



HEADLINES

- Mon 2nd & Weds 4th Dec– Parents Evenings
- Mon 9th Dec– No Outsiders Evening 6-7pm
- Thurs 12th Dec– Christmas Jumper Day!!!! £1 donation please
- Thurs 12th Dec– Year 4 Listen 2 Me concert 10am start
- Mon 16th Dec– Christmas Sing song evening!!!!
- Tues 17th Year 3 Christmas play to families (3.30pm)

INSET DAYS 2024-25

14th Feb, 2nd June

Letters sent out this fortnight:

- *No Outsiders Booklet*
- *Coming out on Monday 02.12.24*
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Dear parent, carers

We have had a busy couple of weeks in school and continued to focus on the learning for this term. We had INSET last Monday and used it to have an expert speaker on Executive functioning, this is the knowledge and understanding about the skills that we all need to function, such as working memory.

Reports have now been issued and I hope you have been able to sit down and share all the success and feedback with your child. Parents evening slots are open and we look forward to welcoming you in to school to meet with your child's teacher to look at their work and discuss their progress in person. During the evening the Friends of Poulner team will be based in the library offering teas and coffees to keep you going if you are waiting or have just rushed in, they will also have some sweets for an extra boost!

This week Year 5 have shared their learning with their parents by inviting them in for a South American afternoon! The children showed off their Samba drumming skills and prepared South American food as part of their Design Technology project. The year 5 teachers said that the atmosphere and hard work was lovely to see. Our thanks to all of the adults who came in to help and to all the parent/carers who came along to join in the fun!

Finally, a huge thank you to all of the adults who were able to attend our first open morning! We had over 100 adults attend and the atmosphere in the classrooms was so positive. The children enjoyed the opportunity to share their learning and the feedback from adults has been that they really enjoyed the chance to come in and be a part of school life. I have already sent out the diary dates for the rest of the year and I hope that you have spotted two further opportunities to come in and be a part of the school day. **Year 3 teachers found the morning so much fun and so helpful that they would like to ask any Year 3 adults to come back for some more sewing on Wednesday 18th December! Please pop it on the calendar!!!**

This Sunday (1st December) we are out in the community again with the fantastic choir! We will be in Ringwood Market Square on the mainstage 12-12.30pm performing Christmas songs and some of our favourites. It would be lovely to see many of you there supporting the children.

On Monday the No Outsiders booklet will be coming home for you to have a look at. I hope that many of you will be able to come along on Monday 9th December 6-7pm (adults only please) to look at the books and learn more about the approach.

Hope to see many of the children tonight at Movie Night and many thanks to you all for the Hamper donations today.

Tickets to win these amazing Hampers will be on sale shortly! Have a super weekend.

Jo Randall

Heart Learning Awards

Congratulations to the following children:

Year 3:- Nancy G, Grace V

Year 4:- Harrison L, Macey S,
Ava M

Year 5:- Holly M, Izzy H

Year 6:- Eli T, Freddie CM



Amazing athletic sporting success!

On Wednesday afternoon we took 16 children from Years 5 and 6 to Ringwood Academy to take part in an Indoor Athletics Competition. The children were competing against local schools including Ringwood Juniors, Fordingbridge and Hordle. There were 10 teams in total and we were delighted and overwhelmed to hear that our two teams came first and second! This means that the children will be asked to go forward to the next round of competition against schools from a wider area. Well done team— great teamwork and 100% effort.

PARKING— Staff and permit only in the carpark please. We will be monitoring this.

School Photos!

These have now been sent home, please ensure you get your orders registered so that they can be back with you in time for Christmas! **Deadline is 2nd December 2024**

Winter is on its way!

Please remember the weather is changing— coats, hats, gloves and warm clothing is needed! Please make sure your child has these things, let us know if you need a hand with any of these.



School Uniform suppliers



As you will be aware Threads and treads have ceased trading in Verwood. This was one of the 2 locations that stocked our school uniform.

I wanted to let you all know that you can still buy uniform from the **School Shop in West Moors**. I also wanted to let you know that **Waugh Group in Ringwood** will also now be a supplier of our uniform and both look forward to helping you with any uniform needs.

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Information event

**Mon 9th December 6-7pm
in the school hall**

As you are aware the school began the journey as a No Outsiders school at the end of September. We would like to invite parents/carers to view the books being used and hear more about the concept and approach behind it. We believe it is incredibly important and would love to share this information and approach with you. An information booklet will be sent out to you so that you can have a read beforehand.

This week's top readers...

Best Class: **tbc!**

Number of reads:

