

Beacon View Primary News

Dear BV Families

It has been a wonderful week in school, I have been able to award more than 15 children with their Great 8 Values Bronze award as well as seeing Year 3 and 4 Sports Day take place, the launch of OPAL at lunchtime and Year 6 building the BV Pizza oven, to name just a few of the joyful events this week. It is great to see the children get to fully enjoy the school grounds.

As you will see in the photos included in this week's newsletter and on Facebook, OPAL has started well. We do apologise for any muddy uniform, we have now added aprons outside to help with this. There is nothing like the joy of seeing the children with huge smiles on their faces. I can't wait to see their faces in September when the sandpit is ready to use – watch this space.

Have a lovely weekend and we will see everyone on Monday at 08:40 am.

Kind regards

Sally Hodgson

Attendance

Attendance is still a huge focus for us, to help you understand how this is going, I have attached the data for attendance in all classes for the last 7 days. You can also check your child's individual attendance on the Arbor app and see how they are doing compared to the average for your class. Please speak to a member of the team if you need help with this.



Registration Form	Present R/C: Marks
N1H	97.0%
N2N	95.5%
Castle Class - Year R	93.1%
Guildhall Class - Year 1	94.2%
Garrison Class - Year 1/2	94.4%
Landport Class - Year 2/3	91.3%
Valiant Class - Year 3	95.4%
Triumph Class - Year 4	92.8%
Talent Class - Year 4	91.7%
Victorious - Year 5	92.0%
Defender Class - Year 5	94.3%
Astute Class - Year 6	92.2%
Artful Class - Year 6	93.8%
Alliance Class - Year 6	92.3%

TO REPORT AN ABSENCE PLEASE CALL
02392 375302 OPTION 1

Y3 Residential

If your child is attending the Year 3 residential to YHA Truleigh Hill there is a meeting next Tuesday 18th June straight after school in the main hall. We will be discussing meal choices as well as going through the plan for the residential, therefore please bring your child with you. If it is not possible for you to attend the information will be emailed to all parents along with a copy of the form so that forms can be returned by Thursday 20th June and information shared with the YHA.



Siobhan Campbell has been out to the YHA this week to have a look at the centre and to finalise our plans. Siobhan Campbell, Tanya Payne and Coach Ash will all be attending with the children.

Road Safety

We have had a few near misses recently on Marsden Road due to children not looking before crossing the roads. Please can all adults remind children how to keep themselves safe when walking alongside or crossing the road.



Chewing Gum in school

Please can we remind everyone that chewing gum is for home and not school. We are really proud of how well the school is kept and that we don't have chewing gum walked into the carpets, we would like to keep it this way. Thank you for supporting this.



Great 8 Bronze Award Winners

Congratulations to everyone. Those who haven't had cake and squash will get this on Monday next week

Year 1 – Bailey RJ, Hudson, Frankie H, Harry S, Terry-Lee, Effie, Jenson C, Maya, Isabelle H, Aida M, Lily S, Arnie S,

Year 2 – Benjamin RJ, lyla L, Ismail S

Year 3 – Nellie S, Maali S, Asa D, Paisley W, Evelyn W, Amelia B, Herbie JC, Delilah L, Milly PH,

Year 4 – Eliza M, Frankie C, Harley B,



Greenhouse Sports

10 of our children from Year 5 had the opportunity to attend a paddlesports and swim safe session. At the Andrew Simpson Watersports Centre. The 3 hour session included full instruction on the water, with children having the chance to take part in kayaking.



OPAL Play



 **St Michaels church**
will be open on
Paulsgrove carnival day  Face painting

22nd June 2024

Come and join us for refreshments including our famous bacon butties and home made cakes
lots of stalls and games
Free childrens crafts
Want to know more call Fr Hugo on 02392387339
fatherhugodeadman5@gmail.com

Games  Bric a brac
Cakes  11am-3pm
Raffle  And much more  Bathroom bank
Tombola 



 **School Crossing Patrol** 

Please be aware there will be no school crossing patrol **next week**. Apologies for the inconvenience.

Please ensure your children cross Allaway Avenue safely.

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The best in everyone



Exciting News—KS1 playground and carpark

We're thrilled to announce that our plans for the new playground and car park have been submitted to the planners at Portsmouth City Council! We're eagerly awaiting the official approval, and once it's granted, we will share our detailed plans regarding the school entrance and logistics for the upcoming building work.



Stay tuned for more updates as we progress towards creating a better and more enjoyable environment for our pupils and staff!



Year 6 Plans and Dates



Year 6 have made an amazing start to this term with the pizza oven building, presenting at the Portsmouth Primary School Council and listening to Tom Palmer talk on D-Day about his books and writing. There is still lots to come so we thought it would be helpful to share a few key dates with you.

Trafalgar additional transition

Thursday 20th June 2024 10am-2pm

Year 7 Castle View staff visiting Beacon View Pupils

Tuesday 25th June 2024

Transition Days

Monday 1st and Tuesday 2nd of July

Castle View Matinee (pm)

Thursday 18th July 2024

Summer Fayre

Friday 19th July 2024 until 4:15pm

Festival

Friday 19th July 2024 4:30pm—6pm

Inflatables

Monday 22nd July 2024

Last Day

Tuesday 23rd July 2024

10:15am Final assembly to parents

11:15am Pizza cooking and shirt signing

12:30pm Early Finish

Year 6 Prefects

Yesterday our Year 6 Senior Prefects and some of our Prefects had an amazing opportunity to visit Portsmouth University, to be part of the Student Voice Celebration with PCoPS (Primary Council of Portsmouth Students). The children gave a presentation about improvements made within our school, and took part in workshops throughout the day.



Blue, Red, and White Day



Whole School Dates

Class Photos

Monday 24th June

Inset day and Optional Beach Day

Friday 28th June

Last day of term (Early Finish)

Tuesday 23rd July 1:30pm finish

Inset day

Wednesday 24th July

School Starts (1st Day back)

Wednesday 4th September



HAF - BEACON VIEW HOLIDAY FOREST SCHOOL & BOOTCAMP
 Thursday 25th to Wednesday 31st July,
 09:00 - 13:30

Fully funded spaces for families in receipt of benefit related free school meals, as well as paid spaces available at £15 per day

- Introduction to Forest School, and learning new cooking skills on a campfire
- Fun and fitness at bootcamp

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HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES AND FOOD

HAF FUN POMPEY

THIS SUMMER

MON 26 JULY - MON 30 AUGUST

Department for Education | Portsmouth City Council

National Thank a Teacher Day

Not long to go until National #ThankATeacherDay on 19th June!
 Now is the perfect time to show some appreciation to our incredible teachers and staff. Help us to celebrate the amazing staff that make up our school by sending them a FREE personalised e-card courtesy of Thank a Teacher UK on the link below. (You can choose to send it now or on National Thank A Teacher Day, just fill out a short online form).

<https://thankateacher.co.uk/nationalthankateacherday/>

DON'T MISS NATIONAL THANK A TEACHER DAY
 CELEBRATING THE WHOLE EDUCATION COMMUNITY
 19TH JUNE 2024

SEND YOUR FREE E-CARD AT WWW.THANKATEACHER.CO.UK

Portsmouth Mental Health Support Team | **SUMMER WORKSHOPS** | NHS Solent NHS Trust

We are offering families an opportunity to learn CBT based skills to support young people's mental health and wellbeing. There will be 2 workshops running each week of the school summer holidays.

SUPPORTING WELLBEING

This workshop will cover: Understanding wellbeing, 5 steps to wellbeing, relaxation, distraction and self-care. There will be a chance to consider how you can apply these steps to your daily life.

COMMUNICATING WITH YOUR CHILD ABOUT MENTAL HEALTH

This workshop will cover: The importance of talking about our feelings, conversation starters, ways to respond and general tips for communicating with our children. There will be a chance to reflect and practice new skills.

**Parent / carer only*

COPING WITH BIG EMOTIONS

This workshop will cover: How big emotions affect our bodies and behaviour, linking these to the zones of regulation, and how we can model effective regulation. There will be a chance to try out regulation skills and map out each zone feels in our bodies.

SUPPORTING LOW MOOD THROUGH ACTIVITY

This workshop will cover: Understanding low mood, acting outside-in, things we value in our lives, scheduling activities. There will be a chance to create your own activity schedule based on things which are important to you.

MANAGING WORRIES

This workshop will cover: Understanding anxiety, types of worries, ways to manage different worries. There will be a chance to practice different grounding and distraction techniques.

To register your interest, please scan the QR code. Please note that there is a maximum capacity of 20. We will allow walk-ins on the day subject to availability.

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29th July - 2nd Aug		30th July 10:00-11:00 Paulsgrove Family Hub COPING WITH BIG EMOTIONS		1st August 10:00-11:00 Somersetown Family Hub COMMUNICATING ABOUT MENTAL HEALTH	
5th - 9th August		6th August 10:00-11:00 Somersetown Family Hub SUPPORTING WELLBEING		8th August 10:00-11:00 Northern Parade Family Hub SUPPORTING LOW MOOD THROUGH ACTIVITY	
12th - 16th August		13th August 10:00-11:00 Paulsgrove Family Hub MANAGING WORRIES		15th August 10:00-11:00 Somersetown Family Hub COPING WITH BIG EMOTIONS	
19th - 23rd August		20th August 10:00-11:00 Northern Parade Family Hub COMMUNICATING ABOUT MENTAL HEALTH		22nd August 10:00-11:00 Victoria Park Community Hub SUPPORTING WELLBEING	
26th - 30th August		27th August 10:00-11:00 Somersetown Family Hub SUPPORTING LOW MOOD THROUGH ACTIVITY		29th August 10:00-11:00 Somersetown Family Hub MANAGING WORRIES	

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