



PURBROOK POST

Purbrook Junior School

Headteacher – Mr C Williams

Headteacher's message

Dear Parents/Carers

We always try our very best to have an open-door policy and to work in partnership with parents and carers. In general, we feel this works well and is successful. We are always looking to improve with your help so if you have any suggestions then do please let us know.

Please can I ask that if there is an issue, please do contact us. It is impossible for us to deal with a situation if we do not know anything about it. On most mornings I am on duty around the school as are other members of staff. Please do speak with us if you have anything you wish to discuss...this is one of the reasons we are out and high profile in the mornings. I appreciate that it is not always possible to speak to teachers at the beginning or end of the school day. If you need to speak to your child's class teacher, then please make an appointment through the school office. The teachers will be more than happy to meet with you.

If you have already spoken with the class teacher and you still feel the issue needs resolving, Mrs Ashton, Mrs O'Hare or I will be more than happy to meet with you. We want to work with you to ensure that your child receives the best possible education here at Purbrook Junior School. Thank you.

Our swimming programme for Year 5 children comes to an end today. I hope you will agree that the programme has been a success and that all children will have improved their swimming and water confidence over the past three weeks.

We have had several schools from the surrounding area visit our pop-up swimming pool over the past few weeks and they have all been very impressed with the set up and provision. I think we may have started a new trend! Year 4 will commence their swimming on Tuesday 7th May.



Please can I remind you that dogs are not allowed on the school site (this includes dogs being carried).

We are currently finalising the details for our annual sports days and will publish the date as soon as we are able to. We utilise sports leaders from Purbrook Park School to assist with the day so have to liaise with the school to find a mutually convenient date. Please bear with us.

The Purbrook Junior Support Association (PJSA) are currently selling tickets for the Happy Circus at Purbrook Junior School on Tuesday 16th July at 6.00 pm. Check out the communications sent out by ParentMail on how to buy tickets. Tickets are available on a first come first served basis – once they're gone they're!

Snacks

Please can I ask that you provide a healthy breaktime snack (not crisps or chocolate) for your child. Some children find the gap between breakfast and lunch too long and a quick snack can help boost their concentration for the rest of the morning. Options can include: fresh fruit, raisins, muesli bars, Frubes (yoghurts in tubes), cheese strings, etc.

Please remember that Monday 6th May is a Bank Holiday and the school is closed. I hope you all have a lovely extended weekend and I look forward to seeing everyone back in school on Tuesday 7th May.

Kind regards

Mr C Williams
Headteacher

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 6th May – Bank Holiday – school closed

Tuesday 7th to Friday 24th May – Year 4 Swimming

Monday 13th May to Thursday 16th May – Year 6 SATs tests

Friday 24th May – Year 4 Viking Workshop

Friday 7th June – Year 6 Dale Cup

Thursday 25th June – Year 3 visit to Fort Nelson

Tuesday 16th July – PJSA Happy Circus

Thursday 18th July – Year 6 visit to Paultons Park

INSET DAYS

Monday 3rd June 24

HOUSE POINTS

Check out the latest House Points total at:
<http://www.purbrook-jun.hants.sch.uk/school-houses/>

