



## The Holme C of E Primary School

## Weekly Newsletter Issue 26 28th March 2024

### Spring Term Week 13! HAPPY EASTER!

Dear Parents and Carers,

Wow! What a busy week! Thank you to everyone who joined us for our Easter Service. Thank you to Mrs Hoe, Yann and our worship team for putting together such a lovely service.

I'd like to start with a big well done to our Year 3 and 4 classes for their stunning performance of Jonah— 'A Fishy Tale' this week. The children never fail to impress me with their enthusiasm and ability to learn words, lines, actions and get on stage to perform in front of an audience! Well done and thank you to everyone involved.

Thank you also to the parents who volunteered to help our site manager with collecting picnic benches for our children to use in the summer term. Our sincere thanks go to Mr Stobbart, Mr Dorans and Mr O'Reilly for offering to help and to Mr Newens & Miss Gatcum for giving up their Saturday morning to help Mr Jaworski.

Talking of Thank you's another big thank you to our FROTH team for the Easter Eggs today. The children had great fun finding and collecting sticks and swapping them for an Easter Egg.

It has been a week of Easter activities all around school this week with Easter gardens, Easter nests, Easter Cards and our Easter RE units. The children also had the opportunity to visit prayer spaces around school as part of Easter Pause day following out service on Wednesday.

Year 5 had an extra 'bit of excitement' this week with their 'Titanic Tea Party' scone making. Lots of delicious creations and the children were able to articulate why their scone design should make it up to the 1st class tea rooms on board the Titanic!

Our attendance award went to Year 4 this week with 94.6% . Well done Falcons. I would like to remind you that if your child is absent from school, you need to let us know on a daily basis, the reason for absence. (Absence will be un-authorised if we haven't heard by 9am.) As you know attendance is an area we are really keen to improve and we do really need everyone to be attendance 'HERO's at school—Here, Everyday, Ready and On time! Please also be aware that I cannot authorise family holidays. As much as we recognise the importance of family time together and the expense of holidays during scheduled breaks, every minute in school really does count!

I'd like to finish on a bit of a serious note. I often remind parents of the importance of keeping children with you at the beginning and end of the day to keep them safe. As you know, safety is of paramount importance to us in school, hence our safeguarding policies and procedures, secure boundary, sign in system, visitor/volunteer/contractor checks and safer recruitment procedures etc. Please, please let us know as soon as possible if 'going' home arrangements for your child change at any point during the day and please keep them in your sight once they have been dismissed into your care.

I think that is all for this week. I hope you have a lovely, restful Easter break and I look forward to seeing you all back here on Tuesday 16th April, following our INSET day on.

Many thanks

Sarah Stevenson

Headteacher



Nourish, Thrive, Bloom



### KEY DATES

- Monday 15th April INSET day
- Tuesday 16th April—children back to school.
- 13th May—SATs Week
- Future INSET days—  
Monday and Tuesday 22nd and 23rd July 2024, Monday and Tuesday 2nd and 3rd September 2024, Monday 20th January 2025 and Monday 24th February 2025.



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### *Year 3 Forest Session*

#### **Forest school information!**

Mr Milam will again be leading this fantastic opportunity for our children with the class teacher. We are running the sessions slightly differently this term so that pupil groups have a solid unit of sessions.

April 26, May 3,10, 17,24 June 7 - Year 1  
June 14, 21,28,5,12,19 - Year 6

Ideally the children should wear the following as a minimum, although this week has been very warm in the forest:

- Vest
- Short or long sleeved tee shirt
- Jumper or fleece (1 or 2 thinner ones work well)
- A hat which will fit under a hood
- Gloves or mittens which may be worn when required
- 2 pairs of socks
- Jogging bottoms

As we are approaching the Autumn/Winter months and the forest can be very cold and wet, please ensure that your child has several layers of clothing on with a change of socks. The children should come to school in their forest school clothes and can stay in them for the whole day. Please make sure though that they do have a change of socks and dry shoes or boots. If you have your own waterproofs from home then please do wear them however the school have a supply for you to wear!



#### **PE INFORMATION**

- Monday—Woodpeckers, Nightingales and Falcons
- Tuesday—Falcons
- Wednesday - Robins and Hawks
- Thursday—Nightingales, Owls and Woodpeckers.
- Friday—Hawks and Robins

#### **FROTH DATES**

- Friday 19th April - Cream Tea
- 26th April Non Uniform St Georges day. Wear red and white for bottle donations.
- Friday 24th May - Non uniform Rainbows - Rainbow raffle donations (class colours TBC)
- Friday 7th June—Bingo
- Friday 21st June - Crazy hair day for Chocolate raffle donations.
- Friday 28th June Colour Run and Summer Fair





*Easter Prayer space, scones, Easter Gardens, Our Spiritual Garden, Easter nest making and Year 3 Easter cards!*





# JUNIOR CRICKET

For Boys & Girls

**INDOOR**  
Cricket  
Sessions  
with ECB qualified  
Coaches



## Winter INDOOR Cricket Coaching Sessions

*Nets for Juniors in 2024*

at Oakmoor School – Budds Lane, Bordon GU35 0JB

**Every Saturday Afternoon for 6 Weeks**

**Starts:** Saturday 24th February to Saturday 30th March 2024



Under 9's (year 4 & below)

3pm – 4pm

Under 11's (years 5 & 6)

4pm – 5pm

Under 14's (years 7, 8 & 9)

5pm – 6pm

**No need to buy all the gear...**

*Just put on a pair of trainers and come along!*

**First session FREE for newcomers**

**Fun training and matches continue throughout the summer.**

*We make sure all Juniors are selected to play in games.*

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For more information please contact: **Jilly Arend** on 07931 619224

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[www.headleycricketclub.co.uk](http://www.headleycricketclub.co.uk)



**Bordon's First Menopause Café** is a lively monthly discussion group that aims to break down the stigma of menopause by increasing awareness

We share tips, the latest information, and amusing anecdotes over a coffee. All topics are chosen by participants and hosted by a qualified Health Coach

Next dates:

- Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> January 2024
- Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February
- Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March
- Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April
- Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> May

St Marks Church, Pinehill Road, Bordon GU35 0BS  
(behind Lidl) Free parking

For next dates or more information contact Kat Kivell,  
Menopause Health Coach [livegrowlove@katkivell.co.uk](mailto:livegrowlove@katkivell.co.uk)  
or just drop by!

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# WEEK 1

## WEEK STARTING:

October 30

November 20

December 11

January 15

February 5

March 4

March 25



## MONDAY

### CHOOSE FROM

- Plant-based burger in a bap with diced potatoes

Spaghetti bolognaise

### ON THE SIDE

Vegetables of the day

### TO FINISH

Yoghurt, fruit and freshly baked mini shortbread biscuit

## TUESDAY

### CHOOSE FROM

- Tomato pasta
- Italian style chicken goujons with diced potatoes

### ON THE SIDE

Vegetables of the day

### TO FINISH

Chocolate brownie

## WEDNESDAY

### CHOOSE FROM

- Handmade margherita pizza with crinkle cut wedges

Chicken and oriental style vegetable rice

### ON THE SIDE

Vegetables of the day

### TO FINISH

Fruit and jelly

## THURSDAY

### CHOOSE FROM

- Quorn chicken pieces in a Yorkshire pudding
- Sliced beef and Yorkshire pudding

### ON THE SIDE

Vegetables of the day, roast potatoes and gravy

### TO FINISH

Lemon drizzle sponge

## FRIDAY

### CHOOSE FROM

- Sweet potato and lentil curry with a blend of brown and white rice

Baked fish fingers and chips

### ON THE SIDE

Vegetables of the day

### TO FINISH

Freshly baked shortbread biscuit

# WEEK 2

## WEEK STARTING :

November 6

November 27

January 1

January 22

February 19

March 11



Our primary school menus comply with the Government's food and nutritional standards, meeting an average of **530 calories** for each meal



## MONDAY

### CHOOSE FROM

- Meat-free hotdog with diced potatoes

Cottage pie

### ON THE SIDE

Vegetables of the day

### TO FINISH

Yoghurt, fruit and freshly baked mini shortbread biscuit

## TUESDAY

### CHOOSE FROM

- Roasted vegetable lasagne
- Chicken nuggets with diced potatoes

### ON THE SIDE

Vegetables of the day

### TO FINISH

Apple flapjack

## WEDNESDAY

### CHOOSE FROM

- Handmade margherita pizza with crinkle cut wedges
- Ham carbonara with penne pasta

### ON THE SIDE

Vegetables of the day

### TO FINISH

Fruit and jelly

## THURSDAY

### CHOOSE FROM

- Vegetable pastry crown
- Roast chicken and Yorkshire pudding

### ON THE SIDE

Vegetables of the day, roast potatoes and gravy

### TO FINISH

Victoria sponge

## FRIDAY

### CHOOSE FROM

- Somerset cheddar cheese and potato frittata
- Baked battered fish and chips

### ON THE SIDE

Vegetables of the day

### TO FINISH

Jumble biscuit



# WEEK 3

## WEEK STARTING :

Week Starting

November 13

December 4

January 8

January 29

February 26

March 18



## TUESDAY

### CHOOSE FROM

- ⑤ Macaroni cheese with Somerset cheddar

Chicken curry with a blend of brown and white rice

### ON THE SIDE

Vegetables of the day

### TO FINISH

Love cake

## THURSDAY

### CHOOSE FROM

- ⑤ Meat-free sausage puff
- Roast chicken and Yorkshire pudding

### ON THE SIDE

Vegetables of the day, roast potatoes and gravy

### TO FINISH

Chocolate orange sponge

## MONDAY

### CHOOSE FROM

- ⑤ Somerset cheddar cheese and tomato quesadilla with diced potatoes
- Pork sausage roll with diced potatoes

### ON THE SIDE

Vegetables of the day

### TO FINISH

Yoghurt, fruit and freshly baked mini shortbread biscuit

## WEDNESDAY

### CHOOSE FROM

- ⑤ Handmade margherita pizza
- Bubble salmon

### ON THE SIDE

Vegetables of the day and crinkle cut wedges

### TO FINISH

Fruit and jelly

## FRIDAY

### CHOOSE FROM

- ⑤ Vegetable and bean burrito
- Baked fish fingers and chips

### ON THE SIDE

Vegetables of the day

### TO FINISH

Freshly baked marble shortbread biscuit

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# YOUR JACKET POTATO MENU



**MONDAY**

**Cheddar Cheese**

**TUESDAY**

**Baked Beans**

**WEDNESDAY**

**Tuna Mayonnaise**

**THURSDAY**

**Baked Beans**

**FRIDAY**

**Cheddar Cheese**

ALL SERVED  
WITH A CHOICE  
OF SALAD OR  
VEGETABLE OF  
THE DAY



DESSERT  
INCLUDED



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# Youth Theatre

At The Phoenix Theatre

Aged between 4 - 20?

Interested in Theatre?

**Join our Youth Theatre and become part of something wonderful.**

You'll get to work with likeminded young people in supportive groups led by theatre professionals. You will learn theatre making skills, create dynamic theatre productions and have fun in weekly term time workshops. Youth Theatre members also get discounts on selected shows from Phoenix Arts throughout the year.

## **Tuesday Evenings (*During Term Time*)**

Ages 4 - 7, 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Ages 8 - 11, 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Ages 12 - 15, 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Ages 16 - 20, 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM



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