

HEADLINES

- Parent evening appointments open now!
- Fri 20th March- Red Nose Day
- Mon 23rd & Weds 25th March– Parents evening
- Fri 27th March– Easter Egg Hunt– straight after school
- Fri 27th March– End of term
- Mon 13th April– start of summer term

INSET DAYS 2025-26

1st June

Letters sent out this fortnight:

- *Red Nose Day*
- *Dinghy Sailing Sessions*
- *Easter Egg Hunt*
- *Easter Holiday Clubs*

Dear parent, carers

The term seems to be whizzing by! I want to start with a huge thank you to everyone for the engagement and support with the STARF fundraising week. We have received some really lovely feedback on the week, and we also take on board giving further notice and looking at ways that support children who rely on routine to feel settled. I do want to thank the School Council for coming up with the ideas for the week and to Mrs Smalley for overseeing the week's extravaganzas. We have Red Nose Day coming up next Friday and we have purposely set this as quite a low key event, as we know that this week has been more of a focus. The total raised for STARF this week has reached the fabulous total of over £530, which is just incredible.

The last few weeks we have had a number of sports teams out taking part and we are thrilled to see them compete alongside other schools. These events have included Saturday morning athletic meets, Cross country representation at the county level (well done to Grace and Coby), Year 5/6 netball and curling just this week. All of the children gave their best and showed great sportsmanship, we even brought back some medals! Thanks to Mr Gavin for organising and encouraging the children to take part in these events.

Our Year 4 children have also been up to Poulner Baptist Church to experience Easter through live scene acting. Each installation was acted out to the children and they were fully engaged and had a super morning learning about the Easter story in such an interactive and engaging way. Huge thanks to Mr Skirton and the church for giving the children such a fabulous experience and for also supporting with transport, and to Mrs Khan for organising such a super trip.

This week we have started fitting the new bouldering wall on the playground. This will enable children to experience climbing at a low level and for them to engage in a wider variety of activities during break and lunch. Further work is needed to secure the holds, so as soon as this is done it will be open to the children!

I have attached the fliers linked to the Ringwood litter pick dates that are coming up in the next few weeks. The children are frequently taught about looking after their environment and I thought I would share as it would be fantastic to see many of our families there to support the litter collection event and make such a positive difference.

Finally, this weekend is Mother's Day and I want to just wish you all a lovely day and to thank you for working so hard to be amazing as women and in the role you play in bringing up families. I want to recognise all the mums, step-mums, foster mums, grandmothers and the wider female network that support the children everyday, whilst juggling many other roles. Wishing you all a lovely weekend.

Jo Randall

Heart Learning Awards

Congratulations to the following children:

Year 3:- Oliver, Tristan, Joshua

Year 4:- Thomas, Marni, Jamie A & Harper

Year 5:- Isla, Mason, Charlie, Callan, Leighton & Sarah

Year 6:- Nyla, George, Sophia & Elisabeth



Please ensure that you are not using the school car park unless you have a school pass. Please contact the school office for new passes.

Mr Lawrence will be doing random checks and these are to ensure that all parents and carers are following the expectations and safety requirements. If you are parking on the road then please park sensibly and be mindful of the neighbours and passing traffic.



Cleaning Supervisor Vacancy

We work with a company called Atlas to provide the cleaning service within school. There is a current vacancy for a Supervisor, this would involve cleaning an area and overseeing the additional 3 cleaner employees that work within the school. Hours are after school and are approximately from 4-6.30pm five days a week. If you are interested and would like further information then please contact the school office and we will put you in touch with Atlas.



Easter Egg Hunt!

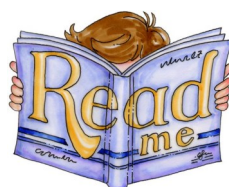
Friday 27th March– Easter Egg Hunt– this takes place straight after school. You will need to log into Arbor to book how many places you would like, you can include younger children and other family members. To solve the Easter word the children will have to solve the clues and find the letters. There will also be some cheeky easter bunnies out and about giving out free chocolate!

Don't forget the **school meal deal offer!** Sign your child up for hot school dinners all week for just £12! Normal cost for each meal is £3, so really we are giving you a day free each week!

This week's top readers...

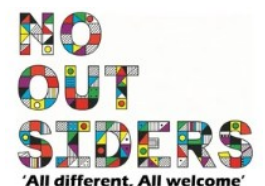
Best Class: TBC

Number of reads: TBC



No Outsiders focus...

This week we have been recognising the importance of recognising women in science and engineering.



The BIG Poulner

Clean-Up!

Let's Clean Up Our Town Together!

 **Date: Sunday, 22nd March**



Time: 10:00 AM



Meeting Point: Outside Tesco Express

Join us to make Poulner cleaner, greener, and brighter!

Everyone is welcome – individuals, families, and groups. Let's show our community spirit and make a difference!



What's Provided:

- ☒ Litter Pickers
- ☒ Hi-Vis Vests
- ☒ Rubbish Bags



**PLASTIC FREE
RINGWOOD**
SUSSEX WOODLAND SCHOOL



The BIG Ringwood Clean-Up!

Let's Clean Up Our Town Together!

 **Date: Saturday, 21st March**

 **Time: 10:00 AM**

 **Meeting Point: Outside
Ringwood Gateway**

Join us to make Ringwood cleaner, greener,
and brighter!

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