

Padnell Post



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H Jackson Brown Jr

28th May 2021. Summer Term No 6

Happy Half term. I hope you have some nice things planned now that more is available to us all. The children are definitely in need of a break from the focussed learning and busy life of a class of 29 other children.

Wraparound care at Padnell Schools

If you haven't already completed the questionnaire could you please click on this link - <https://forms.office.com/r/D6R7Vby4Hw> - and complete by Monday 7th June. Thank you.



Class Photographs

The link to view and order class photographs was sent on Monday (<http://htmp.st/PadnellInfantSchool>).

There will be a "deliver to school" option open for approximately 14 days from 24th May, otherwise home delivery is available for £5 postage and packing.

If you need assistance, please call Tempest Photography on 01736 751555 (option 3) or click on "contact us" on their home page (<https://www.htempest.co.uk/contact-htempest>)

LLP Visit

We welcomed our Lead Learning Partner from HCC into school this week to complete some 'deep dives' on 6 of our curriculum areas, so that we can continue to embed the Intent, Implementation and Impact aspects in line with recently changed Ofsted requirements.

Crafty Club

Crafty Club is a facility for working parents. Numbers have increased and some parents are struggling to book the sessions they need.

Please can we ask that you don't use the club as an alternative "after school" facility so we can accommodate all of our community. Thank you.



Governors

Thank you to Mrs Hall for attending and supporting the year 1 Sports Day on behalf of the Governing Body. She was able to report on the organisation of the event, the enjoyment of the children and the teamwork shown and also the health and safety elements taken into account.

Thank you also to Mrs Lazell who met with Mrs Grayson to analyse the current data drop and to discuss pupil progress.

Year R Assembly

It was a wonderful, almost tearful moment to hold the first assembly in the hall for the year R children. They 'assembled' beautifully and showed great Wise Working skills listening to the classical music on arrival and the story read by myself.

Giving Citizen News!

How wonderful it was to receive an email sharing how one of our children, Scarlett Parker, was upholding one of our school values in the local community. Scarlett wanted to give her sweetie money this week to buy a homeless person something to make them smile. Well done Scarlett, we are all proud of you and your example of kindness.

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Chicken Watch

Our little chicks have all sprouted wings and will soon be flying off to their new homes. The children have got so much from seeing this process. Hopefully after half term we will be rehoming 4 slightly older chickens to join our lonely little hen in our coup and all children will get continual enjoyment from seeing them grow.



Eat them to Defeat them!

As you can see from the attached letter, we are once again taking part in the "Eat them to Defeat them" campaign. We hope you will be able to join our live "cookalongs" in the PIPSA Facebook group:

Eat them to Defeat them LIVE Cookalong

Spotlight Vegetable: Tomato

Guest Chef: Mrs Grayson

Recipe: Simple Tomato Sauce – Perfect for Pasta

You will need:

- 1tbsp olive oil
- 1 small onion
- 1 garlic clove
- 400g tin of chopped tomatoes
- ½ crumbled vegetable stock cube
- 1tbsp tomato purée
- 1tsp sugar
- 1tsp dried oregano

**Don't forget to tune in at 4:30pm on:
Tuesday 8th June 2021**

Kindness Workshop

On Monday 17th May the children in Year 1 took part in a kindness workshop run by "52 lives". They have asked that the parents of those children complete this short online survey to help them plan future workshops. It only takes a couple of minutes if you feel able to help.

<https://surveys.insightadsurveys.co.uk/s3/Worshop003> Thank you.

Kids' Kindness Club

This is a great opportunity to spread kindness across the community. Please encourage your child to join the free Kids' Kindness Club (some teachers join this club as well!). Members receive a weekly email newsletter filled with kindness challenges, quizzes, and the chance to earn kindness badges and win prizes. Find out more here:- <https://schoolofkindness.org/kids-club>



Half Term

School will finish at the usual time this afternoon for half term. We return to school on Monday 7th June.



NOTIFICATION PROCEDURE FOR POSITIVE COVID TEST RESULT FOR YOUR CHILD IN THE HOLIDAYS

Although "normal life" is slowly returning, we must still remain contactable during the first part of half term in order to manage any positive cases that may occur in the community after we close today.

Therefore, we ask that you read the following and act accordingly should the need arise:

- If your child develops any of the Covid-19 symptoms from leaving

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school up until and including the evening of Sunday 30th May, please email us at: admin@padnell-inf.hants.sch.uk and arrange a PCR test.

- Please email us again when you receive your child's test result. Staff will check the email account once a day, from home to receive these, so please don't telephone or leave any messages as they will not be picked up.

Everyone currently undertaking lateral flow testing is asked to continue throughout the holiday period, so please check your emails up until Sunday in case any positive result affects you. Although not in school your child would still be required to isolate in accordance with Government rules if identified by track and trace systems in school.

We very much hope that this will not be the case and everyone in our community can enjoy the break.

Kind Regards,

Mrs Grayson
Headteacher

GROW

- Giving Citizen
- Resilient Learner
- Original thinker
- Wise Worker



Dates

Date	Event	Who	Details
Monday 31st May to Friday 4th June	School Closed - Whitsun Half Term	Whole School	School Closed
Monday 7th June	Return to school		
w/c 28 th June	Phonics Testing week	Year 1	
w/c 28 th June	SATS week	Year 2	
Monday 5 th July	New Class Notification letters home	Whole School	
Monday 5 th July	Internet Safety Session	Year R	
Tuesday 6 th July	Internet Safety Sessions	Year 1 & Year 2	
Thursday 8th and Friday 9th July	INSET Days	Whole School	School Closed
w/c 12 th July	Transition Week	Whole School	
Tuesday 13 th or Wednesday 14 th or Thursday 15 th July	New Year R one "Stay & Play" session	New Year R children	Dates will be given in June for your session
Friday 16 th July 4pm	Owls Leavers Picnic	Owls	
Monday 19 th July	Reports to be sent home	Whole School	
Monday 19 th July	PIPSA End of Year event	Whole School	
Tuesday 20 th July	School Trip to Fort Purbrook	Year 1 Class	
Tuesday 20 th July 4pm	Woodpeckers Leavers Picnic	Woodpeckers	
Wednesday 21 st July 4pm	Finches Leavers Picnic	Finches	
Wednesday 21 st July	School Trip to Staunton Country Park	Year R	
Wednesday 21 st July	School Trip to Fort Purbrook	Year 1 Class	
Thursday 22 nd July	School Trip to Fort Purbrook	Year 1 Class	
Thursday 22 nd July	School Trip to Stubington Study Centre	Year 2	
Friday 23rd July	Last day of term		
Monday 26 th July to Wednesday 1 st September	School Closed – Summer Holidays	Whole School	
Thursday 2 nd September	Return to School	Whole School	