

School

## Weekly Newsletter Issue 200: Friday 25th October 2019

### Message from Mike Hartnell, Headteacher

So we reach the end of a very long, but incredibly productive half term. We have seen the introduction of the 'Ready to Learn' system prove to be very successful! Indeed, 67,896 pride points have been awarded to those students who have come in and really worked hard this half term. We will begin next half term with a uniform and equipment check, so please ensure that your child has everything they need to be successful. This alone has reduced the need to waste teaching time dealing with trivial things.

We have seen STEM have a much greater focus in Years 7 and 8, with curriculum lessons involving the creation of slime and concrete, and trips to INEOS Team Headquarters to test various technologies, which has really engaged our students in Science and Engineering.

I must say a really big 'Well Done' to Year 11. We have begun to really work with them to prepare them for their January PPEs and the response they have demonstrated has been phenomenal. At the start of the week we received a certificate for reaching 1,000 streamed revision pods. This morning we received the certificate for 3,000! They are also putting in incredible effort with the PiXL Maths and Literature Apps too. If your son/daughter are in Year 11, please talk to them about what and how they are revising and encourage them to do half an hour a day, every day to get into the habit.

Finally, I overheard a member of staff talking to a student this week saying 'I'm not settling for anything other than excellence from you and the rest of the class'. Excellence is what we are aiming for and thanks to your support, we are definitely making headway into this.

Enjoy the break!

## Key Dates for the Autumn Term: Week A

Monday 4th November

Back to School

## **Dates for Your Diary**

Wednesday 20th November

GCSE Presentation Evening 7:00pm-8:00pm

Wednesday 27th November

Year 10 Work Experience Evening 6:00pm-7:00pm

## INSET Days 2019-2020

Friday 29th November 2019

Monday 2nd December 2019

Monday 6th January 2020

Friday 3rd July 2020

## **Amazing Swimming Achievement!**

Ruby C did amazingly well in her latest swimming competition. It was held at Waterlooville Leisure Centre and 3 local squads competed (Havant and Waterlooville, Hamble Aquatics and Locks Heath). Ruby entered 6 races: 50m freestyle, 100m breaststroke, 50m breaststroke, 100m individual medley, 50m butterfly and 50m backstroke. She came first in every heat in all races, gaining personal best times in every race! She was the fastest 13 year old in every race, except 50m backstroke, where she came second.

Congratulations! A huge well done from everyone at Warblington School!



## Year 8 Fundraising

This year, Year 8 have chosen to raise money for Cancer Research UK by collecting milk bottle tops. Please save any bottle tops from empty bottles and ask your son/daughter to bring them into school. They will be collected in their tutor groups. Thank you in advance for your help! **Miss Uguen, Head of Year 8** 



#### STEM Event at the Royal Naval Museum

On Wednesday 23rd October, Mr Clinton and I took 5 students to the Royal Naval Museum at Portsmouth Dockyard for a STEM event hosted by Lockheed Martin. Students were presented with a challenge to rescue a helicopter from a desert and had to create a crane to do the job. The situation was simulated with a toy helicopter in a sand pit so students created their crane using the specifications and the conditions presented to them. They were given a range of materials and tools to complete the task. Team work was a key skill and they all worked amazingly well together to get the task done. Our crane was brilliant but unfortunately we didn't make it to the final but we were very close! The judges said our crane was very sturdy, a clever well thought through design with good design features including the use of corrugated plastic to stop the

tails swinging as the helicopter was lifted and cross members to keep it stable and overall performance during the rescue.

Billy thoroughly enjoyed learning how to solder! He created the switch for the team's crane and soldered it all together to the motor. This was the first time he had tried this and he picked it up really well. Well done Billy!

Make sure you check out our Facebook page to see videos of the crane in action!

You will be able to see a video of the winch system created by Finley, Billy and Alfie! As you will see, during testing, it worked perfectly! Well done to Finley and Billy for creating the structure and gear mechanism for the winch and also well done to Billy for learning a new skill and soldering the switch and motor. Great team work!

You will also be able to see the crane in action during judging. It was operated by Ruby. A fantastic team effort created this crane with Finley, Billy and Alfie working on the winch and Ruby and Zara working on the main structure however each student pitched in everywhere, offering ideas and help. Just because you have one job role, doesn't mean you can't help out in other departments as the team found out. We are very proud of you all and what you created!

Comments from our students about the day:

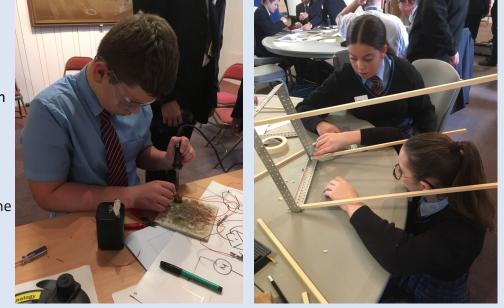
'I learnt lots of new skills!'

'There are lots of career paths within Lockheed Martin and with engineering.'

'I want to go on the next STEM trip.'

Thank you to Lockheed Martin for the day which our students thoroughly enjoyed!

**Miss Barker and Mr Clinton** 



## **Sports Council Ice Hockey Reward Trip**

The Sports Council were rewarded with an Ice Hockey Trip, watching the amazing Guildford Flames take on the Fife Flyers on Sunday 20th October. We would like to take this opportunity to thank the Sports Council for their hard work throughout the year; supporting events such as Sports Week, Sports Day and Sports Awards. In addition to this the group have been an integral part of the PE department, carrying out duties to ensure the smooth running of clubs and fixtures. Thank you!

#### Mrs Griffin & Mr Chaplin

The Sports Council: Dan S, Manon M, Leonie T, Abbey B, Niamh B, Megan K, Emily L, Chloe R, Rhiannon G, Kiera D, Molly , Jamie D, Aidan L, Rees J, Amber H & Zach H



## Warblington School Alumni

## Are you an ex-student of Warblington School?

We would like to find out what our ex-students have left school to go on to and use this information to create inspirational posters for our current students.

What year did you leave?

What tutor were you in?

Did you participate in any other school related activities? e.g. sports, drama productions etc.

What were your GCSE results (particularly Maths, English & Science)?

What did you do in the first 2 years after school? e.g. college, apprenticeship etc.

If you completed further qualifications, where did you study, what were they and what were the results?

Please could you write a few sentences about what you are doing now and if you have any plans for the future.

Do you have any wise words to our current students in school?

Do you have a recent picture of yourself at work?

Please email I.fletcher@warblingtonschool.co.uk In the first instance, and I will forward you a form to complete! Thank you!

Mrs Fletcher, Careers Leader

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Monday 29th October		Tuesday 29th October		Wednesday 30th October		Friday 1st November	
Music	Drop Ins 10am-12pm	Creative iMedia (MGY)	10am-2pm	Creative iMedia (TSE)	11am-2pm	Food Tech	Drop Ins Lunchtime
		DIT	10am-2pm	Graphics	11am-2pm		
		Art	9am-3pm				
		Photography	9am-3pm				

**Students of the Week** 

Year 11 Half Term Revision Sessions

## Well Done!

9A - Kinsie J & Callum M 9D - Sophie A & Jake T

9E - Rosie R & Own C

7A - Sophie M & Mia Y

7C - Ruby S & Paul G

7D - Ajay B & Aidan B

8B - Eden C & Mac R

8A - Elizabeth B & Jack B

8C - Angel D & Anthony W 8D - Ruby W & Tommy H

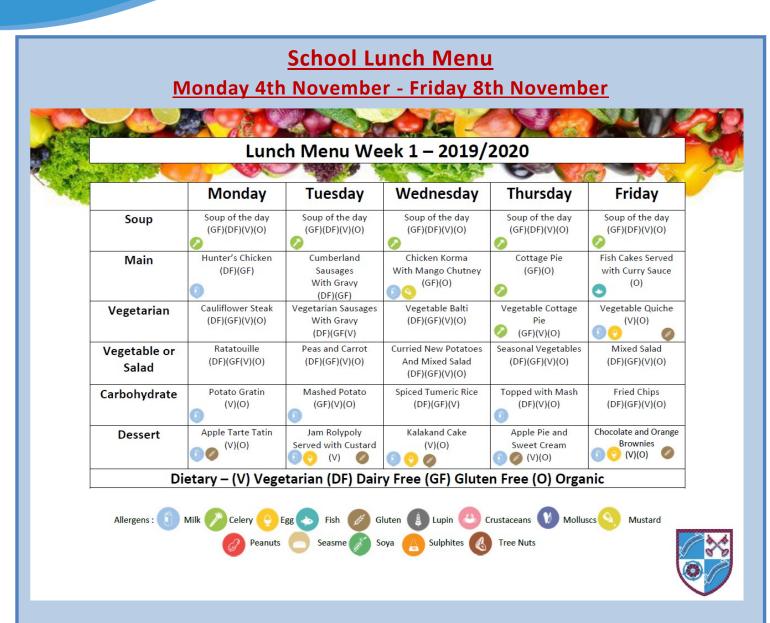
10A - Poppy R & Tai N
10B - Millie H & Connor M
10E - Madison B & Oliver B
11A - Leon P & Alex W
11B - Katie B & Ashley C
11C - Hennie S & George M
11D - Emily N & James F

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11E - Savannah B & Mason M



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**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.

## Havant & Waterlooville Football Club Upcoming Fixtures



Havant & Waterlooville FC V Concord Rangers Saturday 26th October - 3:00pm Havant & Waterlooville FC V Slough Town Saturday 9th November - 3:00pm

Havant & Waterlooville FC V Bath City Saturday 16th November - 3:00pm

## Average Attendance Figures for Week Ending 18th October 2019

Year Group	Total %			
Year 7	97.4			
Year 8	94.4			
Year 9	91.8			
Year 10	90.1			
Year 11	92.9			
The Government Target is 95%				
Warblington Attendance for this year is				
93.5%				

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Girls Rugby Club		Netball Club	Boys Football	
All Years		All years, girls	All years	
3:00pm-4:00pm		3:00pm-4:00pm	3:00pm-4:00pm	
Boys Rugby Club		Digital Leaders	Art Club	
All Years		Year 7 & 8	All years, boys & girls	
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Hockey Club		Rock Challenge	GCSE Art Club	
All Years, boys & girls		All Years, boys & girls	GCSE Art students	
3:00pm-4:00pm		Drama & Dance Studio	3:00pm-5:00pm	
Homework Club		Homework Club	Homework Club	
3:00pm-3:30pm		3:00pm-3:30pm	3:00pm-3:30pm	
Learning Support		Learning Support	Learning Support	

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday		
Week A							
3pm	Maths		English	Science	Spanish		
					PE		
	Week B						
3pm	Food Tech		French	Art/Photography	Graphics		
	Creative iMedia		Music	Geography	Creative		
				DIT Study Club	iMedia		
				Graphics			
4pm			Creative iMedia	Art/Photography			

## **Free Online Safety Workshop For Parents & Carers**

Helping you to understand, talk about and share the online world safely with your child



Bookings can be made through Eventbrite: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/hampshire-policenspcc-free-online-safety-workshop-for-parentscarers-andover-tickets-77110492559



Thursday 5 December 2019 6.30pm to 8pm (arrival from 6pm) Warblington School, Southleigh Road, Havant, PO9 2RR

Delivered by trained Hampshire Police and NSPCC staff



For parents and carers of children age 7-11 years in school years 3 – 7

Please note: children are not permitted to attend this event with parents/carers

With Christmas fast approaching and new phones/gaming devices on the wish-lists of many children, join us at this workshop to gain skills and knowledge to understand the internet and technology in the way your children do. Learn more about resources available to help you and support having the right conversations with your child about online safety.

## Late Orders after Order Closing Date

If you would like to place a late order please do one of the following;

- 8. Visit <u>www.smileYellow.com</u> and from the Proof Card enter:
  - A The Proof Card I.D.
    - B The Password
- 9. Please follow the instructions for placing an order. A £5 'Late Order' fee will automatically be added to your payment.

#### or

- 10. Please write your details on the back of the Proof Card:
  - i. Your Name
  - *II.* Address
  - ///. Telephone Number
- 11. Please add the **£5.00** 'Late Order' charge to the payment, this includes Postage and Packaging direct to your home
- 12. No cash payments will be accepted

13. Post to the FREEPOST address;

Yellow FREEPOST (SCE8249) Southampton Hampshire S031 1AF

14. Photograph packages will be sent direct to your address and will take up to 28 days to deliver.

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Should you have any queries please call us on; 023 8040 4070

The Old Stables, Peewit Hill Close, Bursledon, Southampton, Hampshire. SO31 1AF



## Casual Weekend Lettings Assistant

Variable Hours £10.00 per hour

#### **Required Immediately**

Due to an increase in demand, we are looking to develop our team of Lettings Assistants to work on an occasional basis during evenings and weekends.

The successful candidate will support the letting of the school's facilities during weekends, dealing mainly with external hirers of the school's facilities to ensure the smooth running of our community lettings programme.

Duties will include:

- Locking and unlocking of the buildings and facilities at pre-determined times.
- Meeting hirers at the beginning of each letting, ensuring signatures are obtained.
- Providing a highly visible, friendly and approachable presence during lettings.
- Setting up and clearing away tables, chairs etc as required.
- Ensuring the community facilities are kept clean and free of litter.

The number of shifts available will vary depending on the work and number of activities taking place in the school.

Warblington School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. We will ensure that all our recruitment and selection practices reflect this commitment. All successful candidates will be subject to enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service checks along with other relevant employment checks.

For further details including the person specification and application form, please visit the school website <u>www.warblington.hants.sch.uk</u>

Please note that we do not accept CV applications.



Of children currently experiencing a mental health problem, over 2/3 (68%) say they experienced

5pm - 8pm Weds 20 Nov 2019 Weds 29 Jan 2020 Tues 17 Mar 2020

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Whether you are a school leaver or looking for a career change PETA can help you get into an apprenticeship.

Come along to an Apprenticeship Open Day to learn about the current industry programmes and job vacancies.

We'll also have practical demonstrations, a CV workshop and a team of experts on hand with information to help you make the right choice for your future.



# OPEN DAYS

PETA Training Centre 1 Access Point Northarbour Road Portsmouth POG 3TE

What's included...

- Jobs board and vacancies
- CV and careers workshop
- Apply for an apprenticeship
- First interview guaranteed
- Games and demonstrations
- Meet the apprentice ambassadors
- Families welcome

## Register to attend at www.gettheapp.co.uk

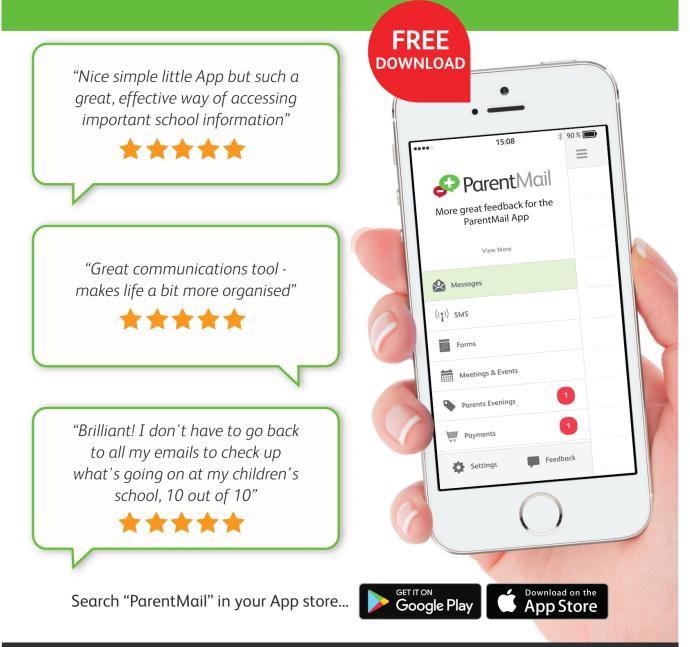
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023 9253 8724





## **Download the ParentMail App** for the best way to pick up school messages





Please note: If you are not already registered, you will need to register online on the ParentMail website before trying to access the App. Please ask the school office to send you a registration message

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