

Warblington
School

Weekly Newsletter

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Message from The Editor, Miss Barker

What a term this has been for our Year 11 students and their teachers! They have done amazingly well with being constantly assessed in every subject to ensure they get the grade they deserve. A huge thank you for all of your hard work and co-operation during this period!

Good luck to our students taking part in their Duke of Edinburgh Award practice walks this weekend. We hope the weather is pleasant for your long awaited expedition which has been re-arranged a couple of times now due to COVID. I know Mr Crowe is proud of your resilience and the hard work you have put into the written part of your award in the mean time.

On Thursday 20th May, Connor M Year 11 presented the school with one of his Rugby shirts to be proudly displayed within our PE department. Here is a message from Connor about his Rugby career and advice for anyone looking at a career in sport.

'My Rugby journey began 13 years ago at a local club called US Portsmouth and I played there for 11 years at club level. Shortly after joining Warblington School former PE teacher Mr Andrew worked closely with me to develop my skills as a rugby player and due to our hard work, I earned myself a place in the London Irish DDP. During this time I was also taking part in the qualified player program for the Scotland National Team. After countless trials across the country, I got a place in the Scotland Under 16s squad. As I leave school this year, this is where my future lies.

If I had to give a message to anyone looking at a career in sport it would be to work hard and believe in yourself and don't let anyone's opinion drag you down, chase your dreams and be unique. Last but not least don't be afraid to fail, it's a part of being successful.' **Connor M Year 11**

We hope you all have a wonderful Half Term Holiday!

Key Dates for the Summer Term: Week A

Monday 31st May -
Friday 4th June

Half Term Holiday



Year 11 Leavers Assembly

On Thursday, Year 11 had their final assembly at Warblington School however it wasn't the last time we will see them and it wasn't the official goodbye, we couldn't leave things like that, this is Warblington! Year 11 will get the send off they deserve on Thursday 24th June with a Leavers BBQ here at school from 4:00pm-7:00pm. More information to be sent out soon. Students will be invited in after Half Term to sign off their portfolio of work and also to complete any final outstanding assessments if required. A huge thank you and well done to you all! You did it! And with the 6/10 you got from Mr Ashcroft for your Mexican Wave, this is probably something you need to work on in college! You know what we mean!



Instrumental Lessons

We are excited to announce we have spaces available for students who wish to start having instrumental lessons in school!

Here at Warblington we have a thriving Music department that has seen students take up instruments, complete instrumental exams and take part in community performances such as The Portsmouth Music Festival. Our instrumental teachers are Professional Musicians who work in the music industry as well as being experienced instrumental teachers. Our students are encouraged to learn and explore a variety of different music styles and forms in their lessons.

If you are interested in the opportunity to take up learning how to play an instrument then please complete the letter available on Weduc! **Miss Blundell, Music**





Year 8 Computing

Our Year 8 students have been learning about physical programming in their Computing lessons. They have created lots of different outcomes including a flappy birds game, a name tag, a face changer and many more. Here is Kye C and Aiden B with their 'Transportation Duck'.



PE Kit Required

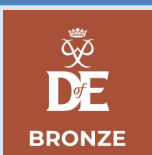
Do you have any PE kit at home that your child has outgrown or no longer needs? If so, please donate these items to the school for the PE Department allowing them to re-build their stock of spare PE kit after donating items to families struggling financially. Please bring items to Reception including PE tops, rugby shirts, hoodies, leggings, shorts and tracksuit bottoms.

Thank you in advance for your support! **Mrs Griffin, PE**



Thank you Mrs Reeves!

A huge thank you to Mrs Reeves (Year 11 Parent) for donating some tomato plants to the school for our Eco Project and also some eggs from her ducks at home for Food Technology!



Duke of Edinburgh Award Practice Expedition Walks 29th-30th May 2021

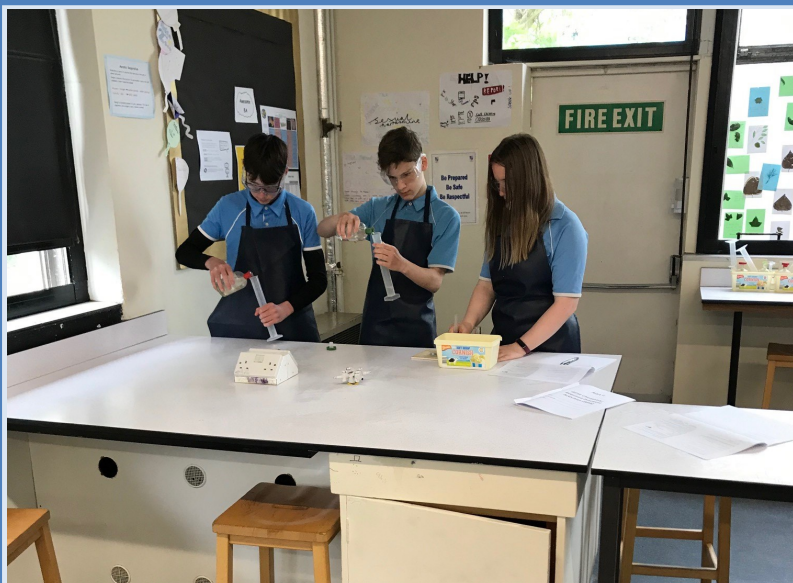
This practice expedition will run as two day walks with no overnight camping. Please follow the Ridgeline Adventures information pack which was issued to all participants at the start of May.

Saturday 29th May - Drop off at 10:00am – Rowlands Castle train station
Collection at 7:00pm – Queen Elizabeth Country Park visitors centre car park

Sunday 30th May - Drop off at 9:30am – Queen Elizabeth Country Park visitors centre car park
Collection at 3:30pm/4:00pm – Queen Elizabeth Country Park visitors centre car park

Please email Mr Crowe - a.crowe@warblingtonschool.co.uk if you have any questions.

Mr Crowe, DofE Manager



Year 10 Science

It has been brilliant to see our Year 10 students able to carry out practical investigations in their Science lessons. They have been investigating rates of reaction. Below you can see Jack W, Jamie K and Kaitlyn W using different concentrations to affect the rate of reaction. Well done!

Ms Parker, Science



Wildlife Area

On Thursday we were able to go out to our Wildlife Area to finish working on our bug hotel. Students are learning a lot about the importance of biodiversity and are enjoying developing the area and their understanding. It is so important that we encourage our students to be aware of the need for nurturing our environment. Nature always needs a helping hand!

'I just want to say that's it been amazing to be able to work in our Wildlife Area to help increase biodiversity in our school. We have been working on a bug hotel where bugs can live and thrive.'

Irina U Year 8

Future Plans for the Wildlife Area:

A wildlife pond.

Planting woodland flowers and butterfly/bee friendly bushes/shrubs.

We already have nesting birds using our bird boxes, which we are hoping to film as the fledglings get ready to leave.

We are also looking to put up bat boxes. Donations of bat boxes would be greatly appreciated along with bird food.

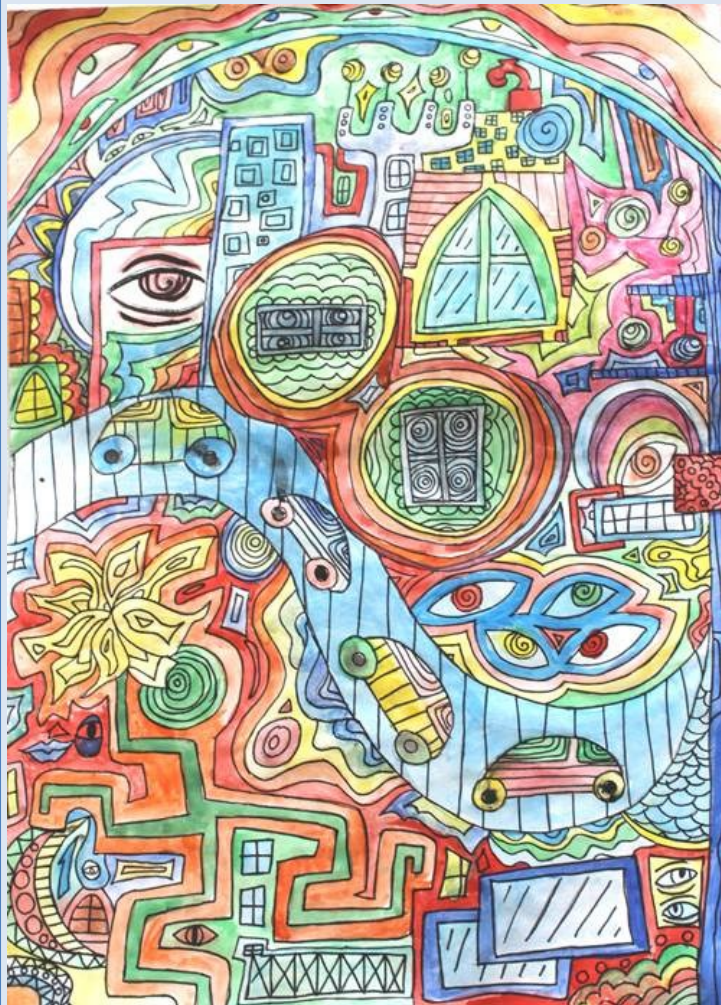
Ms Parker, Science



Year 8 Art

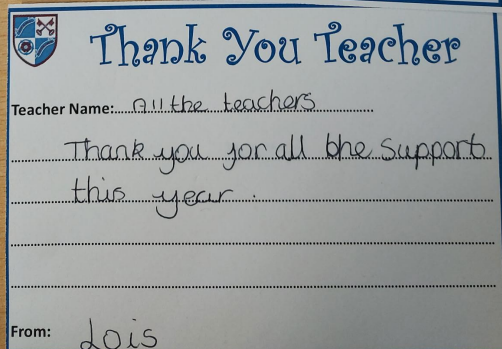
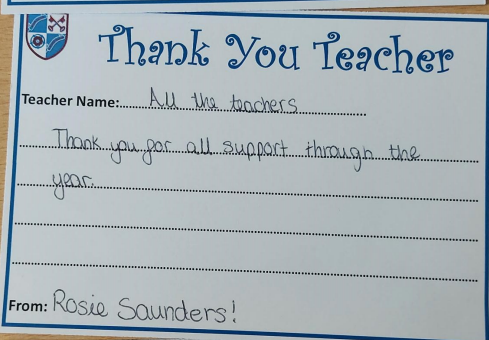
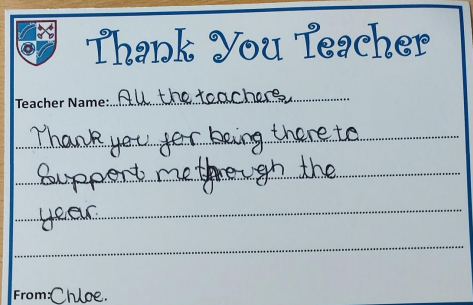
A lovely Watercolour painting by Anisa M in response to the work of Hundertwasser.

Mr Whitlock, Art



Thank You From Year 7

Year 7 have been sending thank you cards to their teachers. Here are a couple from 7A to all of our teachers.



Race to Tokyo House Challenge



Thank you for all of your entries this week! Norris are now over two thirds of the way Tokyo! If you're getting out and about over Half Term, don't forget to record and send your miles to Mr Chaplin via g.chaplin@warblingtonschool.co.uk

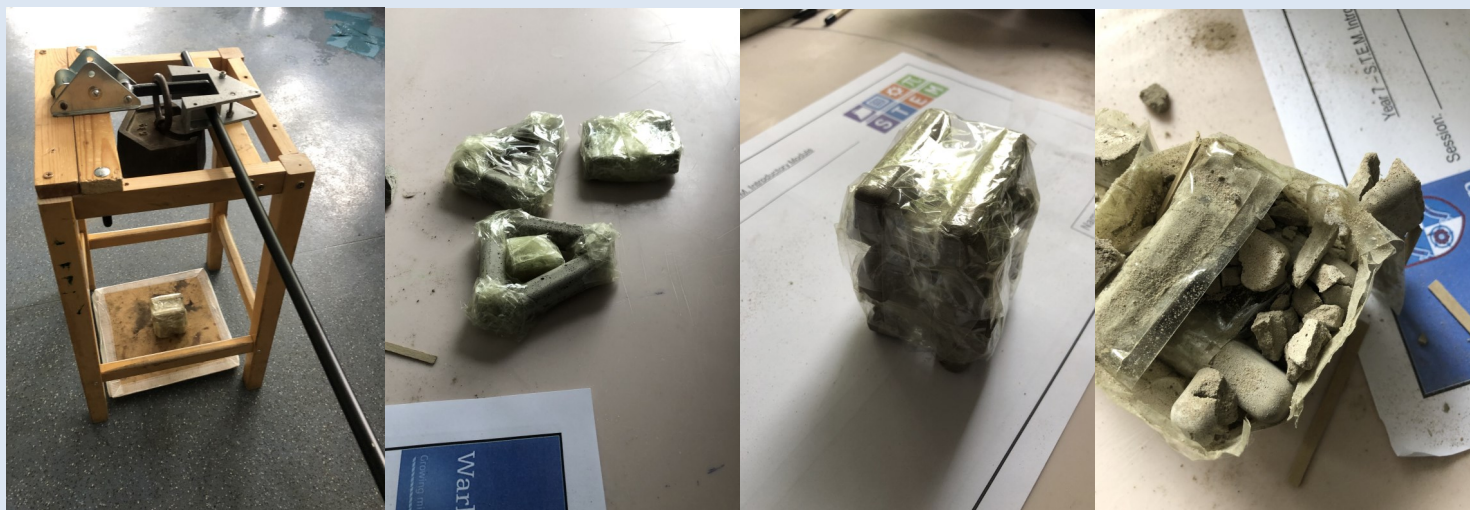
Walking, running, cycling... short or long distances... every mile counts... keep recording!

The Race to Tokyo Leader Board

House	Mitchell	Norris	Paxton	Stowe
Miles Completed	3303.2	4075.9	3481.7	1262.4

Year 7 STEM

In their STEM lessons Year 7 have been creating shelters out of different types of concrete and testing them for their strength. They had to create a shelter to house and protect a grape and a weight was dropped on it, the idea was for the grape to remain undamaged. We have had some very successful shelters created by our students! Well done! **Mr Clinton, Science**



Sponsorship Packages @ Warblington School

A fantastic opportunity has arisen for local businesses and families to get involved in our Community school through a new sponsorship scheme we are putting together. There are two areas of Sponsorship.



House Sponsorship



This is a new incentive within the school to develop and grow respect and responsibility along with team building and leadership skills of our students.

Our House names, **Mitchell**, **Norris**, **Paxton** and **Stowe** are all based on prominent local World War I heroes.

School Transition Sponsorship

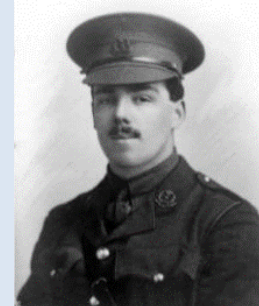
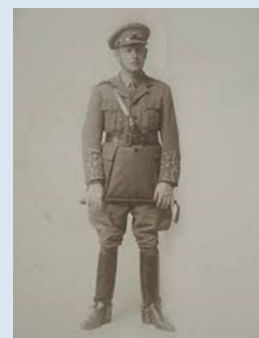
This involves sponsorship of our transition water bottles which will be handed out to prospective students in our feeder schools when we visit.

If you would like to get involved in any of these projects or have an interest in our WWI Hero's please contact

Hilary Parry H.Parry@warblingtonschool.co.uk

for a prospectus and let's unite our community in something great.

Thank you in advance for your support!



Free School Meals

Are you eligible for Free School Meals? If so, a voucher has been emailed to you to redeem from Wonde to cover you for the Half Term holiday. **Mr Sharp, Finance Manager**



Junior Sports Leaders Celebration Event

Pompey in the Community are celebrating the students who completed their Junior Sports Leadership Qualification with a Celebration Event on Thursday 3rd June 9:00am-3:00pm at Warblington School. We have emailed the relevant parents/carers with the invite letter which has the booking information you need to register your child's place for this free event.

[Click here](#) to view the letter and [click here](#) for the booking link. Any problems registering please contact Pompey in the Community using the contact details on the letter.

Congratulations to all of our students for their brilliant achievement!

Mrs Griffin, PE



PE Need Your Help!

As part of our application for funding from Sport England, we are required to complete a survey with students and staff. The survey is short and includes multiple choice style questions based around Behaviours and Attitudes to Physical Activity. The research is being conducted by Sheffield Hallam University. It is imperative that we complete as many surveys as possible as our bid for funding cannot be approved without these surveys being completed. A staff survey will be shared with staff directly in school.

Please use the link below to access the survey:

[https://www.sircsurveys.com/f/1418034/fbc2/?LQID=1&SHUID=242&Student Pre=Yes](https://www.sircsurveys.com/f/1418034/fbc2/?LQID=1&SHUID=242&Student%20Pre=Yes)

[Click here](#) for full information from Sheffield Hallam University regarding the survey.

Thank you for your support!

Mr Chaplin, PE



Eedi

Eedi Free Online Maths Summer Club

Eedi is offering all Year 5 to Year 9 families free access to Eedi Summer Club, a Maths summer program 100% free of charge that will help to boost your child's confidence in Maths ready for the new school year.

Your child will first do a quick placement quiz to set their work and then get recommended topics that'll help them improve the most over 7 weeks. Your child will get unlimited access to review questions, videos and live chat support with real teachers over the holidays. You'll also get weekly reports on how they're doing. The minimum recommended work is 1 lesson a week, which should be around 30 minutes of work.

Each week, Eedi will hold competitions to boost motivation and engagement - from who's given the most thoughtful explanation to a problem to what team has the highest amount of points.

Plus there are real prizes up for grabs!

Signup deadline: 14th June to get Eedi Summer Club for free.

Summer Club Starts: July 5th **Summer Club Ends:** August 23rd

*Free for the Summer Period only if signed up to before 14th June, after this period it will cost £7.99 a month *



[Click here](#) to sign up and get the free offer automatically applied to your account.

If you have any questions, please contact family@eedi.co.uk directly.



Warblington School After School Clubs 2020-2021



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Sport & Dance Year 7 3:00pm-4:00pm	Football with Havant & Waterlooville FC Year 10 2:00pm-3:00pm	Homework Club Student Hub All Years 3:00pm-3:30pm	Homework Club Student Hub All Years 3:00pm-3:30pm	Sports Leadership with Pompey in the Community Year 7 3:00pm-4:00pm
		Art Club Year 11 3:00pm-4:00pm	Art Club All Years 3:00pm-4:00pm	
		Textiles Club Year 8 3:00pm-3:40pm	Textiles Club Year 7 3:00pm-4:00pm	
		Sport & Dance Year 8 3:00pm-4:00pm	Sport & Dance Year 9 3:00pm-4:00pm	



This Weeks Top 10 Students for Pride Points



Well done to all of our students for their hard work this week!

Year 7

Rosalind S
Darcey-Mai M
Elijah W
Mariam B
Mason L
Taylor H
Levi A
Khalel K
Abigail C
Adrian D

Year 8

Irina U
Henry H
Lucy B
Callum C
Anisa M
Millie R
Francesca H
Luke S
Rose E
Henry Y

Year 9

Sophie F
Anthony W
Mason H
Matthew J
Rebecca F
Phoebe F
Jack S
Amy P
Joshua A
Imogen M

Year 10

James L G
Thomas W
Finley B
Archie H
Rosie W
Mia M
Kayleigh G
Lewis H
Cerise C
Rosie-May R

Year 11

Betsy P
Megan E
Ethan M
Jake B
Sydney S
Scott M
Alicia R
Ethan O
Kayden C
Harvey B



PE Star of the Week

Harry P - Year 8 - Harry is excellent in his PE lessons! He is always organised and displays a great attitude to learning. He was a fantastic fielder in Cricket this week through his effort and teamwork displayed.



Starting Secondary School

Year 6 Transition

Thank you to our Year 6 Transition students for continuing to complete their weekly Transition tasks. This week you had a Science task to complete, 'Measuring Time'. Keep up the hard work! Task six will be sent out after Half Term.

Have a brilliant Half Term break!

Don't forget to check out our Facebook and Twitter pages for school updates, important information and good news as well as our dedicated Transition page on our website

[warblingtonschool.co.uk/parents/transition/!](http://warblingtonschool.co.uk/parents/transition/)

Like and follow!



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School Lunch Menu

Monday 7th May - Friday 11th May

Lunch Menu Week 2 – 2020/2021

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Soup	Soup of the day (GF)(DF)(V)(O) 	Soup of the day (GF)(DF)(V)(O) 	Soup of the day (GF)(DF)(V)(O) 	Soup of the day (GF)(DF)(V)(O) 	Soup of the day (GF)(DF)(V)(O)
Main	Chilli Con Carne (DF)(GF)(O)	Chicken Burgers served in Brioche Buns (O) 	Penne Bolognese (DF)(O) 	Sticky BBQ Chicken Wings and Drumsticks (DF)(GF)(V)(O)	Battered Fish
Vegetarian	Beans and Cheese (GF)(V)(O) 	Vegetable Burgers served in Brioche Buns (V)(O) 	Mac & Cheese (DF)(V)(O) 	Quorn Nuggets (DF)(V) 	Stuffed Tomatoes with Cream Cheese and Peppers (GF)(V)(O)
Vegetable or Salad	Mixed Salad (DF)(GF)(V)(O)	Salad inside the Bun (Lettuce and Tomato) (V)(O)	Mixed Salad (DF)(GF)(V)(O) 	Coleslaw and Onion Rings (V)(O) 	Mixed Salad (DF)(GF)(V)(O)
Carbohydrate	Jacket Potato (DF)(GF)(V)(O)	Spiced Potato Wedges (DF)(GF)(V)(O)	Garlic Bread (V)(O) 	Sweet Potato Fries (DF)(GF)(V)(O) 	Oven Baked Chips (DF)(GF)(V)(O)
Dessert	Chocolate Angel Delight (GF)(V) 	Three Layered Trifle (V) 	Tiramisu (GF)(V)(O) 	Carrot and Sultana Cake (V)(O) 	Victoria Sponge (V)
Dietary – (V) Vegetarian (DF) Dairy Free (GF) Gluten Free (O) Organic					

Allergens : Milk Celery Egg Fish Gluten Lupin Crustaceans Molluscs Mustard
 Peanuts Seamless Soya Sulphites Tree Nuts



Food Bank Donations

There is a collection box in Reception for The Beacon Food Bank. If you are able to offer your support, please bring items into Reception or ask your child to drop them off to help those in need in our community. Donation examples:

Coffee - Tea - Sugar - Rice - Pasta - Pasta Sauce - Tinned Meals - Tinned Fruit/Veg - Soup - Jam - Puddings - Squash - Cereal - Tuna - Biscuits
Long Life Milk - Custard - Cooking Sauces

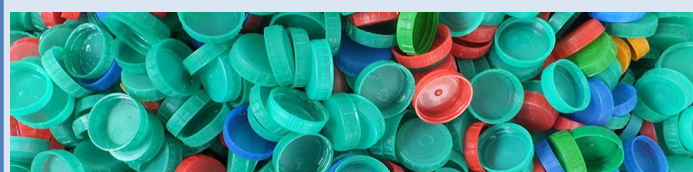
Mrs Copeman, Home/School Support

Milk Bottle Top Collection

We are collecting milk bottle tops for the Solent MS Therapy Centre! Please collect and bring your bottle tops into Reception. Plastic milk bottle tops only. Thank you for your support!



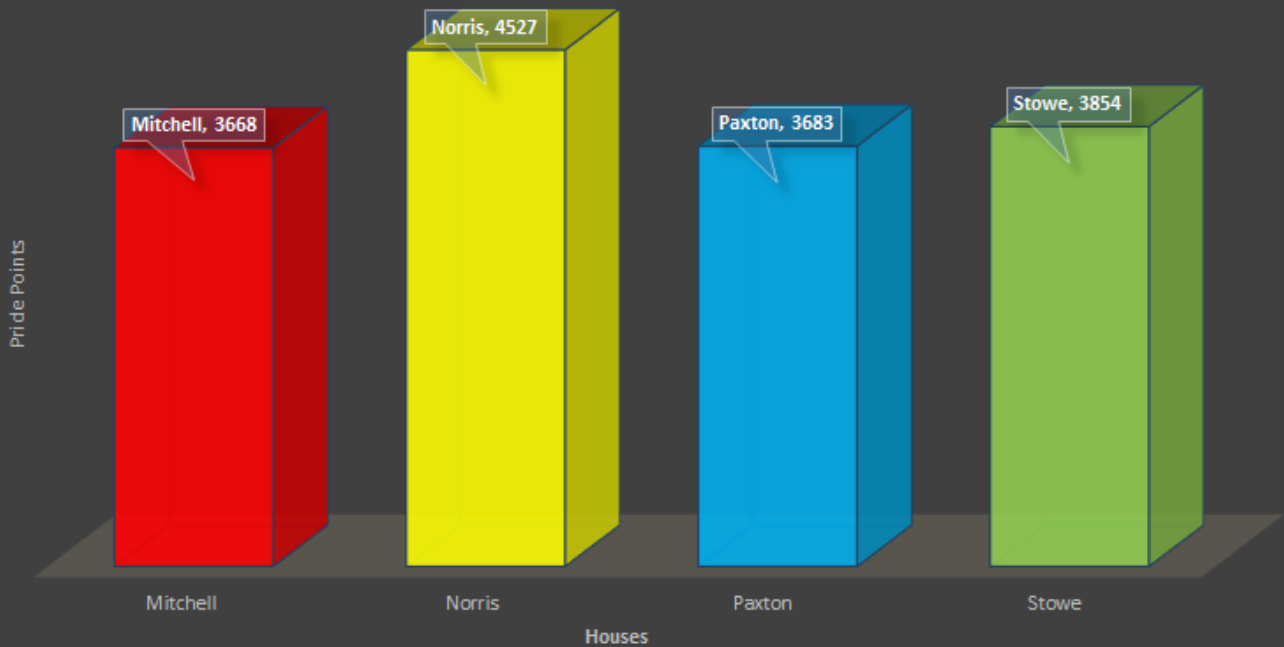
Help for those living with Multiple Sclerosis



House Totals

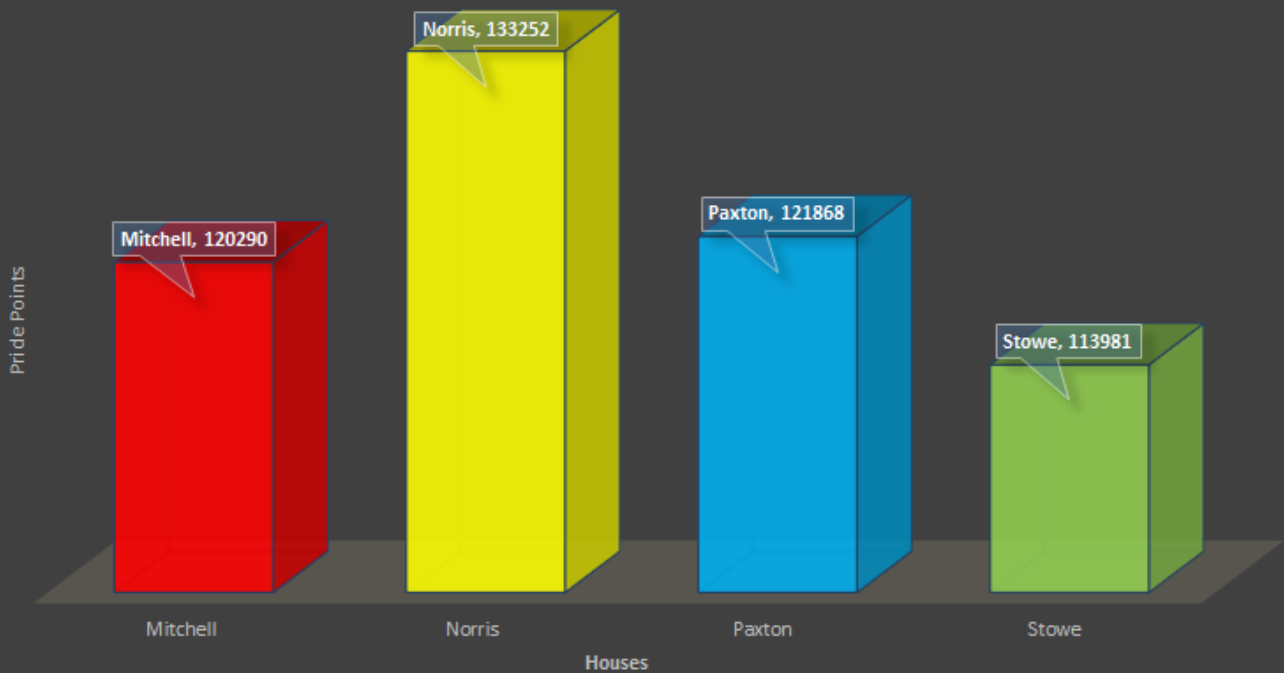
WARBLINGTON WEEKLY HOUSE POINTS

● Mitchell ● Norris ● Paxton ● Stowe



WARBLINGTON OVERALL HOUSE POINTS

● Mitchell ● Norris ● Paxton ● Stowe



SUN PARENT HUB

VIRTUAL FURTHER & HIGHER EDUCATION DAY



Baasit Siddiqui

Next Steps: *Preparing for Further and Higher Education*

ATTENDANCE
IS FREE!

TUESDAY 22 JUNE 2021
3PM-6PM

FREE INFORMATION EVENT
SUPPORT YOUR YOUNG PERSON
EXPERT SPEAKERS
16 LIVE TALKS

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IN YEAR 11, SIXTH FORM OR COLLEGE?

JOIN THE SOUTHERN UNIVERSITIES NETWORK
VIRTUAL FURTHER & HIGHER EDUCATION DAY!

We'll cover everything you need to know to support your young person make important decisions about their future. We've also invited along some special guest speakers, including **Baasit Siddiqui** from Channel 4's Gogglebox, activist and writer **Natasha Devon** and a host of other expert speakers from the region's most prominent further & higher education providers.

Choose from 16 live talks and access recordings to watch later on our SUN Parent Hub.



Natasha Devon MBE