



KNIGHTS NEWS

2nd October 2026



Dear Families,

I hope you've all had a lovely week!

Firstly, I would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who attended our Knights Enham Festival last Friday. It was a fantastic success, and I cannot thank our wonderful PTA and staff enough for all the time, effort and hard work that went into making the event so special. It was lovely to see so many families coming together. We're already looking ahead to our next exciting event, which we'll be sharing with you shortly!

This week, our children have also been supporting the Simon Says charity. Thank you to everyone who contributed and helped raise money for such a worthwhile cause. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

We've also enjoyed some fantastic inter-house basketball competitions, with the children showing great teamwork, determination and sportsmanship. A huge well done to Carisbrooke, our winning house!

23rd Andover

Join Scouting in Andover

Opportunities to join the adventure, fun and to learn skills for life.

Come and join 23rd Andover, we have spaces in our Beavers and Cubs sections that take place at Knights Enham School on Tuesdays;

BEAVERS 6 - 8 year olds meet from 5.30-6.30pm

cubs 8 - 10.5 year meet from 6.30-8pm

Email: join@hampshirescouts.org.uk to find out more

Adults can join the fun too!
We're always looking for adults to join our volunteer team.
Email volunteer@hampshirescouts.org.uk

Harvest Donations

I would also like to say a big thank you to all the families who have already contributed to our Harvest collection. Your kindness and generosity will make a real difference to those in need. We will continue collecting donations over the next couple of weeks, so there is still plenty of time to get involved. If you have any tinned goods or other suitable items that you feel able to donate, please bring them to the main school office. Every contribution, no matter how small, is greatly appreciated. Further details about our Harvest collection and suggested donations can be found in the separate email sent to families.

Looking Ahead to Next Week

Our Year 3 children are particularly excited about their upcoming trip to Stonehenge. We're sure they'll have a wonderful time and enjoy bringing their learning to life.

We're also looking forward to welcoming families to our second Open Evening on Thursday 8th October at our Infant School. Following the success of our previous event, we hope to welcome even more families through our doors. It's a fantastic opportunity to explore our school, meet our staff and see what makes Knights Enham such a special place. Everyone is welcome!

Hello Yellow – Friday 9th October

Next Friday, we will also be supporting Hello Yellow, an initiative from the charity YoungMinds that raises awareness of children's mental health and the importance of looking after our emotional wellbeing.



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To show our support, we are inviting all children to wear one yellow item to school. This could be a yellow T-shirt, jumper, pair of socks, hair accessory or another yellow item of their choice.

Children should otherwise wear their normal school uniform, with just one yellow item added or replacing an item of clothing. There is no need to buy anything new!

We look forward to seeing a splash of yellow across both schools as we come together to support this important cause.

Finally, thank you, as always, for your continued support and for everything you do to help make our school community so special.

Have a wonderful and relaxing weekend!

Together We Achieve!

This week's House points

Portchester	Wolvesey	Carisbrooke	Donnington
353	393 	332	345

Attendance

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](#)

Weekly Attendance

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Owls		Castles		Dragons 		Knights
94.1%		95.9%		99%		93%
Dover	Leeds	Windsor	Warwick	Edinburgh	Arundel	Balmoral
95.7%	97.6%	97.5%	97.2%	97.7% 	94%	96.1%

Online Safety

AI is being used to turn ordinary photos of children into sexual abuse material. The National Crime Agency and Internet Watch Foundation have issued new guidance to help parents make informed choices about sharing images of their children online. It covers reviewing privacy settings, revisiting consent with your child as they grow, and what to do if you're worried. The parent's guidance can be found here: <https://www.iwf.org.uk/resources/ai-child-abuse-imagery-parent-guide/>

Key Dates

Monday, 5 th October	After School Clubs start – Week 1
Monday, 5 th October	Year 3 Stonehenge Visit
Thursday, 8 th October	Nursery and Future Year R Open Evening (3.30 – 5.00 pm)
Thursday, 8 th October	Coffee Afternoon (2.00 – 3.00 pm)
Friday, 9 th October	Hello Yellow Day
Monday, 12 th October	After School Clubs – Week 2
Monday, 19 th October	After School Clubs – Week 3 – No clubs
Monday, 19 th October	Year 3 Danebury Visit
Monday, 19 th October	Be Bright Be Seen Day
Monday, 19 th October	Early Parent Evening (3.15 – 5.30 pm)
Wednesday, 21 st October	Halloween Disco (5.00 – 7.00 pm)
Thursday, 22 nd October	Late Parent Evening (5.00 – 6.30 pm)
Monday, 26 th October	Nursery and Future Year R Open Morning Event (9.30 – 11.00 am)
Mon 26 th – Fri 30 th Oct	Autumn Half Term

An Amateur Youth Group production by arrangement with LW Entertainment Ltd

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Music by Andrew Lloyd Webber Book by Julian Fellowes Lyrics by Glenn Slater

andovermusicaltheatre.co.uk/starlights

*Rock got no reason, rock got no rhyme!
You better get me to school on time! School of Rock is based on the hit Jack Black movie. The show follows Dewey Finn, a failed wannabe rock star who decides to earn a few extra bucks by posing as a substitute teacher at a prestigious prep school. There he turns a class of straight-A students into a guitar-shredding, bass-slopping, mind-blowing rock band. But can he get them to the Battle of the Bands without their parents and the school's headmistress finding out?*

Respect
Resilience

Nurture
Independence
Collaboration

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GOVERNOR VACANCY

Make a real difference in our schools and community

Knights Enham Schools is looking to recruit a new governor to join our dedicated and supportive governing board.

Our governors play a vital role in supporting the strategic direction of our schools, helping to ensure the best possible outcomes for all our children.

- Support our pupils
- Share your skills and experience
- Help shape our schools' future
- Be part of a dedicated team
- Make a lasting impact in our community

Interested?

We would love to hear from you!

To find out more about the role, please contact the school office or visit our website.