

# Hordle CE (VA) Primary School



## Newsletter

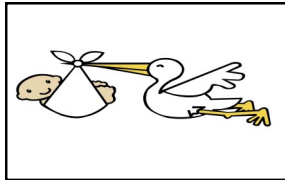
Autumn Term—Number 4  
Friday 29th September 2017

### BABY NEWS!

Huge congratulations to Mrs Bowden and family who welcomed Harry Finn Bowden to their family last Thursday.

Harry weighed in at an impressive 9lbs 7oz and everyone is doing well.

Congratulations Mrs Bowden, we can't wait to meet him!



### DISABILITY AND DISCRIMINATION ACT

#### What are we trying to do?

As a school we are constantly striving to do our best for all pupils and to support their parents/ carers whenever possible. This includes our duty under the legislation of the Disability Discrimination Act (DDA.)

To help us to review our provision, we are consulting with all our families in an effort to identify those pupils who, under the classification provided by the DDA, would be considered disabled and to establish how we can better support them. If you believe that your child's needs would be considered under the DDA, it would be most helpful if could find the time to comment by completing the very short survey on this [link](#).

**Deadline for completion - 16th October**

### BREAKFAST CLUB—AUTUMN 2

We are now taking bookings for regular sessions in the Breakfast Club for Autumn 2 (30th October to 21st December).

If you wish to book regular sessions or you wish to register to ad-hoc sessions please click on the link below:

<https://goo.gl/forms/EIKX7H6yL1NzMB4M2>

This booking form is available until Friday 6th October, after which time invoices will be sent.

Please be advised that payment must be received to secure your child/ren's place/s.

### PARKING ON LONGFIELD ROAD

We have had a request from a Longfield Road neighbour to ask parents to please switch off your engines whilst waiting to pick up children from school. Thank you for continuing to park respectfully along the road, it is very much appreciated.

## MENU CHANGES!

### Week commencing 2nd October

The school is allocated funding annually to cover the costs of UIFSM (Universal Infant Free School Meals) and the amount of funding received by the school is based on a head count of Infant children having a free lunch, on specific days, throughout the year. The next date is **Thursday 5th October** and we would like to encourage as many children in YR – Y2 to have a school lunch on that day! So, if you have a child in YR to Y2 please help the school maximise this funding by signing your child up for a lunch **on Thursday**. Thank you.

**Monday 2nd  
October**

**Chicken Tomato  
Pasta**

**Cheese and onion  
pasty**

**Tuesday 3rd  
October**

**Beef Roast**

**Quorn burger**

**Wednesday 4th  
October**

**Bubble battered  
salmon**

**Vegetarian toad  
in the hole**

**Thursday 5th  
October**

**Baked pork  
sausages**

**Pizza**

**Friday 6th October**

**Fish fingers**

**Chilli bean wrap**

### HC3S SCHOOL KITCHEN

#### VACANCY

HC3S are looking for a Catering Assistant for 22.5 hours a week to assist the cook supervisor in the provision of school meals.

This is a Term time only role with uniform & lunch provided.  
Part of a friendly community based team.

Enquiries to Area DM Wendy wood 07793 758251

Apply online at [newjob.org.uk](http://newjob.org.uk) and type in catering

### AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

We are pleased to say that feedback on the After School Club has been excellent—we are really glad that everyone is enjoying the service and would like to thank the NFCC to providing such a great club.

If you could like to register with them, please contact them directly via their website:

[www.newforestchildcare.co.uk](http://www.newforestchildcare.co.uk)

Or call: 02380 893244

Subject to sufficient numbers they will be running the club on the October INSET days and are keen to start a holiday club from February half term 2018.

### LOWER JUNIOR PARENT WORKSHOPS

The Lower Junior team would like to invite Y3/4 parents/guardians to the following workshops:

Monday 9th October, 2.45pm, SPELLING  
WORKSHOP

Wednesday 18th October, 2.45pm, MATHS  
WORKSHOP

### A PLEA FROM MRS URSELL

Mrs Ursell is starting to collect raffle prizes ready for the Christmas Fair.

If you have any unwanted bottles and smellies (travel size where possible) please hand these into the school office.

## INDIVIDUAL AND SIBLING PHOTOGRAPHS SCHOOL PHOTOS

### Friday 6th October

Please note that individual and family school photos will be taken on **Friday 6th October** .

If your child has a sibling who does **not** attend Hordle Primary School, family pictures will begin at **8.15am**. We ask that you arrive promptly if you wish for your children to be photographed together.

Please note if your children all attend Hordle School **(this does not include children who attend the Nursery)** they will be photographed together throughout the day.

If you have a child in Hordle Explorers Nursery and you would like them photographed with their older Hordle Primary School sibling, please come at 8.15am.

## CAKE SALES—DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES!

Cake sales for this year are on the following dates. Please make a note of these...cake donations and offers to run class cake stalls are always very much appreciated!

<b>Deerleap</b>	<b>10th November</b>
<b>Hawkhill</b>	<b>17th November</b>
<b>Wilverley</b>	<b>8th December</b>
<b>Oak</b>	<b>12th January 2018</b>
<b>Hazel</b>	<b>26th January</b>
<b>Ash</b>	<b>2nd February</b>
<b>Badger</b>	<b>23rd February</b>
<b>Squirrel</b>	<b>20th April</b>
<b>Hedgehog</b>	<b>4th May</b>
<b>Rainbows</b>	<b>18th May</b>



## PATCH



PATCH are pleased to confirm the following events will be taking place :

13th November	Bag2School collection
1st December	Christmas Fair and Christmas Jumper day
19th January	Disco
9th February	Onesie day
9th March	Mother's Day/Special Person event
16th April	Bag2School collection
4th May	Disco
25th May	Break the Rules day
15th June	Father's Day Event

Other events will be advised in due course.

The PATCH trolley will be outside the office from Monday for any donations you may be able to offer, ready for the Christmas fair. In particular we need alcohol bottles (filled and empty!), glitter, sprinkles and unwanted new gifts/toiletries.

NB Please hand any alcohol into the office.

We would like to thank you for continued support of our events. Please get in touch if you would like to help in any way—any time you can give it always appreciated.

## ATTEND AND ACHIEVE

### Raise Your Child's Attendance Raise Their Chances

The class with the highest attendance last week was...

**Team Ash with 99.63%**

Bumblebees	99.52%
Wilverley	99.35%
Ladybirds	99.01%
Hazel	98.92%
Hedgehog	98.525
Badger	98.15%
Squirrel	98.15%
Deerleap	96.41%
Hawkhill	95.75%
Oak	94.44%



## ABSENCE DUE TO SICKNESS

Please can we remind parents that children must be cleared from the last bout of sickness or diarrhoea for 24 hours before returning to school. If this is extended to 48 hours we will notify you.

## TERM DATES

If you are planning to book a holiday, the school holiday dates for 2017/18 and 2018/19 are available on our website:

[2017/18](#)

[2018/19](#)

## WORSHIP THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

"Commitment is an act not a word"

**Jean-Paul Sartre**

## IMPORTANT DATES

Please see below for the term's upcoming dates. Any recent amendments will be shown in italics.

Monday 2nd October	FS Pirate day (FS children to come to school dressed as pirates)
Monday 2nd October	KS1 Maths Workshop (Parents), 9am, Badger class
Monday 2nd October	SCHOOL OPEN DAY (9.30am, booking essential)
Wednesday 4th October	FS Pirate treasure hunt and Tapestry SPLAT—Parent event (9-10am) No costume required
Thursday 5th October	Highcliffe Open Evening, 5.30-8pm
Friday 6th October	Individual and sibling photographs
<i>Monday 9th October</i>	<i>Lower Juniors Parent Workshop—Spelling, 2.45pm Y3/4</i>
Thursday 12th October	SCHOOL OPEN DAY (9.30am, booking essential)
Thursday 12th October	Y5 PGL Parent Meeting (5-5.30pm)
Saturday 14th October	Y5/6 Theatre trip
Monday 16th October	Y3/4 Ancient Farm trip (arrive at school 8.20am, pick up at 4.30pm)
<i>Monday 16th October</i>	<i>Flu Immunisations (YR, Y1 &amp; Y2)</i>
<i>Tuesday 17th October</i>	<i>Flu Immunisations (Y3 &amp; Y4)</i>
Wednesday 18th October	FS Diwali event and writing SPLAT Parent event (9-10am)
<i>Wednesday 18th October</i>	<i>Lower Juniors Parent Workshop—Maths, 2.45pm Y3/4</i>
<a href="#">Thursday 19th and Friday 20th October</a>	<b>INSET DAYS</b>
<a href="#">Monday 23rd—Friday 27th October</a>	<b>HALF TERM</b>
Friday 10th November	SCHOOL OPEN DAY (9.30am, booking essential)
<i>Monday 13th November</i>	<i>PATCH Bag2School Collection</i>
<i>Friday 24th November</i>	<i>FS Bears Event and Reading SPLAT Parent event (9-10am)</i>
<i>Friday 1st December</i>	<i>PATCH Christmas Fair</i>