

# Weekly Newsletter Issue 321: Friday 3rd February 2023

## Message from The Editor, Miss Barker

Last Friday I attended the Havant Borough Council Holocaust Memorial Day service at Havant Cemetery with Mrs Woodford-Richens, Megan H, Faye R and Saskia H-B. All three students contributed to the service with a reading which they read clearly and which made an impact on the local dignitaries and other schools in attendance. They told the true story of a man who saved a group of Jewish children from concentration camps. It was a very moving service giving us the chance to remember and reflect.

After the service we were invited to the Havant Plaza to have refreshments with the Mayor of Havant, Cllr Diana Patrick where we spoke in more depth with the local people of Havant including hearing accounts from family of survivors. Our students took a lot from the experience.

'I felt honoured to be apart of the day learning about what happened at the holocaust and talking with family members of survivors.' **Megan H Year 10** 

Thank you to Mrs Woodford-Richens for organising the trip again this year and to Megan, Faye and

Saskia for their attendance, maturity around a sensitive subject and taking part in the service with their reading.



#### Key Dates for the Spring Term: Week B

Wednesday 8th February

Year 11 Parents Evening 4:00pm-7:00pm

Monday 13th February -Friday 17th February

Half Term Holiday



## **Holocaust Survivor Webinar**

To further mark Holocaust Memorial Day, on Thursday 26th January, our Year 11 students took part in a webinar with a Holocaust survivor organised by the History Department. Our Year 11 students listened intently to what the survivor had to say about their first hand experience of the atrocities that took place. This was an invaluable experience and the second time we have been able to offer this for our students.

Below are some reflections from the students on the webinar:

'What I've learnt through this session is the pure impact given by just listening to someone's story. To be able to immerse yourself in someone else's story. To feel a deep sense of emotion, and the hard ship that survivors and victims experienced. The importance of the constant need for a reminder. The true message of respect.'

'The education of the treatment and the prosecution during the holocaust is something I feel needs to be continuously taught. I don't think there should ever be a period of time when this is not spoken about. Peoples' experiences and the lives lost during the holocaust shouldn't be forgotten.'

'Today I have learnt about an actual holocaust survivor's personal experience, the conditions she lived through, her feelings, the need to hide her identity and her overall journey that I thought was very powerful.

I think that education on the holocaust and learning from people talking about their experiences is extremely important. We need to be educated on the history behind the persecution of Jewish people so that we can recognise and reflect on how things like discrimination had so much power and can be so tragic.'

Thank you for your reflections! The History Department

## **Art & Technology Displays**

There are some amazing displays in the Art and Technology block showcasing our students work. Make sure you take a look next time you are walking through the corridor. Here is some Year 7 work based around Vincent Van Gogh's 'Starry Night'.



## Pompey In'It!

Nolan B Year 8 is a big Pompey fan and enjoys following Portsmouth FC and interviewing fans from both sides when he attends matches and posts them on his YouTube channel <u>@PompeyInItMush</u>. As well as fans he has also interviewed players and given reviews on match days.

Click here to check out his latest video



from the Peterborough match at the weekend. Above is a shot from his latest video where Nolan is speaking to one of the Pompey coaches and promoting his channel catchphrase 'Pompey In'it'.

Brilliant work Nolan and we are looking forward to seeing where this takes you!

## **Jack & The Beanstalk**

This week we have been reflecting on the 2022 School Show, Jack and the Beanstalk. On Thursday the cast and crew came together to watch the performance and share their memories of the experience. Mrs Whiteley-Fuller has put together a display of photos outside Drama.





## School Show 2023

Plans are being put in place for the next school show and the production will be revealed after the Easter Holidays with auditions starting shortly after.

There are so many roles you could undertake in the school show. A variety of skills are required to make it a success so why not have a think of what you could do in the next school show.

## Year 7 Basketball Team

The Year 7 Basketball team participated in several fixtures last week. They won their first game against Park Community School 2-0 with the baskets scored by Mason. They hit the rim four times in a row on two occasions showing the strength of their attacks. In their second and third games, against Horndean Technology College and Oaklands School, they were less successful and lost both games, however they kept the pressure on throughout the games including a

basket from Maisy. In their fourth and final game, they were victorious against Cowplain Community School with the winning basket from Harry.

Well done!

Mrs Griffin, PE

Year 7 Basketball Team: Mason S, Savannah S, Daniel H, Ollie A, Maisie C, Harry M, Harry R and Blaydon K.



## Year 11 Before and After School Revision Timetable

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Period 0		Further Maths	History	French	Spanish	(P)
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## **KS4 Maths Star of the Week**

## Cody F Year 10

Amazing effort in class and on your homework! You always push yourself and complete extension work.

#### Mrs Durrant-Francis, Head of KS4 Maths



## eSports Club Weekly Round Up

Well done to everyone who attended eSports Club this week for your sportsmanship and dedication. This week's **Player of the Week** is...



#### George M Year 7

## eSports Cup League Table

# Mitchell36Norris25Stowe15Paxton13

Mr Chate, Computing

Every week counts towards the cup!

1st = 4 points 2nd = 3 points 3rd = 2 points 4th = 1 point



## **Computing Weekly Shout Out!**

The Computing Department would like to give a massive shout out to following students:

Year 7: Anna K Year 8: Frankie J Year 9: Amelia T Year 10: Reanna B Year 11: Freddie D

Well done and keep up the hard work and effort in Computing!

#### Mr Chate, Computing



## This Weeks Top 10 Students for Pride Points

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



Mipe C



Freya T

## **PE Star of the Week**

#### Lily P Year 8

Lily has participated in her PE lessons this week with maximum effort, showing good progress and demonstrating this in football and rugby. Well done!

## Year 11 Parents Evening: Wednesday 8th February 2023

Rachel C

Year 11 Parents Evening will be taking place in person in the school hall on Wednesday 8th February from 4:00pm-7:00pm.

Please log into School Cloud to book appointments https://warblington.schoolcloud.co.uk

Problems logging in? Email icthelp@warblingtonschool.co.uk

## **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.

Jaycob P



Help for those living

Ruby H

HELL DONE

<u>Plastic milk bottle tops only</u>. Thank you for your support!



#### **Off The Record** Free online and in person family counselling THE RECORD FREE ONLINE AND IN from Off The Record. PERSON FAMILY COUNSELLING Who are Off The Record? Visit https://otr-south.org.uk for more FOR HAVANT FAMILIES AGED 8 + information and to get to the know the friendly, IF YOUR CAR WASN'T WORKING PROPERLY YOU WOULD TAKE IT TO THE GARAGE. understanding and helpful team at OTR who IF YOUR FAMILY RELATIONSHIPS AREN'T WORKING HOW YOU believe passionately in supporting young people NOULD LIKE THEM TO .... COME TO OTR, OR CALL TO FIND OUT MORE 02392 474724 and their families. Warblington School After School Clubs 2022-2023 Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Basketball Football Badminton Volleyball PE Period 6 Revision All Years with Havant & All Years All Years All Years 3:00pm-4:00pm Waterlooville 3:00pm-4:00pm 3:00pm-4:00pm 3:00pm-4:00pm **Football Club** Maths Homework Club **Twilight Music** Indoor Cricket Rock Band All Years All years Year 11 All Years Instrumental Students 2:00pm-3:00pm 3:00pm-3:30pm 3:00pm-5:00pm 3:00pm-4:00pm 3:00pm-4:00pm eSports Club Homework Club Art Club & **Dungeons & Dragons** Year 7-10 All Years GCSE Catch Up All Years in IT1 3:00pm-4:00pm Student Hub All Years 3:00pm-4:00pm See Mr Chate in IT to 3:00pm-3:30pm 3:00pm-4:00pm sign up **Textiles** Club KS3 Maths Club All Years in Tech 5 Year 7 & 8 in MA1 BRITISH SPORTS 3:00pm-4:00pm 3:00pm-3:45pm **Debate Club Book Club** All Years in Library All Years (Week B Only) **English Department** 3:00pm-3:45pm 3:00pm-4:00pm Homework Club All Years Student Hub 3:00pm-3:30pm **Keyboard Club** All Years 3:00pm-4:00pm Maths Homework Club All years 3:00pm-3:30pm

### **Parent Governor Vacancies**

Would you like to support the school your child attends?

Do you have a couple of hours a month you could put aside to help the school?

Would you like to know what is going on in school in a little more detail and be that critical friend in understanding the processes more?

If you have answered **YES** to the questions above then you could be what we are looking for.

Warblington school governing body is looking to appoint 2 parents governors to the governing body of the school. We meet on a Tuesday Evening from 5.15pm for approximately 2 hours once a month during term time. We receive updates on how the school is progressing, ask the challenging questions about the schools progress and budget and what needs to be done to continue to take the school on its journey of improvement.

No previous experience is necessary as full training is available, a lot of it online, and can be carried out in your own time when convenient to you. We would also buddy you up with an experienced governor to help you at the start of the journey.

Below are a couple of paragraphs from existing Parent Governors who I have asked to a pen a short piece about being a governor from their point of view.

I was never the most intelligent, or the sportiest or most academic, I struggled at school and found it hard to make friends sometimes due to moving a lot with an armed forces family. But having worked with young people as a career and supporting my own two children to navigate the tricky teens, I have always been passionate about wants/wishes and hopes and how to achieve them especially when the reality is that life is not always plain sailing for everyone. I am keen to offer an equitable service to all and to demonstrate that you can achieve big things through small community contributions. People wont remember what you said or why you said it but how you make them feel and I want young people to feel that education is worthwhile and can be rewarding.

#### K. McInnes - Parent Governor

I chose to be parent governor to support the school in delivering positive personal development and preparation for a professional career for all students. Being part of governing body gives me opportunity to help shape the journey of school and its students. Each governor brings their own unique experiences and perspectives creating a community which I am happy to be part of. **A. Chapman - Parent Governor** 

If you think this role would be of interest please do make contact with the Chair of Governors, Colin Swettenham@warblingtonschool.co.uk who would be more than happy to chat to you about the role and answer all your questions. Or if you prefer leave a message with reception with your details and I can contact you.

I look forward to hearing from you.

**Colin Swettenham - Chair of Governors** 



16<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup> February 9:30 - 3pm | Ages 7 - 13 Park Community School

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HS

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SOUTH DOWNS

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Brand new service for parents, carers and families supporting children and young people experiencing self-harm.

Solent Mind are launching a brand new project to support parents, carers and families of children and young people experiencing self-harm, across Hampshire and the Isle of Wight. We will be providing guidance, resources and support information through an online hub - as well as online Peer Groups and Peer-led awareness sessions.

Your input is invaluable and we want to hear from you! Please fill in our survey, this is anonymous. We will use your input and feedback to directly influence our Peer-led awareness sessions and resource materials. We want to know what you want and need from this service.

Scan the QR Code to go to the survey.

For further information please contact: jcarson@solentmind.org.uk





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