

Padnell Post



Giving Citizen Resilient Learner Original Thinker Wise Worker

10th October 2025. Autumn Term No 6



Letter from Chair of Governors

Please see the attached letter from Lindsay Garland, our Chair of Governors.



School Photographs

A reminder that the deadline to order photographs for free delivery to school is on Tuesday, 14th October.



Harvest Festival

Thank you for your contributions to our Harvest Festival. The contributions have been collected by Growing Places Community Pantry.

Our thanks to the St Wilfred's team who delivered the Harvest Festival assembly on Wednesday.

Scarf **SCARF**

This week we have had our annual visit from Coram Life Education & the SCARF (**Safety, Caring, Achievement, Resilience, and Friendship**) team. The children love learning in Harold's big classroom tent all about their feelings, strategies on how to deal with them and resilience.



PIPSA

Thank you to those who attended the AGM on Wednesday. It is not too late to get involved – remember 'Many hands make light work.'

The following positions were filled:

Chair: Sam Evenden-White

Treasurer: Lauren Waters

Secretary: Sophie Branson

Our thanks once again to outgoing Chair, Paula McGaughey for leading the team over the last two years and making a huge difference to our children and the community. She has kindly agreed to stay alongside the new chair until Christmas.

Flu Immunisations

The School Immunisation team were in school today and were pleased to see a good level of uptake by our community. The children were very resilient.



Parents' Evening & Gymnastics

We look forward to seeing you at Parents Evening next week.

A reminder that there will be no after school Gymnastics on Wednesday, but Football will continue on Thursday (they will play outside).

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Karate

If your child attends Karate, a reminder that it is not on for the next 2 weeks. We wish Staci well with her operation.



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Year R NELI Letter

If your child is in year R, please see the attached letter.

PJS School Crossing

Please be aware there will be no crossing patrol at the Junior School on Monday.



The Snowman

Get ready to experience the magic of 'The Snowman' with a live orchestra. Bring the family and be transported to a winter wonderland! Saturday 29 November with screenings at 1pm, 3pm and 5pm at

Oaklands Catholic School, Stakes Hill Road, Waterlooville PO7 7BW. Tickets £16.96 from:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/the-snowman-live-with-orchestra-waterlooville-tickets-1496316887089?aff=oddtcreator>

Kind Regards,

Mrs Mandy Grayson
Headteacher

Diary Dates 2025 – 2026

Date	Event	Year Group	Info
Monday 6th October 6pm	Parents Smart Phone Meeting at PJS	Whole School Parents	Being held at Padnell Juniors
Wednesday 8th October	Harvest Assembly	Whole School (Children only)	St Wilfrid's Church visiting the school.
Wednesday 8th October 7pm	PIPSA AGM	All Parents	Details to be confirmed
Friday 10th October	Flu Immunisations for all Children		School Code: SH115965 Session date: 10/10/2025 Link to website: Annual Nasal Flu Vaccination Programme - Hampshire - Parents: Health for Kids
Tuesday 14th October	Deadline to order photographs	Whole School	Order online at Cardwell & Simons by today to get free delivery to school
Tuesday 14th October	No Karate	After School Club	There will be no Karate today
Wednesday 15th October 3.10pm - 7pm	Parents Evening	Whole School	3.10pm - 7pm

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Wednesday 15th October	No Gymnastics		
Thursday 16th October 3.10pm - 5.30pm	Parents Evening	Whole School	
Tuesday 21 st October	No Karate	After School Club	There will be no Karate today
Wednesday 22nd October (after school)	PIPSA Costume Sale	Whole School	Details to follow
Thursday 23rd October 8am – 8.45am	Junior School Photos	Whole School	If you have a child at Padnell Juniors, you can visit them between 8am and 8.45am for a joint photograph
Thursday 23rd October 2.40 pm	Year R Sharing Assembly	Year R Parents	
Thursday 23rd October (after school)	PIPSA Costume Sale		Details to follow
Friday 24th October	Be Bright, Be Seen	Whole School	Non School Uniform (Bright clothes)
Friday 24th October	Last Day of Term		
Monday 27th October to Friday 31st October	Half Term		School Closed
Monday 3rd November	Return to School		



PADNELL PARENT HUB
WHERE PARENTS GROW TOGETHER

Parent Hub with our Parent Partner

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday
8.40am – 10am

Help & Advice on sleep, eating,
behaviour, support, relationships.

Food bank info, community
events.

Pre-loved Uniform, Coat Swap

Coffee and Chat

**Stay and play for little ones
every Wednesday**

**6th November – Mental Health
Support Team Anxiety
Workshop**