

North Baddesley Junior School

Can you help?

We are building a log store for our yurt and are looking for donations of roofing materials, such as corrugated plastic sheets or roofing felt, approximately 240 cm x 120 cm in size.

Any support would be greatly appreciated. If you are able to donate materials to the school, please contact the school office.



Respect. Aspire. Resilient

Dear Parents and carers,

The only way to begin this week's newsletter is with a huge well done to our Year 6 pupils for completing their SATs. We know the week was challenging at times, but we are incredibly proud of each and every one of them. Their hard work, resilience and positive attitude throughout the week have been wonderful to see, and they should all feel very proud of what they have achieved.

We would also like to recognise the rest of the year groups, who have been fantastic this week in adapting to different break times and remaining silent while the SATs took place.

Student Spotlight

We would like to say a huge well done to Arthur, who recently took part in the National Schools Snowsport Association National Indoor Championship race. Arthur achieved an outstanding second place in the Under 12 Boys category.

This fantastic result means that Arthur has now qualified to be considered for selection to the National Schools Alpine Squad for the 2026–27 winter season.

Congratulations, Arthur – what an incredible achievement! We are very proud of you and look forward to seeing your future success on the slopes.



Summer Term
Contact 5

We would also like to recognise Clara's outstanding photography talent. She recently entered a competition run by Bird Aware Solent, which received over 400 entries. Clara achieved both *Winner* and *Highly Commended* in the junior category- an incredible accomplishment.

As part of her success, she was awarded a £75 prize, a guided bird walk, and her photographs will be displayed in a summer exhibition. Congratulations, Clara, on this fantastic achievement!



We are delighted to celebrate the recent achievements of Toby, Chester and Arlo at the Annual Awards Day for Romsey Hockey Club.

Chester was awarded *Most Improved Player* for his age group - an outstanding accomplishment, especially as he only began playing hockey in November.

In addition, both Arlo and Toby were selected by the club to take part in the Hampshire Hockey Game Changers development programme, which supports promising U9, U10 and U11 players.

All three boys have shown excellent commitment, enthusiasm and progress throughout the season, and we are incredibly proud of their achievements.

Polite Reminder

We kindly ask parents and carers to avoid telling children that they will automatically be collected if they visit the office feeling unwell. Of course, if a child is genuinely unwell, we will always contact

home and arrange for them to be collected if needed. However, we have recently had a number of children coming to the office requesting to go home when they appear well enough to remain in school.

Thank you for your support in helping us encourage resilience and ensure children are able to make the most of their learning time in school.

Next week we will be celebrating Dance for Diabetes. Every day the children will be coming together to Dance for Diabetes. Just a reminder that this is the link to official dance. Any fundraising money can be donated on line or cash to the school office.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fLmEXs2A4PA>

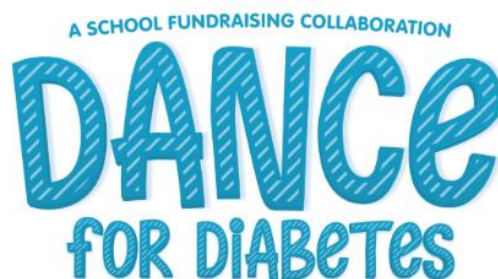
We hope to see you tomorrow at Village day - come and say hello 😊

Best wishes,



Miss Woolten

Head Teacher



Reminders:

Monday 18th May- Year 3 Egyptian workshop.

Tuesday 19th May- Class photos for all year groups (jumpers and cardigans on please.)

Friday 22nd May-Whole school Inclusion Day – children to wear school PE kit to school

Mrs Wildey's Magic words

Happy Friday everyone,

And the biggest of congratulations to all of our Year 6's for completing their SATs this week!

There is a particular kind of buzz that arrives with SATs week, and the Year 6 children somehow look both incredibly grown up and little all at once. While tests have focused on reading, maths, and grammar, they also test something that psychologists still ponder over - resilience. The courage to keep trying, the confidence to face a challenge, and the ability to steady those inevitable butterflies dancing around in our stomachs.

We have been so proud of our Year 6 children this week, not just for the effort they have shown in their tests, but for the kindness, determination, and humour they have carried with them throughout. Long after the papers are packed away, those qualities will help them navigate the next transition, and beyond.

Mrs. Wildey

Proposed SATs Q for next year: *A cheese wheel weighs 2.4kg. If it is cut into 12 equal slices, what is the mass of each slice in grams?*

A: The cheese would be 'sliced' into one piece as it would only be eaten by one person (me), ergo, the mass would be 2.4kg.

NBJS Community and Well-being Partnership

We would like to invite parents and carers to our next *SEN and Mental Health 'coffee and catch-up'* afternoon on:

Tuesday 19th May: 1:30pm – 3:00pm @ NBJS

In this session we will be joined by a Neurodiversity & Wellbeing Practitioner, from the Hampshire Neurodiversity and Wellbeing (MDT) Service, who will be sharing details about their role and the services available to families

Miss. Verlander, Mrs. Jonas and Mrs. Wildey look forward to welcoming you all!

Please look out for the parentmail that follows, allowing you to register your interest in attending this event

Attendance Figures

Great Attendance this week – well done.

97.19%

Aiming for
97%+

Please work in partnership with us to ensure that your child attends school regularly.

Year 3	96.15%
Year 4	95.93%
Year 5	97.9 %
Year 6	98.71%



School Values Assembly – Well Done

Willow
Louie
Zahra
Duha
Oliver
Freddie
Connor
Eddie
Leo
Curtis
Elijah
Jaxson
Olivia



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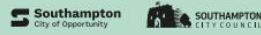
- Highlighted means it has been added since the original contact and is a new date/event
- Highlighted means there has been a change of date from the original date set.

Dates for the diary

Monday 18th May	✓				Year 3 Egyptian workshop- Treehouse Theatre provisional date
Tuesday 19th May					School Disco (Yr.3 & 4: 4.30 -5.45) (yr. 5 & 6: 6.00 – 7.15) - POSTPONED
Tuesday 19th May	✓	✓	✓	✓	Class photos- End of year.
Wednesday 20th May					Orchestra performance on the playground 3PM (invite only)
Thursday 21st May					Class Photos - End of year. Date changed.
Friday 22rd May	✓	✓	✓	✓	Inclusion Day (School PE kits to be worn).
Monday 25th- Friday 29th May	✓	✓	✓	✓	MAY HALF TERM
JUNE 2026					

Monday 1st June – Friday 12th June		✓			Year 4 Statutory Multiplication Tables Check
Monday 1st June - Friday 5th June				✓	Year 6 catch up swimming lessons.
Tuesday 2nd June	✓				Avon Tyrrell meeting at 5PM for our current Year 3 children
Thursday 4th June	✓	✓	✓	✓	SPORTS DAY PART 1 9-12.10pm (wear PE kit to school). Children only.
Friday 5th June	✓	✓	✓	✓	SPORTS DAY PART 2 9-12.10pm (Parents invited with parent picnic.) Children wear a PE kit to school.
Monday 8th June					RESERVE SPORTS DAY if postponed
Thursday 11th June				✓	Year 6 RSE parent meeting 3:30 - 4:30 (Adults only).
Wk. beginning 15th June	✓	✓	✓	✓	School led clubs finish this week.
Monday 15th June –Friday 19th	✓	✓	✓	✓	REF WEEK (Old clothes all week)
Tuesday 16th June					Year 2 Parent Meeting for September 2026 Year 3's
Monday 22nd June	✓	✓	✓	✓	INSET DAY

WHAT'S ON May 2026



May Half Term

Drop off your young people

Southampton Culture Club for Kids: Story Worlds (6½-12yrs)

Tue 26, Wed 27, Thu 28 May
9am-4pm
SeaCity
£35, £90 all three days



Bugs in Boxes (4+)

Tue 26 May
10.30am, 11.30am, 1pm, 2pm
Tudor House £8

Tour for All: Southampton Myths and Mysteries (6+)

Tue 26 May 11am
Tudor House
£10 (children FREE)

Art for All: Clay Capybaras (5+)

Wed 27 May
10.30am, 12.30pm, 2.30pm
Art Gallery £8

Art for All: Birds, Beetles and Butterflies with Watercolour (7+)

Thu 28 May
10.30am, 1.30pm
Tudor House £8



Art for All: Make a Clay Stitch! (4+)

Thu 28 May
10.30am, 12.30pm, 2.30pm
Art Gallery £8



Toddler Time: Under the Sea (under 4's and friends)

Fri 29 May 10.30am
SeaCity £6

Art for All: Minecraft Mosaic Worlds (7+)

Fri 29 May
10.30am, 12.30pm, 2.30pm
Art Gallery £8



See our "What's on" brochure or venue websites for details on events and to book
seacitymuseum.co.uk | tudorhouseandgarden.com | southamptoncityartgallery.com



The Play Park Romsey



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Free Workshop

What you can do **RIGHT NOW** to support your child diagnosed (or suspected) with autism and/or PDA

Thursday 28th May 8pm - 9pm

Join us

No one needs to walk alone in their autism parenting journey

Send an email to team@youarenotalone.community to request the Zoom link to attend the FREE workshop





Visit our Open Day

Saturday 27th June, 10am-1pm

Families with children from Reception to GCSE are all welcome!

Come and explore at your leisure:
 Grounds, Woodland and New Prep Location
 Classrooms, Music and Art Exhibition
 Activities, Story Trail and Free Refreshments

Plus join us for our summer charity celebration **GreggFest** on 20th June!

Book online at thegreggschool.org/open-events



Following the huge success of 'The Three Billy Goats Gruff', Last The Plot Theatrical hit the road with another family classic...

Get blown away in this brand-new musical adventure of The Three Little Pigs!

Join our three pigs as they excitedly leave the family sty in search of new adventures! Will they make a pig's ear out of it, or will they raise the roof? It'll take brains, bravery and curly-tails to build bridges and forgo friendships with each other and those they meet along the way.

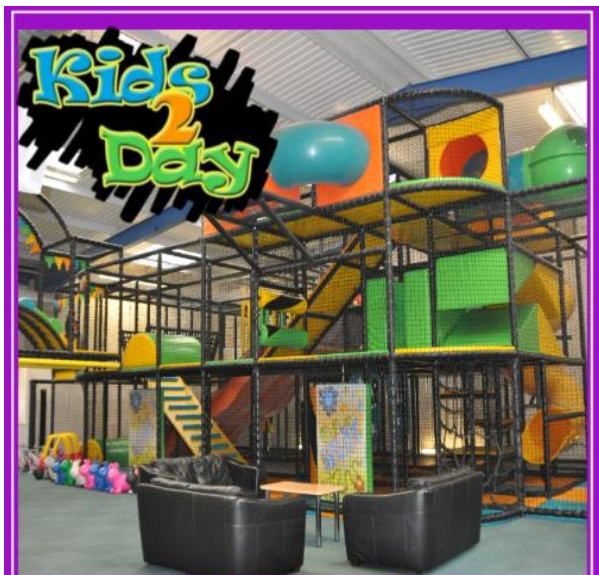
Get those trotters tapping and those snouts a-squealin' with new catchy songs, dancing and plenty of audience participation for piglets of all ages.

There's snout left to do but to book your tickets for this oink-tastic musical!



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