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Dear Parents and Friends,

Friday 9th January 2015

Welcome back! I hope you all had an enjoyable Christmas and would like to wish all of our families a Happy New Year.

Unfortunately, during the Christmas holiday there was some vandalism carried out at school and at Little Herons. We are working closely with the police to identify those responsible. It appears there has been quite a rampage across the village over the Christmas holiday period. If anyone has any information, then please do share it either with myself or the police.

The Spring Term is always a very hard working term in school with few disruptions- I have included a list of dates for your diary later in the letter that covers the Spring term, as other dates arise we will inform you as soon as possible.

This term we are starting an exciting new project with Medina College. One of their staff is going to come and work with some of our year 6 pupils and they will then go and work with some of the year 9 students at the college. If the project works well, then we hope to extend it to other children in the year group, and use the model across the school.

Following the survey that was undertaken at the end of last term we will be asking further research questions in order to help us respond to the points raised. This works best when we have a good number of responses, so please do try and complete them if you can. At the end of this letter you will find a questionnaire and I would be very grateful if you could return it on Monday morning. Many thanks in advance.

Parking continues to be an issue as we have such limited space outside of school. Please could I request that everyone, including Blue Badge holders are mindful of the safety of everyone and therefore do not park on the double yellow lines or zig-zag area outside of school.

Kind regards

Peta Mather
Headteacher



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within a challenging, secure and happy environment for learning.*

Attendance for week ending 19th December 2014

Year R 94% Year 1 89% Year 2 93%
 Year 3 95% Year 4 90% Year 5 93%
 Year 6 96%

Total School weekly attendance – 93%**Total of 13 lates**

Our school target is 96.25%

Rolling Programme Report of attendance from 02.09.14 to 19.12.14 is 96.02%.**HOUSE POINTS**

This week Total

Dragon	9	1007
Phoenix:	5	951
Griffin:	10	921
Unicorn:	33	1119

Staff Changes Week Commencing 12th January

Day	Member of staff	Class	Reason	Cover if appropriate
Wednesday 14th January All day	Mike Gregory	Y6	Chimp course	Tessa Hernes
Friday 16th January pm	Mike Gregory	Y6	Assessment meeting	Tessa Hernes

SEAL

(SOCIAL, EMOTIONAL ASPECTS OF LEARNING)

We have a focus word for each week which we discuss and use across the school day. Next weeks word for you to share and use at home is:

“FRUSTRATED”**Star Pupils**

Year R	Valentina Spinelli, Darcy Dawkins	Year 1	Isobel McCranor, Charlotte Attrill, Maddison Partridge
Year 2	Ruby Kennyford	Year 3	Carys Lammers-Wood, Cameron O'Reilly
Year 4	Liam Langridge	Year 5	Tilly Grimshaw
Year 6	Alfie Weeks, Sian Lammers-Wood		

**Menu for the Week Commencing 12th January 2015****PLEASE NOTE CHILDREN SCHOOL DINNERS ARE NOW £2.05****Monday 12th January**

Burger in a bun with oven baked jacket wedges or vegetable chilli with wholegrain rice, garden peas, carrots, salad bar, oaty fruit crumble with custard, yoghurt or fresh fruit

Tuesday 13th January

Italian lasagne or Quorn leek and potato pie, sweetcorn, roasted vegetables, salad bar, strawberry mousse, yoghurt or fresh fruit

Wednesday 14th January

Roast beef with roast potatoes and gravy or shepherdess pie, broccoli, cauliflower, salad bar, carrot cake, yoghurt or fresh fruit

Thursday 15th January—Census Day Menu (All day breakfast)

All day breakfast, sausage or vegetarian sausage, bacon, scrambled egg, beans and jacket wedges, giant cookie with fruit slices.

Friday 16th January

Fish fingers with chips, or macaroni cheese, baked beans, garden peas, salad bar, chocolate orange crispy cake with fruit slices, yoghurt or fresh fruit

Salad, bread, fresh fruit and water & milk available daily.

Please note jacket potato and baguette/sandwiches also available. Please order daily by 9.am with the kitchen.

Parents are welcome to come into school to have lunch with their children.

These cost £2.83

DATA COLLECTION SHEETS

This week you should have received your child's Data Collection Sheet. Could you please check all details and amend/ add telephone numbers etc. in a red pen. You will need to tick the boxes and sign at the bottom to say that all the information is correct.

Please return the Data Sheets as soon as possible, even if there are no changes, so that we have an up to date record.

Dates for your diary!

Monday 5th January

Monday 12th January

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Wednesday 21st January

Tuesday 27th January

Wednesday 4th February

Friday 6th February

Friday 13th February

Monday 23rd February

Wednesday 25th - 27th Feb

Monday 2nd March

Wednesday 11th March

Friday 13th March

Wednesday 18th March

Friday 27th March

Back to school

Y1 visiting Southsea Aquarium

**Curriculum and Standards Governors
meeting at 6.30pm**

9am- Y5 class assembly

**M&M Theatre Productions- Robin
Hood performance to whole school**

9am Year 4 class assembly

9.15 Resources Governors meeting

Break up for half term

Back to school

Book Fayre in the hall before school

**Curriculum and Standards Governors
meeting at 6.30pm**

Year 3 class assembly

9.15 Resources Governors meeting

9am Year 2 class assembly

**End of term reports go home – Break
up for Easter at 3pm**

Please note- remaining class assemblies are scheduled for the summer term.

After school clubs.

Starting - Monday 12th January 2015

Finishing- Friday 13th February 2015

Skateboarding club Starting- Wednesday 21st January 2015

Gymnastics
Tuesday-Hall
Gabrielle Clapp
Ellie Corney
Libbie Eales
Madalyn Elliott
Lara Hermes
Grace Hooper
Maiya Masterton
Grace Nicholls
Teagan Quayle
Carla Rolfe
Rachel Shambrook
Lilly Tomlin

Skateboarding
Wednesday—Hall
William Blake
Joseph Brett
Rhiannan Dawkins
Joe Farley
Oscar Harris
Connor Jackson
Joshua Lovett
Connor Lowe
John Shambrook
Samuel Taylor

Lego
Wednesday—Yr2
Charlie Ball
James Brown
Jack Burley

Daisy Coates
George Cowell
Oscar Field
Jake Lovett
Josh Leather
Reuben Mills
Phoebe Moyce
Toby Moyce
George Organ - Dadd
Riley Shaw
Tyler Tomlin

Art
Wednesday—Y3
Beth Blake
Phoebe Brown
Kathryn Elliott
Elie Field
Tilly Grimshaw
Tatum Harries
Sian Lammers-Wood
Isobel Le Neve Foster
Tia Masterton
Freya McCarthy
John Shambrook
Evie Turner

Hockey
Thursday- Hall
Henry Takel
William Blake
Tilly Grimshaw
Darcey Miles
Matthew Benford
Alex Smith
Felicity Lea- Barrier
Summer Greenslade

Pop- up Books
Thursday—YrR
Rachel Benford
Pixie Burman
Blake Clapp
Charlie Coates
Jack Coates
Scarlett De- Havilland
Cameron Evans
Oscar Holloway-Smith
Fergus McCarthy
Rory Miles
Phoebe Moyce
Toby Moyce
Alfie Nicholls
Grace Nicholls
Layla Raggett
Carla Rolfe
Daniel Suckling
Lily Tomlin

Matches may be organised on some practice days. On these occasions the club will be cancelled and you will be notified in advance if your child is selected for the game.

Sports clubs with Mrs Fish

Starting - Monday 12th January 2015

Finishing- Friday 13th February 2015

Cricket
Monday –Hall
Amelia Bowers
Georgie Cotton
Joe Eastwood
Kathryn Elliott
Summer Greenslade
Tilly Grimshaw
Cameron Hernes
Daniel Jacobs
Darcey Miles
Max Ormiston
Phoebe Weeks
Henry Takel
Samuel Taylor
Jessica Wall
Jake Zimny

Boy's Football
Tuesday - Field
Joseph Brett
Owen Eales
Joe Eastwood
Joe Farley
Alexander French
Travis Gillard
Cameron Hernes
Ethan Holton
Issac Hurd
Connor Jackson
Daniel Jacobs
Harry Lord
Joshua Lovett
Jake Lowe
Darcey Miles
Alfie Nicholls
Cameron O'Reilly
Max Ormiston
Henry Takel
Samuel Taylor
Nathan Twine
Alfie Weeks
Alfie Williams
Phillip Wright

Tag Rugby
Thursday—Field
Gabrielle Clapp
Madison Davies
Owen Eales
Kathryn Elliott
Travis Gillard
Summer Greenslade
Cameron Hernes
Cameron O'Reilly
Angel Pearson-Dent
Rebecca Wall

Girls Football
Friday –Field
Phoebe Weeks
Geraldine Scambell
Bridget Page
Tilly Grimshaw
Georgie Cotton
Rebecca Wall
Jessica Wall
Amelia Bowers
Kathryn Elliott
Felicity Lea Barrier
Sadie Creaser
Keira Powell
Angel Pearson-Dent
Summer Greenslade

Football/Tag Rugby Clubs

- These clubs will take place outside in **all** weather conditions except storm or snow. It is therefore essential that your child brings the following kit with them to **all** practices:
- Football boots (studs or blades).
 - Trainers (for the playground if the pitch is waterlogged).
 - Shin pads.
 - Long socks to cover shin pads.
 - Warm clothing (tracksuit bottoms, football top or T-shirt , jumper, all of which will get muddy!)
 - Light waterproof jacket.

Parents and Carers follow up Survey

Please return this questionnaire to school on Monday 12th January

Focus Area:	Question:	Response:
The Dad's Challenge:	Would a morning, afternoon or all day challenge suit you? Which day of the week would work best for you? What type of challenge would you be interested in? E.g. design and make project, writing challenge, maths challenge etc.	
Family Learning:	What aspect would you be interested in, e.g. maths, literacy, behaviour, general parenting support- setting routines etc. When would you be able to attend?	
Helping in school:	Please let us know which days and times you would be free and available to help.	
Fundraising:	Would you be interested in joining and supporting the PTA, or would you prefer a one-off event to be part of? Any ideas...	
Supporting the library:	Please let us know any days and sessions you would be able to support with keeping the library tidy.	
Sharing skills and/ or hobbies:	Please let us know of any particular skills or hobbies that you would be willing to share with us.	

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Work related opportunity:	Please be specific about what sort of support you could provide, e.g. willing to attend a careers fayre, a link with your place of work, a talk to our older pupils, a project etc.	
Parents Evenings:	It is very difficult to please everyone and provide times that suit everyone within a teacher's working day. As parents we sometimes need to compromise our own commitments in order to meet the needs of our children. Please tick your preferred option from the box opposite. We will then consider which is the most popular choice of parents. Due to clubs and other meetings we cannot be entirely flexible regarding different evenings. However, staff will always respond to an individual parent/carer request if a convenient time is not available. Parents need to contact us if this is required, or if there is information they are not aware of, as they do not come up to school.	Alternate half termly after school surgeries available one day a week- 15 minute slot -parents have advance warning of when this will be available for the class and can choose an appointment over a number of weeks allowing them to make arrangements to attend- helping parents if they have children in different classes Two evenings a term 3.30-7.00pm 10 minute slot. Whole school. Parents choose one appointment. After school surgeries during the autumn and spring term followed by one day available with the teacher 9am-5pm for parents to book a ten minute slot to discuss the report and next year. Two evenings a term (autumn and spring) 3.30-7.00pm 10 minute slot. Whole school. Parents choose one appointment per term. Followed by one day available with the teacher 9am- 5pm for parents to book a ten minute slot to discuss the report and next year. If you have an alternative suggestion then please share your idea: