



HOOK JUNIOR SCHOOL

Newsletter for Parents

Friday 26th April

Exciting Trim Trail coming soon!

The School Council and Prefects have been working alongside a range of companies to design a trim trail for the school grounds.



Using Sports Premium funding and HSPA donations, the school is very excited to now be in a position to have a trim trail installed, beginning on Monday 29th April. The trim trail has been designed to develop children's balance, co-ordination, strength and agility for the whole body and will allow children opportunities to develop their skills further both during play and lunch times, as well as during PE lessons. The children were able to vote for their favourite equipment and thought carefully about how it would enable them to further their skills. The trail will consist of eight pieces of equipment, ranging from a climbing traverse walls to swinging logs and a web climber.

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Car Park Safety

Following an incident in the Community Centre car park, we remind all drivers to take extreme care when travelling through and parking in the car park, particularly at peak times. The car park is often very busy and in use by adults and children travelling to school and is used by other members of the community. In order to maintain the safety of parents and children walking along the edge of the car park to and from the Infant and Junior schools, please do not obstruct the pavement with your vehicle.

School Council Cake Sale, 1st May

On Wednesday 1st May the School Council are holding a cake sale to raise money for playground equipment. Please support the children by donating cakes (no nuts please). Children should please take their cakes directly to class. Children can buy cakes for 50p and £1 (exact change please) at the end of lunch and after school. Thank you so much for your support.

Prefect and Media Correspondence Team Blog

Year 3

Topic - Superheroes

In year 3, the pupils designed themselves as superheroes and thought about the qualities they would need to be a real life saviour. Along with this they looked at real life superheroes that have fought the battles for freedom. For example they looked at Stephen Hawking and Nelson Mandela, who proved that superheroes don't need a cape to be super.

Year 4

Topic - Pollution

Over the term, year 4 will be going on a school trip to South Sea to investigate the plastic waste in the sea. This will be a good opportunity as climate change is happening NOW! The children can see the reality of what is happening in the world that is a part of this terrible time. The children's help can also benefit the planet and educate the future generation to save the Earth as well.

Year 5

Topic - Geography

This week year 5 have been drawing a map of Greece. They have drawn a detailed diagram of this country and compared it to Greece. Along with this, the children have considered the muscles and bones in their body as part of their learning in science.

Year 6

Topic - Climate change/ the natural world

In year 6, we have been learning about the biomes and the climate zones around the world. We have also been talking about our beliefs about the

Extinction Rebellion and what the different types of pollution will cause. This will help to save the world as the more people helping this serious cause, the better.

Happy circus

For two evenings, Hook Junior School were extremely privileged to have Happy Circus visit our school. As some parents may already know, Happy Circus is a company that comes to schools to show their amazing talents-in a mix of astounding abilities and comedy gold. This entertainment was also completely animal free as some Circuses do not treat animals as fairly as they should. We would like to thank the HSPA for their hard work and efforts in organising this.

Sports

This Wednesday, the girls' football team also represented the school at Samuel Cody's Sports Collage. Fortunately, they got to go straight through to the semi-finals due to a team pulling out after the quarter finals. However, they lost the match against Elverthem Heath 3-0. This was unfortunate, however the team kept their heads held high throughout the game. This is the furthest they have got within the cup, so we are proud of them.

Attendance

Weekly attendance for all classes will appear in the newsletter each week.

Every day counts. Your child's attendance matters!

Class	Average Attendance
3JR	96%
3SR	97%
3ES	98%
4LE	97%
4RM	97%
4NS	98%
4KW	97%

Class	Average Attendance
5KB	96%
5SF	96%
5JH	96%
6VH	97%
6SH	98%
6TC	97%

Whole School 97%

Class with the best attendance = 6SH and 4NS

Find out more...

Follow @HookJunior on Twitter for more up to date information and photos about exciting activities at school. Staff post regularly to keep you up to date.

Stars of the Week, week ending 5th April

Year 3 Sophie W, Jessica T, Liam W

Year 4 Eden R, Alex I, Anwen M, Sophie S, Lana G

Year 5 David M, Ollie A, Scarlett B

Year 6 Izzy A, Matthew T, Natsune S

Reading Class of the Week: 5JH

Reading Raffle Winner: Samuel P

Sports Class of the Week: 6VH

House Point Winners this week: Nightingale

Events Calendar

Date	Event
30 April @ 6:30	Years 5 and 6 Sex and Relationships (SRE) Parents Meeting
3 May 4.15 - 5.30pm	BPSM Choir rehearsal at Bishopswood Junior School, Tadley
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8 May	Year 4 Trip to Southsea
11 May	HSPA Beer Festival
13 May	Year 6 SATs Week
21 May	Group Class Photographs
23 May	Whole School Virtual Reality Experience
27 May	Summer Half Term
22 June	HSPA Summer Fair
26 June @ 6:30PM	Year 2 Parent Transition Evening
1 July	Year 6 Transition Day to Robert Mays School
2 July	Year 6 Transition Day to Robert Mays School
2 July	Year 2, 3 and 4 Transition day at Hook Junior School
5 July	Year 6 Performance Dress Rehearsal
8 July @ 2PM	Year 6 Production
8 July @ 6:30PM	Year 6 Production
9 July @ 6:30PM	Year 6 Production
11 July @ 2PM	Strawberry Tea
16 July	Year 6 Leavers Lunch
17 July	Sports Day
18 July @ 1:45PM	Year 6 Leavers Assembly
19 July @ 1:30	End of School Year
22 July	INSET Day
23 July	INSET Day

All forthcoming events are listed [in the Events Calendar on the Hook Junior School website](#).
Alongside our own events, you will also find links to Hampshire County term dates and national public holidays.



What is a SSE Wildcats Centre?

SSE Wildcats football centres offer girls aged 5-11 a chance to try football for the first time and provide regular opportunities to play.

All sessions are delivered by FA qualified coaches, providing a safe place for girls to try football for the first time and develop key skills.

For more information please go to [TheFA.com/SSE Wildcats](http://TheFA.com/SSEWildcats)

When and where will it take place?

Saturday mornings – 9.30am to 10.30am

First Session on Saturday 11th May

Robert Mays School, West Street, Odiham, RG29 1NA

Cost

£3 per session

How to sign up?

Go to [TheFA.com/SSE Wildcats](http://TheFA.com/SSEWildcats)

Have Questions or Need More Information?

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