

HEADTEACHER'S UPDATE 24 March 2023



Dear Parents,

What a busy term it has been with the SIAMS Inspection, Reports and Parents Evenings! One of the high points was a visit from the Mayor and Mayoress of Fareham. This came about as a result of a year 6 pupil, Renée, writing to invite them to Hook, following the school councils very successful trip to the Mayor's parlour in January. It was lovely to see all the children benefiting from a pupil's actions.

We are very much looking forward to the Easter celebrations next week and I hope many of you are able to join us both at the church and for the hat parade.

Easter Services –

KS1	Tuesday 28th March	09:30	
KS2	Wednesday 29th March	09:30	3S; 4S; Year 5; Year 6 10:45 3H; 4HJ; Year 5; Year 6

Easter Hat Parade - Friday 31st March - We are looking forward to seeing the children's Easter or new life theme hats. These should be brought into school next Friday, 31st March when the children will parade on the junior playground, after registration at 9.00am, weather permitting. If you are staying to watch, please ensure you stand in the centre of the junior playground while the children parade around the edge before going back in to their classes.

2nd Hand Uniform Sale – There will be a PTFA Second-hand uniform sale next **Monday, 27th March** after school in the hall. Items available include PE kit, logo tops, shorts, skirts and summer dresses. Prices begin at 50p, please bring cash. Please note that any **un-named** and **unclaimed** jumpers/cardigans in lost property will be added to the sale.

Infant and Junior Disco night - 21st April – Please follow the links below to sign your child up for the School Discos

Infant link: <https://www.pta-events.co.uk/hwvschoolptfa/index.cfm?event=event&eventId=61173>

Junior Link: <https://www.pta-events.co.uk/hwvschoolptfa/index.cfm?event=event&eventId=61185>

Coronation Celebrations - we will be celebrating the Coronation of King Charles III on **Friday May 5th**. Children are invited to wear red, white and blue on this day. We will be having a celebration in the afternoon and we ask that each child bring a decorated cupcake to eat during this session.

Menu – After Easter a new HC3S Menu comes into force. Hard copies are available from the school office or available to download from the school website. Please note that once again on Tuesday of next week the Jacket Potato will be served with Chicken Mayo.

Eating Outside Permission – As soon as the weather starts improving we would like to offer all children the opportunity to eat their own packed lunch (or an Infant Picnic lunch when they become available) outside on the playground. Please complete the online form accessed via the link below for every child to let us know whether or not you are happy for your child to eat outside. <https://forms.office.com/r/hdq5yJ2xjZ>

Online Safety Newsletter – Please find attached the March 2023 edition of the online safety newsletter for your information.

Rock2theBeat – There are a few spaces for current Year 4, 5 and 6 to join 'Rock 2 the Beat' in the summer term, playing Electric Guitar, Bass Guitar, Vocals or Drums. Hampshire Music are also building their waiting list for **September 2023**, which is open to current Year 3, 4 and 5, with spaces on all instruments (Vocals, Electric Guitar, Bass Guitar, Keyboard and Drums). If you would like to sign up for a place, please visit www.rock2thebeat.org.uk/signup to fill in the form, and they will be in touch to offer a place if there is one available. The lessons take place during the school day on a Thursday. To find out more about Rock 2 the Beat, please visit www.rock2thebeat.org.uk.

Easter Tennis Sports Camps – JG Tennis are running sports camps at Warsash tennis club between Monday 3rd April- Thursday 6th April from 9am to 3pm. For all information and booking please follow the link <https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/WarsashCoaching/Coaching/Camps>

IDPE Summer Term Sports Camps – IDPE have opened the bookings for their Summer term time sports clubs.

Year 1-2 Dodgeball after-school Club:

Book for Summer 1 - <https://idpe-sport.class4kids.ie/info/21>

Book for Summer 2 - <https://idpe-sport.class4kids.ie/info/32>

Year 3-7 Community Dodgeball Club:

Book for Summer 1 - <https://idpe-sport.class4kids.ie/info/23>

Book for Summer 2 - <https://idpe-sport.class4kids.ie/info/34>

Year 1-4 Multi-sport after-school Club:

Book for Summer 1 - <https://idpe-sport.class4kids.ie/info/27>

Book for Summer 2 - <https://idpe-sport.class4kids.ie/info/38>

Please note that IDPE have split the courses up to have bookings for Summer 1 and Summer 2 to help families with costings. Furthermore, their booking system allows you to book now, pay later! Simply enter your child's details and complete the form to confirm their place. You can then return later to authorise payment. Please email bookings@idpesport.co.uk if you have any questions.

Free Online Courses for Parents – Hampshire Library Service are running Free Online Courses for Parents over the Summer Term. Please see attached flyers for further information.

Hampshire What's On - With the Easter break approaching, we are pleased to share with you upcoming activities and events for families that are happening across Hampshire in museums, galleries and arts centres.

<https://hello.hampshireculture.org.uk/75YQ-EJZX-2B33QV-8VYX0-1/c.aspx>

Payment Reminders –

Y6 France £105.00 31 March 2023

***URGENT** - Don't forget to also send in the completed Group Passport application form **AND** 2 photos.

Y5 (Y4) Dorset £70.00 17 April 2023

Music £60.00 28 April 2023

And finally...

When it arrives, we wish you all a fun filled Easter holiday. We will look forward to seeing you back in school on **Monday 17th April**.

Yours sincerely

Sara Willoughby

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Attachments:

Online Safety Newsletter;

Hampshire Libraries Free Online Courses;

PTFA Disco Flyer;

Rock2theBeat Information Brochure

Dates for your diary

Sun	26 Mar	Clocks go FORWARD	
Mon	27 Mar	HMS Music – Guitar (am) PTFA 2 Hand Uniform Sale (Hall)	Y4 Football - Lunchtime
Tue	28 Mar	9:30am Infant Easter Service HMS Music – Drums (pm)	Spanish – Lunchtime IDPE Dodgeball (last one)
Wed	29 Mar	9:30am / 10:45am Junior Easter Services HMS Music – Brass & Woodwind (am) Scratch Club in 5RE 3:30/4:30pm	Y3/4 Netball 8:05am Y3-6 Running Club - Lunchtime Y1/2 Football Judo 3:30pm
Thurs	30 Mar	Rock2theBeat (pm) Y3 Listen2Me Concert	French – Lunchtime Y5/6 Football 3:30/4:30pm
Fri	31 Mar	Easter Hat Parade HMS Music – Piano (am) Swimming Y4	Y5 Netball 8:05am Y6 Netball 3:30/4:40pm IDPE Multisports 3:30/4:30pm

Mon 03 Apr – Fri 14 Apr	Easter Holidays
Mon 17 Apr	New Menu starts New Year R Notification Day Junior Tuck Shop Opens
Fri 21 Apr	Infant & Junior Disco Night
Fri 5 May	Y3 Swimming Starts Coronation Celebrations – Dress Red/White/Blue & bring cupcake
Mon 15 May	Walk to School Week
Mon 22 May	School Class Photos
Fri 26 May	Inset Day
29 May – 2 June	Half Term Holiday