

12TH MAY 2023

NEWSLETTER



Jolesfield Church of England Primary School



Headteacher's Message

Every week of life at Jolesfield is full of purposeful learning opportunities and activities! Ladybirds have been very excited to take delivery of an incubator and eggs! In addition, the class have caterpillars and are eagerly awaiting for their transformation too! These first-hand experiences are such a valuable part of our science curriculum. KS1 have been learning about the classification of the animal kingdom. Their knowledge and interest is as impressive as the super, foil animals they have created. Children were keen to learn about how animals are adapted to suit their environment.

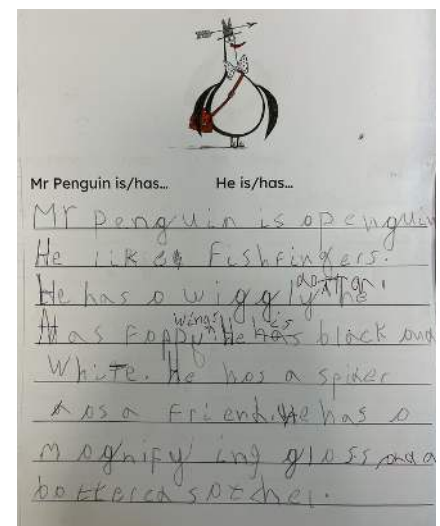
Year 3 was also awash with excitement, earlier this week. Their text, 'Mr Penguin and the Lost Treasure' has just seen the main character (Mr Penguin!) receive his first phone call requiring his assistance to solve a crime! The key text 'Who Let the Gods Out' in Grasshopper class is also creating speculation and anticipation. The class have been theorising about "Prisoner 42" and what he might have done to be imprisoned in Stonehenge.

Year 6 have had an incredibly busy week of completing NCTs. The sensible, positive attitude of the whole class has shone through. We are proud of them all for their unique qualities and talents. This afternoon, a celebration BBQ and games in the park are planned.



Curriculum Spotlight

Our aspirational curriculum means we are always looking for ways to improve and supporting children to do the same. Recently, the whole school have been strengthening their proofreading skills. Ace's work is a super example of this. Using a checklist, he has proofread his work and used purple pen to improve it further. Well done, Ace!



Kindness - Teamwork - Positivity - Thankfulness - Respect

REMINDERS

YEAR 3 VISIT TO AMBERLEY WORKING MUSEUM

Thank you to the parents who have made their payment for this trip. A reminder that Monday 15th May is the deadline for all payments to be received. Without payment, the trip will not be able to proceed. Thank you for your ongoing support.

SWIMMING

Mr Cooper is working hard to get the pool ready. We greatly appreciate the parental contributions received so far; we are dependent on this to facilitate giving our children access to a quantity of swimming beyond that expected by the National Curriculum.

OTHER INFORMATION

SPORT

Children across all KS2 year groups took part in a cross country event at Steyning Primary School last week; they all performed brilliantly, and we are proud of each of them. A special mention to Myla and Finlay in Year 3 and Cem in Year 5 who came first in their races. Please see the photos above.

CHICK INCUBATION EXPERIENCE

Ladybird Class are currently mothering chick eggs, which we are expecting to hatch early next week. Hatching chicks are an excellent way to teach children about the life cycle of the chicken, how embryos develop and where our food comes from. It is also simple, fun and exciting! They are taking their role very seriously and look forward to welcoming chicks very soon. When the hatching has taken place, other year groups will be invited into the classroom to meet them.



LOST PROPERTY

We have a large volume of lost property built up again. Named items have been returned to children, but if you know your child is missing uniform, please feel free to come into the office to look for it. We urge you to name everything your child/ren brings to school, so that if anything is misplaced it can quickly be returned to its rightful owner. Thank you.

INFLUENZA NASAL SPRAY PROGRAMME

The Influenza Nasal Spray programme is being rolled out across schools next term. The immunisation team will be visiting Jolesfield on Tuesday 17th October, so please make a note of this date. We will explain how to sign your child up to receive this vaccine nearer the time.



JASZ CLUB

JASZ club is run by Jolesfield Church of England Primary School and exists to provide high quality out-of-school hours childcare for parents/ carers. It offers a range of stimulating and creative activities in a safe environment. We have children attending on a regular basis, however, there are spaces available on most days so if you ever require a last minute child-care solution, please consider using JASZ Club.

Jasz Club Hours:

Breakfast Club: 7.30 - 8.40am £8.50, 8.15 - 8.40am £6.50
After-School Club: 3.20 - 5.00pm £8.50, 3.20 - 6.00pm £12.50
(Sibling Discount: 2nd child £9.50)



<https://jolesfield-school.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2022/10/JASZ-Club-Policy-.pdf>

DATES FOR THE DIARY

16th May - Y4 Mixed Rounders - Upper Beeding
17th May - Y6 Chanctonbury Music Festival - SGS
23rd May - NFL Flag Football Tournament - Windlesham House School
24th May - Skipping Workshop (all year groups)
5th June - INSET Day
12th June - Y6 Isle of Wight Residential (all week)
12th June - Y5 Mixed Rounders - Upper Beeding
15th June - Y3 Mixed Rounders - Upper Beeding
19th June - Y5 Adur Centre (Monday and Tuesday)
21st June - Class Photos
26th June - Y5/6 Cricket Tournament (mixed team) - Henfield CC
27th June - New YR (Sept '23) Welcome Evening
30th June - Sports Day
3rd July - Y6 Leavers' Service - Lancing Chapel
5th July - 'Moving On Up' Day
5th July - Y6 Transition Day at The Towers/Rock Road



JSA NEWS

We had great fun at Danefold fete with PG Preschool, it was a day full of face paint and glitter! We raised over £150 for our two charities. Thank you to everyone who helped make it such a fun day.

Ice Creams – This term we will be selling ice creams on Friday afternoons from the JSA hut. We are just waiting for the weather to get a bit better. Hopefully next week will be a bit less rainy! Prices are from 50p to £2 and we can take cash or cards.

Cake Sale – 10th June (also weather permitting). We will be holding a fundraising cake sale in the village on the Saturday morning. We are looking for helpers or bakers, so let us know if you can help out.

Easyfundraising – please sign up and Jolesfield will get a donation every time you shop online at over 7,000 retailers. They include insurance comparison sites, holiday companies, energy suppliers as well as shops. It does not cost you anything, so please consider signing up to help the school.

Balloon Race – we will be holding a virtual Balloon race again this summer. Buy a balloon for only £3 and you could win a cash prize. The race starts on the last day of the summer term. Balloons will be available for sale very soon.

Thank you to everyone who helps to raise money for Jolesfield and for our kids. It is very much appreciated.

The JSA

Thought for the Week



In assemblies during May, we've been talking about considering other people's feelings. Throughout Mental Health Month we've been focusing on this, with the message that we should be considerate of each other all the time, and be aware of what we say to others, as the spoken word can cause upsets as well as pleasure.

Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.

Ephesians 4:32



FUN FRIENDLY GIRLS FOOTBALL

Would you like to play for a team?

Henfield FC has opportunities for girls of all abilities from age 5 - 15 to have fun, make friends & play football.

COME JOIN US!

- ✓ Development sessions for new players
- ✓ Safe, fun & inclusive environment
- ✓ Coaches all FA qualified & DBS checked

Interested? contact us for more information about joining Henfield FC for 2023-24 season.

We are always looking for coaches and we would really encourage female coaches too.

Contact us:  Henfieldfcgirls@gmail.com





SPRING HALF TERM



HORSHAM

All Saint's C.E Primary RH12 5JB
5-12 years - £30 per day 10AM-3PM

30/05 - Floor is Lava + Water Games

31/05 - Den Building + Firelighting

01/06 - MAD Science + Arts & Crafts

02/06 - Nerf Games + Archery

10% Sibling / whole week discount
Childcare vouchers / Tax Free Childcare accepted

PLEASE ENSURE CHILDREN HAVE A PACKED LUNCH
& SUITABLE OUTDOOR CLOTHING

ENQUIRIES: gowildworkshopsinfo@gmail.com

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PARTRIDGE GREEN JUMBLE TRAIL

Lots of great affordable items!
Everything must go!
Just follow the trail....

SATURDAY 10TH JUNE
10AM-2PM

Residents will be setting up stalls in their front gardens selling, plants, clothes, bakes, produce, books, CDs DVDs, bric a brac, toys and lots more...

FACEBOOK

For More Info Please Visit Facebook Page :
"Partridge Green Jumble Trail 2023"

