



*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

We are very excited about our Exhibition Evening on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> January where parents, pupils, residents and all members of local community will have an opportunity to view and comment on the proposals for the redevelopment of the school.

You are invited to join us at any time between 2.30pm and 7.30pm in the school hall.

### *Hindleap Warren Residential Trip*

Though the trip started in the pouring rain the children from Year 5 and 6 maintained high spirits! Kitted out in waterproofs and wellies the children enthusiastically took part in a range of outdoor activities, including a night hike, learning about forest animals and how to track them and bushcraft skills!

Throughout the trip the children competed in a variety of challenges whilst developing their skills and teamwork. Not only were new skills learnt and memories made, but a fantastic time was had by all!

We would like to thank Mrs Burns, Mrs Cushing, Miss Mackenzie and Mrs Whittingham for helping to make the stay fun and enjoyable for the children.





## Year 6 Bikeability

29<sup>th</sup> January- 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2018

Next week is Bikeability for our Year 6. Please can the children remember to bring the following items:

- ⇒ A named bike lock
- ⇒ A helmet
- ⇒ A road worthy bike (make sure you have checked it using the checklist)
- ⇒ Suitable clothes for all weathers - tracksuit bottoms, waterproof trousers, shoes you can cycle in e.g. trainers

**Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri :** 6TB will need to COME TO SCHOOL in their Bikeability clothes but bring their full school uniform to change into.

**Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri :** 6BW and 6CL will come to school in their uniform and bring their named change of clothes in a bag.

**Weds only:** 6BW will need to COME TO SCHOOL in their Bikeability clothes but bring their full school uniform to change into.

**Weds only:** 6TB and 6CL will come to school in their uniform and bring their named change of clothes in a bag.

Please lock your bike where the class sign is each morning:

6TB– next to the chicken area

6BW– left side inside the bike shed

6CL– right side inside the bike shed



# School Recruitment Fair

Are you or someone you know interested in training to be a teacher? Are you a teacher looking for a new post? Are you interested in the new Teaching Apprenticeships? Want to know more about being a school bursar, teaching assistant, learning mentor, working in SEN roles or clerk for a governing body? Are you interested in working for our Adult Education Team? Have you considered being a school governor?

West Sussex CC is holding 2 Recruitment Events:

- ⇒ [Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> February](#) at Fontwell Park Racecourse
- ⇒ [Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> February](#) at Ifield Community College in Crawley.



Both events will run from 10.00am - 2.00pm. Do come along and meet schools, universities and others organisations to find out about the many roles in West Sussex schools. For more information go to [www.westsussex.gov.uk/jobsinschools](http://www.westsussex.gov.uk/jobsinschools) where you can also find details of who will be at each event.



[Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> January 10.30am-12.00noon](#)

Have fun discovering the many wonderful birds that live in [Worth Park](#) and help record them for the RSPB at the same time! Come for a guided family walk led by our Conservation Officer Janet Rose at 11.00am - please meet at the park entrance. Spotter sheets and a bird nursery rhyme trail available at the same place if you would like to do the recording on your own. All the results will be sent to the RSPB and will help with nature conservation. Free - all welcome - no need to book.

Hockey & Netball have dates for **February Half Term Holidays 2018** available to book online. Any bookings made using the Promo Code **FEB18** will be entitled to a discount.

**Netball Camps** - with **Frankie Wells** & other elite coaches.

[Mon 12<sup>th</sup> & Tues 13<sup>th</sup> February @ Ardingly College, Sussex](#)

[Wed 14<sup>th</sup> & Thurs 15<sup>th</sup> February @ Lingfield, Surrey](#)

[Fri 16<sup>th</sup> February @ Handcross, Sussex](#)

**Hockey Camps** - with current **International & Elite** Coaches TBA

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### Timings

10am – 3.45pm (drop off from 9.15am, pick up by 4pm)

### Cost

- 1 day - **£52** (GK Masterclasses £52); 2 days - **£99**
- Pay online using Debit or Credit Card
- Childcare Vouchers Accepted – email [wendy@eghockeyacademy.com](mailto:wendy@eghockeyacademy.com) for more details

### Offers

They are continuing our 'Introduce a Friend Offer'

- Additional **5%** if you book more than one camp or more than one sibling in a single booking
- Loyalty Stamp for every day attended - worth £5. A full card of 10 stamps entitles you to a **FREE** day.



# PUPILS OF THE WEEK

19th January 2018

Year 3

Lilly-Mae Nunn  
Billy-Francis Mockler  
Willow Musselwhite

Year 5

Sam Lunn  
Storm Holman  
Imogen Rice

Year 4

Albi Peters  
Steven Smith  
Jasper Mitchell  
Aariyana Patel

Year 6

Emily Isherwood  
Tommy Childs  
Faaris Boolaky



26th January 2018

Year 3

Harry Ford  
Chloe Freebairn  
Ali-Hussain Shah

Year 5

Phoenix Blake  
Mason Slassor  
Charlie Wells

Year 4

Avik Gandhi  
Siyana Chaudry  
Emma Cruse  
Jake Ridout

Year 6

Mark Dean  
Dylan King  
Jack Lawrence



# ATTENDANCE

8th – 12th January

**5CM**

**Most Improved: 4SW**

15th–19th January

**3LH**

**100%**

**Most Improved: 3KJ**



# Pound Hill Junior School **Diary Dates**

## Spring Term

### January

29 January Bikeability Week Year 6  
30 January Young Voices Event O2 Choir

### February

6 February Early Parents' Evening 3.20–5.30pm  
8 February Late Parents' Evening 5–8.20 pm  
12-16 February Half term

### March

14–16 March Book Fair  
22 March Book Look 3–4pm  
29 March Last day of term (1pm finish)

## Summer Term

### April

16 April Start of new term  
30 April–4 May Year 5 Isle of Wight trip

### May

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

### June

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

### July

6 July Sports Day 3  
20 July Last day of Term (1pm finish)

## **INSET DATES**

4 June 2018

23 July 2018

24 July 2018