

# Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you are all well and have had a lovely week. Firstly, a big thank you to everyone who came along to our Summer Festival. Despite the rain, it was a fantastic turnout, and it was wonderful to see so many smiling faces. A special thank you goes to our amazing Year 6 pupils for organising their brilliant stalls, to all the staff who gave their time and support on the day, and most importantly to the PTA, who not only organised the event but ensured everything ran smoothly. We hope you enjoyed it and are already looking forward to the next PTA event! This week, children continued to work hard on their current topics. Curriculum overviews for Summer 2 will be sent out shortly and will outline all the exciting learning planned for this half term.

## Beavers/Cubs/Scouts – Taster Sessions

The local Beavers, Cubs & Scouts club run from our school now in the evenings. They are planning some taster sessions on the following dates:

- Beavers (age 6-8): 6pm to 7pm on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> June
- Scouts (age 10-14, siblings welcome): 7pm to 8pm Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> June
- Cubs (age 8-10): 7pm to 8pm Friday 13<sup>th</sup> June

This will be a drop in session with some activities with information about the group and how to volunteer.

## Online Safety – Online Gaming Abuse

Online games are a great way for children to have fun and connect with friends, though sometimes gaming can go wrong and abuse can occur on these platforms.

If you have concerns that a child is being groomed through an online game, you can report this to CEOP. If you are concerned about other types of abuse via online gaming, Cybersmile has a Gaming Help Centre, where you can find:

[In-game reporting systems](#) for some of the most popular games


[Reporting systems of game platforms](#), outside of the game

[Cybersmile's Global Support Service](#) – this can be used to get advice on online gaming related issues

Remember, if you're worried that a child is being abused, or at risk of being abused, you should contact the NSPCC helpline for advice, as the Global Support Service can have a long waiting list.

If you have concerns that the content in a game is inappropriate for its PEGI rating, you can raise this with the [Video Standards Council](#) by contacting them [here](#).

## Who's who, this week's focus is: Mrs O'Leary – Woodpecker Class teacher

	<b>Fact 1</b>	I organise a monthly Golden Retriever party where we've had over 25 dogs come
	<b>Fact 2</b>	I have two cats called Pippin and Blossom and a naughty golden dog called Gylly.
	<b>Favourite dinner</b>	Wagamama

**Nursery: Owlets:** Outside the Owlets showed a lot of enthusiasm for popping bubbles. Inside they have been showing their creativity through drawing and making models with playdough.

**Owls:** The Owls have been creating cards using their printing skills, naming the colours they were choosing to use. They also enjoyed a trip to the library where they looked at books with their friends.

**Year R:** This week in Reception has again been wonderful. The children have enjoyed reading 'Jack and the beanstalk' so much that they have done lots of independent writing and drawings to put on out learning boards. In our books this week, we have been writing speech bubbles from the giant, as well as a thought bubble for Jack, showing off our phonic knowledge and writing skills. In maths we have been sharing out objects into equal groups as well as looking at number doubles. Finally, we have been so excited to learn about and watch our caterpillars grow. This week they have almost doubled in size from when we first saw them! We can't wait to see the next stage of a caterpillar life cycle. Well done Robins and Puffins.

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**CAMHS Coffee Morning**  
Campania Centre for Children's  
Mental Health Services


## PARENT AND CARERS COFFEE MORNING


UNDERSTANDING & SUPPORTING BEHAVIOURAL  
DIFFICULTIES IN CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE

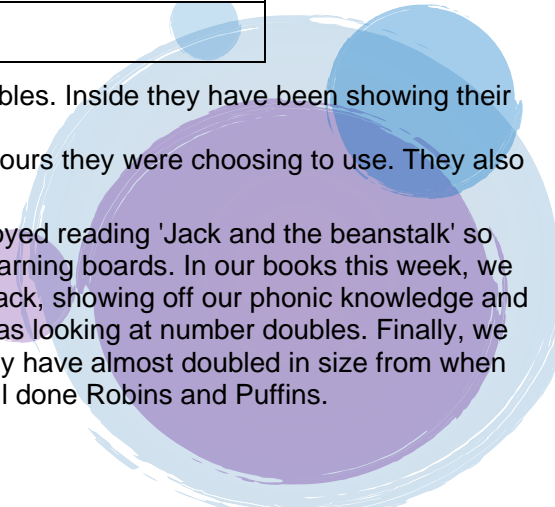
You are invited to join us for a coffee and chat around behavioural difficulties in children and young people. We aim to discuss what behavioural difficulties look like for children and young people, and key strategies parent/carers can use to support challenging behaviours.

Monday, 23 June 2025  
9.30am - 11.30am  
King Arthurs Hall, King Arthurs Way,  
Andover, SP10 4BS

Scan the QR  
code to register  
your interest







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**Year 1:** Year One have worked so hard this week, especially in Maths where they have been completing multiplication problems, and then looking at grouping as a form of division. Mrs O'Leary has been super impressed by all the care and attention that the children have done in their work. Well done Year One! In English, they have started Jack and the Beanstalk and completed a character description independently with some excellent ideas and many using the new word 'colossal' which they learnt means the same as big! In Science, they have begun looking at plants which will lead to planting some broad bean seeds to go into the vegetable patch beds in the corner of our little field. In History, they looked at some images of what happened in the Great Fire of London and will continue to learn about this in the weeks to come!

**Year 2:** In English the children have practised the correct use of possessive apostrophes and commas within a list and this is in preparation for writing their own versions of our book, 'The Pirate Cruncher.' We are hearing 'Ahoy there!' and 'Shiver me timbers!' quite regularly in our classrooms! In maths the children have solved more complex maths problems using their multiplication and division skills, working out the best way for Pirate Pete to collect his gold coins. In PE this week we have been practising for the sports day activities next week and many of the children have learned to skip with a rope, they persevered so well to master this skill. In DT the children have looked at different flags and have considered simple symbols in order to design their own flag for their pirate ship, not all pirate ships will fly the Jolly Roger!


**Year 3:** In English, we have explored in more detail the rich vocabulary used in the poem 'Come all you little persons' and looked at what different word classes are i.e noun, verb, adjective etc. In Maths, we have been learning about multiplying and dividing by 10. We have been using the place value grids and dienes resources to help us make numbers 10 times bigger when multiplying or 10 times smaller when dividing. In French, we learnt how to count up to 31. As our final unit of learning is based around time, we discussed why counting up to 31 is important.

**Year 4:** In Maths, the students have worked towards their national multiplication test. The staff are extremely proud of every student who showed excellent resilience and independence to complete these to their absolutely best! In English, the classes have been writing up their persuasive letter based on the book 'The Water horse'. The aim was to persuade the character's mum to let them keep the water horse as a pet. The students used lots of emotive language to do this. In Science, the classes explored the forest school area to identify and name living things. The students had to work in small group and collaborate together to achieve this. Finally, in P.E, the focus has been on working on our athletic skills ready for 'sports week' next week.

**Year 5:** This week Year 5 visited Winchester Science Centre. It was great to see Year 5 representing the school, experimenting with the exhibits and experiencing the planetarium. To supplement this, in science Year 5 created a solar system on the playground, roleplaying as the planets themselves! This enabled them to realise just how far some planets were from others, and who our planetary neighbours are.

**Year 6:** In Year 6 this week, pupils have been enjoying their new text in English: Survivors. The students have been intrigued by wild stories about trapped mountain climbers and people falling from the sky, surviving dangerous and life-threatening adventures. In Maths, children have been calculating running costs for theme parks they have designed and have calculated ticket prices based upon whether they can cover the cost. Additionally, all pupils have been learning their lines for the performance and enjoyed their first full run-through at the beginning of the week.

## This week's house points

Portchester	Wolvesey	Carisbrooke	Donnington
425 	391	375	401



## Attendance

### You can track your child's attendance on the Arbor App

If you have any questions regarding attendance, you can speak to Ms Hardy.

*We work in line with Hampshire County Council policy and do not authorise holidays during term time unless it is due to an exceptional circumstance. Should you choose to take a holiday of 5 days or more you will be issued with a Penalty Notice. Further details can be found on our website.*

[Is my child well enough to come to school? Handy guide](#)

<b>Weekly Attendance</b>								
<b>Puffins</b>	<b>Robins</b>		<b>Swans</b>		<b>Woodpeckers</b>		<b>Jay</b>	<b>Kingfisher</b>
93.91%	82.55%		97.69%		89.78%		93.94%	98.55%
<b>Dover</b>	<b>Leeds</b>	<b>Warwick</b>	<b>Windsor</b>	<b>Edinburgh</b>	<b>Highclere</b>	<b>Arundel</b>	<b>Balmoral</b>	
96.18%	94.26%	96.31%	95.18%	96.96%	95.24%	95.26%	95.75%	

<b>Key Dates</b>	
<b>June 2025</b>	
<b>W/C 16<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Sports Week – See above for information
<b>W/C 16<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Last week of afterschool clubs
<b>13<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Year 4 (group B) swimming starts (4 sessions)
<b>19<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Clean Air Day
<b>19<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Reception Open Day
<b>July 2025</b>	
<b>1<sup>st</sup> July</b>	Bump up day
<b>W/C 7<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 6 performance
<b>W/C 14<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 6 FUN WEEK
<b>14<sup>th</sup> July</b>	End of year reports go out
<b>15<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 6 Graduation
<b>21<sup>st</sup> July</b>	School water party and family picnic
<b>22<sup>nd</sup> July</b>	Last day of the academic year ( <b>finish at 1:30pm</b> )

## PTA

A big thank you to our amazing supporters who raise free funds for us on #easyfundraising. If you're not signed up yet, please join today and you can raise free donations for Knights Enham Junior School PTA every time you shop online. All

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the big names like John Lewis & Partners, Expedia, Argos, Just Eat and many more are ready to make a free donation at no extra cost to you. Plus, when you sign up today, we could win a £100 donation:

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/knights-enham-junior-pta>

We are proud that we have been able to purchase new Wellington Boots and Puddle Suits for the Nursery. This is what the PTA are here for, helping the school wherever and whenever we can.

## Supporting the Community

**KNIGHTS ENHAM SCHOOLS** £6.00 PER CHILD

### WRAP AROUND AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

- Monday's - Lego
- Tuesday's - Forest School
- Wednesday's - Movie Nights
- Thursday's - Games/Sports
- Friday's - Arts & Crafts

EMAIL: [ADMIN@KNIGHTSENHAM-JUN.HANTS.SCH.UK](mailto:ADMIN@KNIGHTSENHAM-JUN.HANTS.SCH.UK)  
PHONE: 01264 394777/01264 352151

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Tel: 01264 394777  
email: [admin@knightsenham-jun.hants.sch.uk](mailto:admin@knightsenham-jun.hants.sch.uk)

**THE THRUXTON Retro PRESENTS Superfunk**

20 - 22 June 2025  
Live Music & Entertainment  
Saturday Headline  
**BJÖRN AGAIN**

THE INTERNATIONALS - EARTH WIND FOR HIRE  
THE 9 TO 5 SHOW - DOLLY PARTON TRIBUTE SILENT DISCO - LINE DANCING - LIVED J SETS

<b>Track Activity</b>	<b>Kids Paddock</b>
RETRO AND HISTORIC RACING CLASSIC F1 CAR DEMOS PARADES CAR CLUBS MOTORBIKE DISPLAYS CLASSIC CAR AND BIKE AUCTION	BIG TOP MANIA CIRCUS SKILLS AND SHOW BOUNCY CASTLE CRAZY BIKES CAR PAINTING PERFORMANCE ARTISTS

**Cool Stuff**  
COCKTAIL BAR - STREET FOOD - HOG ROAST - CRAFT BEER TENT  
SOAP BOX DERBY - FUN FAIR - HELICOPTER FLIGHTS  
TRADE VILLAGE - CAMPING - FANCY DRESS - FREE PARKING

Friday £15 · Saturday £35  
Sunday £35 · Weekend £60

THRUXTONRACING.CO.UK

St Mary's Church Andover SP10 1DP

£10 whole week!  
For kids in years R-6

**LET'S GO TO THE JUNGLE!**

Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri  
29th Jul - 1st Aug  
9am - 12:30pm

[andoverparish.org/whats-on](http://andoverparish.org/whats-on) **HOLIDAY CLUB 2025**

**WALLOP WHEELS & WINGS**

ARMY FLYING MUSEUM

Saturday 12th July 2025  
10:00 - 16:30

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## Summer Raffle

Tickets are £3 per ticket and the money raised will go to support our activities. The prize draw will be held on the 28th of June.

**PRIZES YOU COULD WIN INCLUDE**

- 2 x weekend breaks for 2 families for up to 6 people per getaway to Sandy Beach Holiday Park in North Devon
- 5 x family tickets of up to 5 people per pass to 4 Kingdoms in Newbury
- 5 x Family pass to High Score Arcade (up to 6 people)
- 2 x family pass to Ninja Warrior either Guildford or Southampton for up to 6 people

To enter, please complete the form in the QR code and complete payment at the end.

School flyer

**WIN**  
Your school could win an air quality kit, scooter gear or a gardening set!

## THE CLEAN AIR CHALLENGE

16-20 JUNE 2025

[myjourneyhampshire.com/cleanairchallenge](http://myjourneyhampshire.com/cleanairchallenge)

