

Padnell Post



Giving Citizen Resilient Learner Original Thinker Wise Worker

4th October 2024. Autumn Term No 5

Are you ready for a long weekend? Don't forget Monday is an INSET. Staff will be learning how to support children with bereavement, led by Rowans Hospice and training to use a new assessment system in school.

Safeguarding – Whatever you have planned please take a moment to review what your child is viewing on line. We have four year olds talking about 'Skibidi toilet' which is really not very pleasant and although some children may not be affected by it, it could lead to toileting issues and nightmares for others. Remember Lee Hayward is available for appointments at parents evening to help you with online safety for your child.



School Photographs

Have you ordered your school photos yet? A polite reminder that the closing date for **free delivery** back to school is **Thursday 10th October 2024**. Order through the Tempest website using your unique link or visit www.tempest-orders.co.uk If you need any assistance in ordering your photos, feel free to contact Tempest on 01736 751555 (option 3).



Whole School Dinner

Thank you for supporting the school with this event.

Thank you for your patience

Life in school is extremely busy and we are operating at capacity. Due to this, we are no longer able to offer immediate appointments at parental request due to busy diaries and teaching commitments. We will always prioritise safeguarding but for anything else, we will allocate appointments like other professionals, by a triage system. Emails will be answered within 2 working days and we will endeavour to make appointments within a two-week period. Thank you for your understanding and continued support.



Be Bright, Be Seen

As you can see from the attached joint letter, on the last day of term we are asking the children to come to school in bright clothes instead of their uniform to help raise awareness of road safety.

Year R Phonics Workshop presentation

If you were unable to make the workshop, the presentation is now on our website:

https://padnellinfant.ovw8.juniperwebsites.co.uk/_site/data/files/curriculum/B4A0E5CE5BADE91C36DBF9BD2DDB26E8.pdf

Charlie and the Chocolate Factory

This is on at the Kings theatre from 8th – 13th October. For year 2 children in particular this might be of interest, as it is starring our very own 'Jeanette' one of our wonderful volunteers who reads every week with them.

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Yr R National Child Measurement Programme

Today is the deadline to opt out of the HCC National Child Measurement Programme.

No action is required if you are happy for your child to be measured. **However, if you do not** want your child's height or weight to be measured please email us (admin@padnell-inf.hants.sch.uk). Thank you.

Families with SEND children

A new informal **consultation** has been launched to seek the views families who have children with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND), in a bid to improve SEND services and participation opportunities in Hampshire.

The consultation is open until **3 November 2024**. Please submit your views to help develop SEND Services in Hampshire. It should only take approximately 10 minutes.

Online workshops

If you are interested in attending an online workshop to help you understand low mood and depression in young people please see the attached poster.

Pokémon Club

Does your child like Pokémon? 1st Cowplain Scouts hold a Pokémon Club every month; please see the attached leaflet for details.

Little Pickles Market

Are you looking to sell some things your child has outgrown? Or perhaps pick up a bargain or two. If so, please see the attached leaflet

Kind Regards,

Mrs Mandy Grayson
Headteacher



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PADNELL PARENT HUB
WHERE FAMILIES GROW TOGETHER

Parent Hub with our Parent Partner

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday

Help & Advice on sleep, eating, behaviour, support, relationships.

Food bank info, community events.

Pre-loved Uniform, Coat Swap

Stay and play for little ones

Coffee and Chat

8.40am – 10am

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Diary Dates 2024 - 2025

Date	Event	Year Group	Info
Monday 7th October	INSET Day	Whole School (Children only)	School closed to Children
Wednesday 9th October 1pm	Deadline for Parents Evening Bookings	Whole School	Please make an appointment to see your child's class teacher by 1pm today
Monday 14th, Tuesday 15th or Wednesday 15th October	Harvest Donations	Whole School	Please take your donations to your child's class on any of these days.
Wednesday 16th October	Harvest Assembly	Whole School (Children only)	
Wednesday 16th October 3.10pm - 7pm	Parents Evening	Whole School	3.10pm - 7pm
Wednesday 16th October	No Gymnastics		
Thursday 17th October 3.10pm - 5.30pm	Parents Evening	Whole School	3.10pm - 5.30pm
Wednesday 23rd October (after school)	PIPSA Costume Sale		Details to follow
Thursday 24th October	Junior School Photos (Siblings can attend)	Whole School	Before School
Thursday 24th October 2.45pm	Year R Sharing Assembly	Year R Parents	

Thursday 24th October (after school)	PIPSA Costume Sale		Details to follow
Friday 25th October	Be Bright, Be Seen	Whole School	Non School Uniform (Bright clothes)
Friday 25th October	Last Day of Term		
Monday 28th October to Friday 1st November	Half Term		School Closed
Monday 4th November	Return to School		