



**Pound Hill  
Junior School**

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*Pound Hill Junior School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects everyone to share this commitment. If you have any concerns about the welfare of any child please contact one of the designated members of staff.*

*Mr White, Ms Hatton and Mr Chilton*

## SCHOOL NEWS AND VIEWS

First week into a Summer Term and what a great start we had!

The children were thrilled to see the shiny new lockers that had arrived over the Easter holidays.

These lockers were partly funded by the wonderful PTA and proceeds from the Christmas fair so thank you to everyone who has supported these events. It is fantastic to see this funding being used for something that the children have asked for through the School Council and that enhances the look of the building - no more untidy cloakrooms!

Also, huge thanks to Mark Savigar, Pete Copper, Julie and Thomas Masters, Jonathan Best and Jo, Frank and Isaac Conlon for giving up their Saturday morning to help fit all the lockers.



With the weather finally turning sunny and warm can we please remind all parents and carers to ensure the children have their water bottles filled, bring sun hats to school and wear sun cream.

An exciting opportunity has open up at our School. If you would like to apply for the position or know someone who would be interested, speak to the School Office.



# Pound Hill Junior School

## School Site Manager:

**Grade 5 £17772 - £18746 Hours: 25 – 37.5 per week (flexible to suit the right applicant)**

These are exciting times at Pound Hill Junior School. We are expecting to be handed a brand-new school building in December 2018.

At Pound Hill Junior School we have a hard working, happy team who work together to provide all our pupils with the best education possible. We achieve this through excellent teaching and the help of Poppy the School Dog, our chickens, extensive grounds, vegetable plots, gardening club and freshly cooked school lunches.

We are looking for a School Site Manager to help us turn the new building into a home for our 390 pupils and 40 staff. If you are a friendly approachable, self-starter who enjoys working as part of a team then this could be the role for you.

The role includes general maintenance of the site to maintain high standards of health and safety and cleanliness, completing routine statutory checks such as fire alarm and water testing, supporting the teaching staff with movement of resources and furniture, overseeing site visits for maintenance and repairs and supporting the school in its lettings programme. Training can be given in any areas required.

Our dedicated staff will be eagerly waiting for you to open the building at 7am and we need you to help us persuade them to go home at 6pm when you lock up but otherwise hours can be worked flexibly so this role may suit someone who needs to work around other part time work or family commitments.

If you are skilled at DIY, take pride in completing a job well, like working as part of a team and enjoy working with children why not pop in and have a chat with us about applying for the role.

To arrange a visit to the school please contact Karen Crockford, School Business Manager on 01293 447000.

To apply for the post please complete the application form and safer recruiting form and return them to the school by **Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> May 2018**

Interview date: Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2018.



## New Children's martial arts classes on Thursdays

It is proven that martial arts training has many benefits for children including improved focus and concentration. It encourages respect and discipline as well as improved physical fitness which is a challenge in these days of X box and social media!

Our classes are highly inclusive with lots of teamwork and games alongside the more traditional patterns and techniques. As well as regular grading celebrations there are workshops and fun nights throughout the year.

New classes here at the Pound Hill junior school on Thursday nights. For more information and to book a weeks FREE trial contact **MARTIN NEW**

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### HOT LUNCHES

If you would like to order a hot lunch or packed lunch for your child speak to the School Office. Payment can be made in cash, by cheque or via ParentMail.

Please be reminded hot lunch orders must be made minimum 48 hours notice. On the day orders can be made for a packed lunch only.

## St George's Day

To celebrate St Georges Day next week we are having an *English Pudding Week!*

Here are the puddings children can look forward to:

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|-----------|---|----------------------------|
| Monday    | — | Apple Crumble with Custard |
| Tuesday   | — | Spotted Dick with Custard  |
| Wednesday | — | Butterscotch Tart          |
| Thursday  | — | Trifle                     |
| Friday    | — | Jelly and Ice Cream        |

# Crawley Hockey Club's Open Days

WHEN:

Six sessions, every Thursday  
7pm - 8pm, for all ages (8+)

From **Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> May**  
To **Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> June**

WHERE:

**Oriel High School,  
Maidenbower Lane, Crawley,  
West Sussex, RH10 7XW**



CONTACT:

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Just bring yourself,  
no special gear  
needed, we will  
provide hockey  
sticks

More info: [englandhockey.co.uk/backtohockey](http://englandhockey.co.uk/backtohockey)

**IT'S  
FREE!**



# PUPILS OF THE WEEK

20<sup>th</sup> April 2018

Year 3

Max Phillips

Roman Khan

Freya Parsons

Year 4

Rudra Patel

Ellouise Tunesi

George Frost

Ishan Jadhav

Year 5

Raquel de Paula

Kaden Charman

Amelia Downey

Year 6

Finlay Southwell

Archie Aldous

Ellie-Mae Hord



# ATTENDANCE

16<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> April

4SC

99.6%

Most Improved: 5CM



# Pound Hill Junior School **Diary Dates**

## Summer Term

### April

16 April	Start of new term
18 April	School Photographer's visit
30 April–4 May	Year 5 Isle of Wight trip

### May

25 May	Sports Day 1
28 May–1 June	Half term

### June

7 June	Year 4 British Museum Day Trip
8 June	Sports Day 2
12–14 June	Year 3 Truleigh Hill trip
19 June	Book Look
22–26 June	Year 6 France trip
27 June–29 June	Year 4 Stanford Scout

### July

4 July	Year 2 and 6 Transition afternoon/day
6 July	Sports Day 3
12 July	School Disco 4.30–5.45 Years 3, 4 and 5 6–7.15 Year 6 Leavers' Disco
20 July	Last day of Term (1pm finish)

## **INSET DATES**

4 June 2018

23 July 2018

24 July 2018