



Weekly Newsletter

Issue 156: Friday 13th July 2018

Warblington
School

Message from Julia Vincent, Headteacher

On Monday we had our first ever Sports Award evening which was a tremendous success with many students receiving awards presented by Jack Whatmough from Portsmouth Football Club. A useful display of skills was also shown by Sean Barnes, a free style footballer.

It was lovely to welcome parents to our Year 7 and Year 8 presentation award ceremonies this week; we also welcomed our new Year 7 parents to a BBQ on Tuesday evening. My grateful thanks to Kurt, our chef, for providing food for over 200 people.

I hope you all have an enjoyable weekend. Please be aware that the school finishes at 12.00pm next Thursday.

Key Dates for the Summer Term: Week B

Monday 16th July	Year 10 Presentation
Tuesday 17th July	Performing Arts Awards
Thursday 19th July	Last Day of Term Students Finish at 12:00pm

Dates for Your Diary

Tuesday 4th September	First Day of the Autumn Term YEAR 7 ONLY
Wednesday 5th September	First Day of the Autumn Term YEAR 8-10
Thursday 13th September	School Photos Year 7, 9 & 11



Hot Weather

With the continued hot weather please make sure your son/daughter is bringing a water bottle to school. They can refill this during break and lunchtime in the Hall.

Summer Term 2018

Our Summer Term WOW Magazine is now available to view on our website!





Attendance Hints and Tips

While some school absence is unavoidable, other absences should be avoided. The following examples are intended to help you to maximise your child's attendance and learning. The content is not intended to patronise and may or may not apply to your child. Please read and share this information with your child as you see fit.

If a child has a minor ailment, they should still come to school. Where possible, school will make arrangements to support students that may not be feeling their best. Whilst in the first instance it is for parents to decide whether a child is well enough to attend school, the school asks that parents default position be that they send their child to school, unless it is clear that they are suffering what can only be described as a 'significant illness.' Coughs and colds cannot normally be considered 'significant illness.'

Dentists and GP surgeries etc. are used to being asked for appointments outside of school hours. The school asks that parents/carers request appointments that do not clash with school time. If an appointment can only be made during school time, students should attend school whilst not at the appointment i.e. before/after as appropriate.

The weather seems to influence some students in deciding if they wish to attend school or stay at home. On wet days, especially if it is raining as students leave home to come to school, it appears some students try to avoid a wet journey in, by making some plausible excuse to not face the weather. If you suspect that this may apply to your child, please impress upon them that unless the weather is so bad that the school is shut, they should be making every effort to attend school. Please ensure your child is equipped for travelling to and from school even if the weather is not ideal.

The day after wet weather can also cause school to suffer reduced attendance. Some students do not take care to stay dry and do not attempt to dry their clothes/shoes when they get home. As a result their uniform is wet the next morning and they are delayed coming in or miss a whole day. Please advise your child on the importance of trying to stay dry and organising the drying out of wet clothes as soon as they get in from school. Advise your child that getting wet is not a reason to be off school.

If a child attends a school trip or other activity the day before, the child must attend school at the normal time the next day. It is not acceptable to miss or be late for school due to being tired.

Parents/carers should be mindful of the possibility that their child may wish to avoid school for a reason other than being ill. It can be easier for a child to tell a parent/carer that they are too ill to go to school, rather than explain that they have fallen out with a friend, haven't done their homework etc. If parents/carers feel their child is experiencing something that is reducing their willingness to attend school, please contact school to share your concern. As long as school are aware of the problem, the problem can often be solved.

Skoolkit

Avoid the crowds, buy early!

With the summer holidays nearly upon us, parents will be starting to think about purchasing their child's school uniform.

At Skoolkit we appreciate our shops get very busy during the last two weeks in August and the beginning of September and your shopping experience during this time can be long, hot and not very pleasant.

So why not come in and see us nice and early as our shops are now fully staffed for Summer with no queues out of the door making your shopping experience a much more pleasant one.

If you're worried about how much your child will grow over the holidays just base your sizing on how much they've grown over the previous 4-6 weeks. This will give you a good indication of size needed.

Of course, you can also order from the comfort of your own home on our dedicated website www.skoolkit.co.uk We even have the following FREE DELIVERY CODES for selected dates.

27th July – 29th July – JULYDEL18

8th August – 10th August – AUGDEL18

Please place your order by Friday August 10th to receive in time for the new school year in September. You can of course place orders after this date however they may not arrive in time for children going back to school, so again purchase early to avoid disappointment.

**We are here ready and waiting to serve you,
leaving you to relax and enjoy the summer
holidays!**





Water Safety

Water Safety as school holidays approach and the country experiences the current warm weather, children want to cool down quickly and have fun in the water.

It is important to remember that a child can drown within seconds. In particular, babies and small children can drown in very little water as they do not have the range of motion to move their heads. Child drowning is often silent and without struggle.

Wherever a child is enjoying the water there are a number of steps that can be taken to reduce risk and accident:

Be vigilant, make sure your child is supervised at all times in or around water.

- Always swim at beaches and pools where there is a lifeguard.
- Make sure there is a fence around any garden pools or ponds.
- Familiarise yourself with the location of any ponds, lakes or pools at new locations.
- Make sure your child stays hydrated and takes regular breaks.
- Satisfy yourself that your child is not out of their depth when in water.
- Make sure paddling pools are emptied and turned upside down when not in use.
- Keep paddling and swimming pools free from trip hazards.
- Don't leave toys in paddling and swimming pools.
- Make sure your fence and gate is secure to ensure that your child can't access water hazards in neighbours gardens.
- Supervise your child in the bath at all times, even if their elder sibling is present.
- Don't expect an elder child to be responsible for the safety of younger siblings.



Should an accident occur seek medical attention immediately by ringing 999

Other Sources of Information:

<https://www.capt.org.uk/drowning>

<https://www.rospa.com/leisure-safety/water/advice/children-young-people/>

Public Health Wales NHS Trust (2016) Thematic review of deaths of children and young people through drowning - <http://www2.nphs.wales.nhs.uk:8080/>

ChildDeathReviewDocs.nsf/3653c00e7bb6259d80256f27004900db/55d3aec28e5450e680257f620037f335/\$FILE/CDR%20report_English.pdf

National Water Safety Forum (2015) A future without drowning: The UK national drowning prevention strategy 2016-2026 - <http://www.nationalwatersafety.org.uk/strategy/info/uk-drowning-prevention-strategy.pdf>

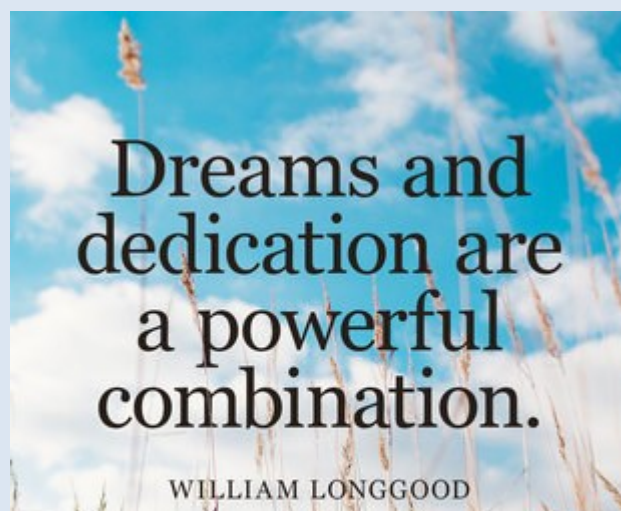
WHO (2017) Preventing drowning: An implementation guide - <http://apps.who.int/iris/bitstream/handle/10665/255196/9789241511933eng.pdf;jsessionid=A5D77E99564F328F0C3EAA6807912B59?sequence=1>

Department for Education (2013) National curriculum in England: physical education programmes of study - <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/national-curriculum-in-england-physical-education-programmes-of-study/national->

Average Attendance Figures for Week Ending 6th July 2018

Year Group	Total %
Year 7	95.2
Year 8	93.9
Year 9	92.7
Year 10	93.7
The Government Target is 95%	
Warblington Attendance for this year is 93.80%.	

Inspirational Quote of the Week



Lunch Menu – Week 1 – 2017 - 2018

Dietary - (V)-Vegetarian (DF) Dairy Free (GF) Gluten Free (O) Organic

	<u>The Big Spud</u> <u>Monday</u>	<u>Mexican Munch</u> <u>Tuesday</u>	<u>British Favourites</u> <u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Greek Gods</u> <u>Thursday</u>	<u>Weekly Catch</u> <u>Friday</u>
<u>Soup</u>	Soup of the day – Seasonal and changing daily.	Soup of the day – Seasonal and changing daily.	Soup of the day – Seasonal and changing daily.	Soup of the day – Seasonal and changing daily.	Soup of the day – Seasonal and changing daily.
<u>Main</u>	Big Spud with pork and mixed bean chilli or tuna, carrot, sweetcorn and spring onion (DF)(GF)(O)	Spicy chicken fajita served with spicy mixed bean rice, salsa, guacamole and sour cream (O)	Cumberland sausage with onions, Yorkshire pudding and mash (O)	Lamb Meatballs in a tomato and oregano sauce on barbarea bread. (DF)(O)	Coley and chive fishcakes with sweet chilli sauce. (DF)(O)
<u>Vegetarian</u>	Mixed baked beans, coleslaw, mixed triple cheese. (V)(GF)	Spicy vegetable fajita with all the trimmings (V)(DF)(GF)	Bubble and squeak croquette (V)(GF)	Massive stuffed tomatoes with feta and mint. (V)(GF)	Courgette, mint and bean patti. (V)(DF)(GF)
<u>Vegetable/ Salad</u>	N/A	Spicy roast vegetables	Seasonal vegetables	Greek salad	Curried vegetables
<u>Carbohydrate</u>	Jacket potatoes	Mexican five bean rice	Mashed potatoes	N/A	Crispy French fries
<u>Dessert</u>	Chocolate orange brownie (V)	Lime and cocoa cheese cake (V)	Sticky date and toffee pudding (V)	Minted melon cooler (V)(DF)(GF)	Mango and passion fruit mousse (V)(GF)(O)

Article 24 Every child has the right to the best possible health. Governments must provide good quality health care, clean water, nutritious food and a clean environment so that children can stay healthy. Richer counties must help poorer countries achieve this.

Last Day of Term Arrangements

Thursday 19th July 2018

Thursday	Lesson organisation	Extra actions during school day
08.35 - 09.35 am	Period 1	Normal timetabled lessons
09.35 - 10.30 am	Period 2	Normal timetabled lessons
10.30 - 11.00 am	BREAK Break is extended to 30 minutes to enable all students to get their lunch as there is no other break today	
11.00 - 11.40 am	Period 3	Normal timetabled lessons
11.40 - 12.00 pm	SAGE	All students should remain in their mentor bases until dismissed with the bell

THE SCHOOL DAY



2018 - 2019



LESSON TIMES - MON, WED, THURS, FRI

LESSON 1	8.35 – 9.35
LESSON 2	9.35 – 10.35
BREAK	10.35 – 11:00 (10.55 movement bell)
LESSON 3	11.00 – 12.00
LESSON 4	12.00 – 1.00
LUNCH	1.00 – 1.30 (1.25 movement bell)
SAGE	1.30 – 2.00
LESSON 5	2.00 – 3.00

LESSON TIMES - TUES ONLY

LESSON 1	8.35 – 9.35
LESSON 2	9.35 – 10.35
BREAK	10.35 – 11.00 (10.55 movement bell)
LESSON 3	11.00 – 12.00
LUNCH	12.00 – 12.30 (12.25 movement bell)
SAGE	12.30 – 1.00
LESSON 4	1.00 – 2.00

Effective from Monday 9th July 2018

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Future Artists

Creative Printmaking Summer Workshop

For Young People aged 12-15 yrs

Tuesday 21st August 2018

10am - 4pm Emsworth Community Centre

An opportunity for aspiring young artists to learn the skills to produce and exhibit your own hand printed artwork using the reduction linocut technique to print in layered colours. Led by two local artist printmakers.

Cost £10 - Places limited to 15 young people

For details go to www.emsworthcommunitycentre.org.uk/creativeprint



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Future Artists

Printmaking Workshop

Tuesday 21st August 10am-4pm at Emsworth Community Centre

A Printmaking workshop day for aspiring artists (12-15 years) to develop the skills to create printed art works using the reduction linocut technique.

The workshop will be led by Fabiola Knowles and Judy Williams both experienced local print artists, all good quality equipment needed will be provided. By the end of the day young people can expect to have experimented with reduction linocut technique and to have completed their own hand printed artwork.

The Exhibition the work produced will be prepared for a Future Artists Exhibition alongside Emsworth Artists Exhibition on the August Bank holiday. Young People will be invited to attend the preview evening with their families.



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What's On?



Free Entry | Bouncy Castle | Soft Play

Charity Raffle | Exciting Stalls

Tombola | Meet TV Characters

Food + Drink | Face Painting

Variety Acts | Free Fruit

Free Parking

+ MUCH MORE!

Funds raised from the day will be donated to
The Children's Bubbles Fund, which is part of
Portsmouth Hospitals Charity.

The charity is dedicated to enhancing equipment for patients, visitors and staff
at Queen Alexandra Hospital.



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