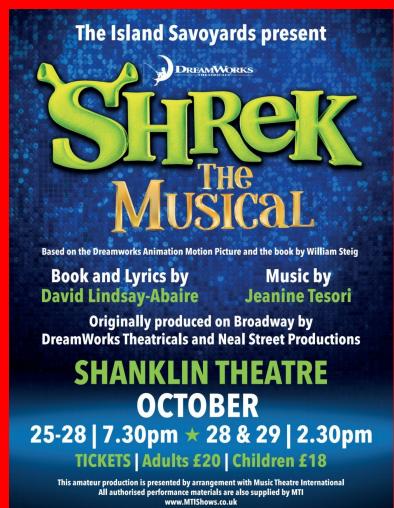
### Anxiety Explained

Do you, or your children (especially your teens) suffer from anxiety? Would you like to know what anxiety is and gain some understanding on how to manage it?



A two-hour online talk delivered by Jane Keyworth, Lead Facilitator at FACE on 21st September (6:30pm to 8:30pm) £24 Available to book now facefamilyadvice.co.uk

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## THE SONGWRITERS DEN

A PLACE FOR LIKE MINDED YOUNG PEOPLE TO GET TOGETHER AND WRITE SONGS

WRITE LYRICS AND SHARE IDEAS

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CREATE CHORD PROGRESSIONS AND COMPOSE MUSIC

> **LEARN SONG WRITING TECHNIQUES**

OPPORTUNITIES TO PERFORM SONGS AT FESTIVALS

FOR 8 TO 16 YR OLDS - NO EXPERIENCE REQUIRED MEETS EVERY WEDNESDAY - CARISBROOKE CHURCH HALL @ 3.45PM TO 4.45PM £28 PER MONTH (£14 PER MONTH FOR BARNARDO'S REFERRALS) FOR INFO PLEASE EMAIL: ISLANDMUSICMAKERS@GMAIL.COM OR CALL 07868 651050 - VISIT US AT FACEBOOK.COM/ISLANDMUSICMAKERS





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#### Nurdle hunting walk with Planet Aware

We will take in the beautiful ocean views from Brook to Compton, part of the AONB, whilst learning more about the notorious nurdles and hunting for them in the sand. We will encounter a tale, creative moment or game in relation to these plastic pellets that are polluting our oceans and coastline, along the way.

Plastic pollution is damaging our marine environment so join us in this awareness raising walk, have some fun and time by the sea and hopefully return home with some ideas for positive change.

Start time: 11:30 am

Length: 1.5 miles

Duration: 1h 30m

Price: Voluntary donation requested but not obligatory.

Location: Brook National Trust Car Park, PO30 4HB Grid Ref: SZ385835

Bus route/s: 12

Closest bus stop/s: Brook Chine

Pace of walk\*:

1 2 3

This walk will follow a gentle pace.

Finish:

Location: Compton Bay, PO30 4HB Grid Ref: SZ 36311 84977 Bus route/s: 12

Closest bus stop/s: Compton Bay

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Walk grade\*:

Fairly Easy

Gentle, rolling landscape, walking on paths with good to average surfaces. Some walking on gentle inclines, some stiles or steps to be expected en route.

### REGISTER FOR THIS W

lease register for this walk by clicking th

#### Facilities

Rest stops

Linear walk

Sturdy boots recommended

††∰ Family friendly

Takes in coastal scenery

Beach rock pool exploration There are steps on the route

Contact the walk leader only if you have

specific questions about this walk or arrangements on the day of the walk.

Phone number: To cancel your space on this walk please email walking@visitwight.org. For any questions regarding this walk, please contact Sarah on 07960866982 or info@planetaware.co.uk.



## Keeping children safe online

## **Parent Guides to Online Safety**



A Parent's Guide to Social Media



A Parent's Guide to **Sharing Pictures** 



A Parent's Guide to Gaming













A Parent's Guide to **Online Grooming** 

A Parent's Guide to

**Online Influencers** 



A Parent's Guide to **Fake News** 



A Parent's Guide to

Live Streaming

A Parent's Guide to **Privacy Settings** 



Parents please contact your school to enquire attending their next e-safety workshop or have any concerns.

Working with Home Office 'PREVENT', The Police and Crime Commissioner and Children's Safeguarding Partnerships to help keep children safe online.

Skips Educational Email: info@skips.com Tel: +44 121 227 1941









#### Age Restrictions on Social Media

It is against the law to be on social media sites under the age of 13!

The COPPA law or Children's Online Privacy Protection Act states that any organisations or people operating online services (including social media services) are not allowed to collect the personal information of anyone under the age of 13 without parental permission.



Facebook, Instagram, Twitter and Snapchat all require users to be at least 13 years old before they can create an account.



Creating a Facebook account with false information is a violation of Facebook's terms, including accounts registered for someone under 13.



The minimum age for WhatsApp is 16 years old. YouTube requires account holders to be aged 18 years and over.

#### Apps

Apps can be a positive place for young people to socialise with peers. Many enable instant messaging, social networking and image sharing.

Some, like YouTube, can also be a great creative outlet. But

- Privacy settings and age relevance
- Talking to them about the content they share Discussing the consequences of sharing messages and images.

saferinternet.org.uk/advice-centre/social-media-guides

swgfl.org.uk/online-safety-resources

Internet Matters: internetmatters.org/advice/apps-guide



#### Instant Messaging

with what's going on right now. However there is a risk of unsolicited contact. If your child is using messenger services you should:

- Look at the privacy settings
- Ensure they understand that they may be talking to people they don't know and the risks this brings
- · Talk to them about what is and isn't appropriate to send.

ceop.police.uk/safety-centre Connect Safely: connectsafely.org/guides-3/





Pick up a copy of this checklist along with other Online Safety materials at swgflstore.com

We are a not-for-profit charitable trust providing schools with fast reliable internet connectivity and services, learning technologies to improve outcomes, and toolkits for being safer online. We are also coordinators of the UK Safer Internet Centre.

Find out more at swgfl.org.uk





### Online Safety Guidance for Parents



Online spaces, games and media form a large part of life for young people growing up today. They offer platforms to connect wi others and to learn.

Of course there are risks associated with being online, as there are with all aspects of life. These include:

- Exposure to inappropriate content
   Sharing too much personal information
   Connecting with harmful people and
- · Spending unhealthy amounts of time online.

One of the best ways to help young people stay safe online is to talk to them about what they do.

If you understand the situations they encounter you'll be better placed to offer them advice on how to deal with them.

UK Safer Internet Centre advice centre for parents and carers: us saier internet centre advice centre for parents and cars saferinternet cog ukdavice-centre/parents and cars South West Grid for Learning: swgfl.org.uk/magazine Vodafone Digital Parenting: vodafonedigitalparenting.co.uk London School of Economics Parenting for a Digital Future: blogs lse ac.uk/parenting4digitalfuture/

#### Gaming

Gaming is fun but be aware that it can be all consuming. Some things to consider:

- Use the gaming consoles' safety settings
- · Agree with your child how much time they can spend
- playing online
   Pay attention to the PEGI (age) ratings and what they mean · Remember that some online games have inbuilt chat functions
- Be aware that your child might use servers or 3rd party applications to access interactive online communities.

UK Safer Internet Centre guides:

pegi.info

Common Sense Media commonsensemedia.org/revie

Ask About Games: askaboutgames.com

#### Bullying

Remember, it's not the technology that's the problem, it's the bullies' behaviour. Support young people by:

- Talking about bullving issues
- Making sure young people know that they can turn to you
- for support
   Reporting any incidents it will help your child and others too.

UK Safer Internet Centre tips: saferinternet.org.uk/cyberbullying-tips

Anti Bullving Alliance:

ENABLE Anti-bullying Programme: http://bit.ly/23SHU3Q

cybersmile.org/advice-help/category/advice-pa



#### Live Streaming

Broadcasting online brings an instant thrill that can be addictive. Encourage young people to think about:

· Body image - talk to them about how they want to be perceived

online and who their audience might be
Privacy - how do they protect it? You can't edit something that is going out 'live'

· Age appropriate - is the site they're using appropriate for them? Most social media sites are aimed at 13 year olds and wards. If not, is there a way to make it safer for them (e.g.

SWGfL body image blog: swgfl.org.uk/magazine/bodyimage

internetmatters.org/parental-controls/entertainment

YouTube Kids Parental Guide:

