



Wildground Federation Newsletter

Newsletter 234: 13th February 2026

Executive Headteacher – Mrs. Mullett

Head of Infant School – Mrs. Summers, Head of Junior School - Ms. Mason-Hewitt

Message from Mrs Mullett

It has been a very busy half term across the federation with some fantastic learning taking place. Thankyou to all of you who have been in school this week sharing in the learning outcomes with the children.

Thankyou for your understanding whilst the school is being externally decorated. We will continue to use the hall and library entrance and exits for White Rhinos, Tamarins and Iguanas.

Please can I remind all parents and carers of the importance of using appropriate language when on the school site. We all need to be good role models for the children so please do not swear or use inappropriate language on the school site.

Finally, I hope you all have a lovely half term break. School will restart on Monday 23rd February.

PE Kit

We are increasingly concerned about the number of children without a PE kit in school. We are asking for your support in providing a PE kit for your child. Please ensure your child brings the following items in a bag to school:

- T-shirt of their house colour - Blue = Sodalite, Yellow = Amber, Red = Rhodolite
- Black shorts
- Juniors - pair of trainers
- Infants - Plimsolls for indoor PE and trainers for outdoor PE

[Skoolkit](#) in Totton sell the clothing items as do most supermarkets. Trainers can also be bought at most supermarkets. Having the correct kit helps children take part fully in lessons and enables us to maintain high standards of health and safety. Children without a PE kit will not be able to take part in PE lessons. We will contact you directly if your child does not have a kit. With half term approaching this may be an ideal time to check and ensure your child has the right clothing ready for next half term.

Thank you for your continued support.

New Catering Menu after February half term

Edwards and Ward are launching a new menu after half term. Please see the attachment included within the email or by [clicking this text](#).

Nut Free School

We would like to remind everyone that we are a nut-free school. Please ensure items brought in lunch boxes are nut free.

Walktober

Congratulations to Alice who won a prize from Hampshire Travel for her excellent Walktober report. What a fantastic achievement! Walktober is a challenge held each October to celebrate International Walk to School month. School communities are encouraged to get moving by walking, wheeling, and using other active and sustainable ways to travel as much as possible throughout the month.

In-car safety

We have been asked to share the following [online leaflet](#) from The Road Safety Team at Hampshire County Council regarding car seat safety.

Y5 and Y6 Girls Football Tournament

The Wildground Y5 and Y6 Girls football team delivered an outstanding performance at the New Forest Schools Football Tournament this week, securing an impressive fourth place out of 18 competing teams. The squad started the day in remarkable form, winning all of their opening matches. Their early success placed them firmly in the top tier for the finals stage, where they continued to show determination, teamwork and skill against strong opposition. A standout player throughout the tournament was Frayah, who finished as Wildground's top goal scorer, netting several crucial goals that helped propel the team into the top group.

Wildground's players returned home proud of their achievement - fourth place in a highly competitive field. A huge well done to all the players!

Results

Round 1: Wildground 2 v Bartley B 0 - Hordle primary 0 v Wildground 3 - Cadland 0 v Wildground 5

Top tier: Wildground 0 v Orchard A 0 - Pennington 0 v Wildground 0 - Bartley A 2 v Wildground 0 - Wildground 1 v Blackfield 0

Dates for the diary

16/02/2026-20/02/2026	February Half Term
04/03/2026	Class Photographer
04/03/2026	Penguins class assembly 2:45pm: infant hall
05/03/2026	World Book Day
09/03/2026	Inset Day
12/03/2026	Fossa class assembly 2:45pm: junior hall
20/03/2026	Red Nose Day
24/03/2026	Parent Consultations 3:30pm-7:00pm
26/03/2026	Parent Consultations 3:30pm-5:00pm
26/03/2026	Tamarin class assembly 2:45pm: junior hall
30/03/2026-10/04/2026	Easter Holidays
13/04/2026	First day of Summer Term
29/04/2026	Tigers class assembly 2:45pm: infant hall
11/05/2026-14/05/2026	KS2 SATS
21/05/2026	Gazelle class assembly 2:45pm: junior hall
25/05/2026-29/05/2026	May Half Term
01/06/2026-12/06/2026	Y4 Multiplication Check
08/06/2026-12/06/2026	Y1 and Y2 Phonics Screening Check
11/06/2026	White Rhino class assembly 2:45pm: junior hall
17/06/2026	Lemurs class assembly 2:45pm: infant hall
23/06/2026	Y5 invited to attend Noadswood Arts Week
24/06/2026	Sports Morning
02/07/2026	Cheetah class assembly 2:45pm: junior hall
13/07/2026-17/07/2026	Y6 Residential Trip to Avon Tyrrell
21/07/2026	Y6 Leavers Performance
22/07/2026	Last Day of Term
23/07/2026-31/08/2026	Summer Holidays

Local Events



Join
Spotlight UK's

February Raffle

We are going to be giving away another week holiday at

Butlin's

in MAY HALF TERM, as well as tickets to Legoland or Chessington, swimming, donutting and bowling.



Tickets are £3 each and the money raised will help fund our work to support local children who are affected by things like domestic abuse, loss & separation and mental health.

www.spotlightuk.org Reg Charity 1129258

February Half Term at St Barbe



Mon 16 February
St Barbe Out and About - FREE Family Activity
Ages 3+ | Drop-in 11-12:30 | Free | Pennington
We've popped over to Pennington to bring you some family fun activities inspired by our Kurt Jackson - Lymington River exhibition.
Find us at St Mark's Community Hall, Pennington SO41 8EJ

Tue 17 February
Splatter Art
Ages 8+ | 10am-12noon | £8 | Limited places | Adult supervision required for under 13s | Book via website
Have a go at painting like Kurt Jackson, using different mediums and techniques. Dress for mess!

Wed 18 February
St Barbe Out and About - FREE Family Activity
Ages 3+ | Drop-in 11-12:30 | Free | Sway
We've skipped over to Sway to bring you some family fun activities inspired by our Kurt Jackson - Lymington River exhibition.
Find us at Sway Village Hall SO41 6BB

Thurs 19 February
Go with the Flow
Ages 3+ | 2 sessions: 10:30-12:30 and 1:30-3:30pm | Free Drop-in
River themed crafts inspired by our Kurt Jackson - Lymington River exhibition.



www.stbarbe-museum.org.uk
registered charity no 1018779

HAF Family Events



Build and decorate your own Bird Box

Hythe Library
Wednesday 18 Feb 2-3pm

Totton Library
Saturday 21 Feb 10-11am



All events to include a free goody bag with activity and tea/lunch bag to take away.



These events are suitable for children aged 4-11 years old and who receive free school meals as part of pupil premium or are supported under an SEN/EHCP.

Children under 9 must be accompanied by a parent/carer.

Tickets are free but must be booked - <https://shop.hants.gov.uk/>

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SAVE THE DATE

HYTHE'S EASTER EGG TRAIL

THURSDAY 2ND APRIL

10AM - 1PM

£3 PER TICKET

RAISING MONEY IN AID OF CANCER RESEARCH UK AND HYTHE ALIVE

Easter

Egg Hunt

TICKETS ON SALE FROM 2ND MARCH AT TOYS AHOY SHOP & ONLINE

toysahoyshop.co.uk



16-20
FEBRUARY
2026



FUNSEEKERS CAMP

8.30am - 4.30pm daily
Open to all children in Year 2 - Year 8



ACTIVITIES INCLUDE:

Explorers: (Y2 - Y8):
1-3 days: £50 per day
4+ days: £45 per day
Sibling discounts

MONDAY

Trip to Moors Valley
Country Park

TUESDAY

Chocolate Workshop
with Miss Witt

WEDNESDAY

Arts and Crafts

THURSDAY

Chocolate Workshop
with Miss Witt

FRIDAY

Trip to Owl and
Reptile Centre

Scan or click the
QR code to book



EMAIL: FUNSEEKERS@WALHAMPTON.COM

February Half Term

Venue:

Gang Warily Recreation Centre SO45 1GA

Date:

Mon 16th Feb - Fri 20th Feb

Time:

8:30am - 5:00pm

Ages

5 - 11

BOUNCY CASTLE
on Fri

NERF
on Weds

**Kidz
Super
Sportz**

COST

Early Bird: £25.00 per day
£100.00 Full week

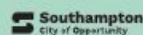
Normal Price: £27.50 per day
£110 Full week

Early Bird ends Monday 9th Feb

Email: kidzsupersportz@aol.co.uk
www.kidzsupersportz.co.uk



WHAT'S ON January - April 2025



FEBRUARY HALF TERM

Hands on History:
Castles and Catapults (6+)
Mon 16 Feb | 10.30am, 1pm |
Tudor House | £8

Art for All: Introducing Acrylics -
Winter Scenes (8+)
Mon 16 Feb | 10.30am, 12.30pm
or 2.30pm | Art Gallery | £8

Tour for All: Saxons, Vikings and
Normans Walking Tour
Tue 17 Feb | 11am |
Tudor House | £10
(accompanying children FREE)

Art for All: Mincraft Mosaic
Worlds (7+)
Tue 17 Feb | 10.30am, 12.30pm or
2.30pm | Art Gallery | £8

Art for All: Great Fire of London
Clay Scenes (5+)
Wed 18 Feb | 10.30am, 1pm |
Tudor House | £8

Art for All: Bluey Inspired Pen
Pots (3+)
Wed 18 Feb | 10.30am, 12.30pm
or 2.30pm | Art Gallery | £8

Art for All: K Pop Demon
Hunters Clay Sculpture (6+)
Thu 19 Feb | 10.30am, 12.30pm
or 2.30pm | Art Gallery | £8

NEW FOR 2025
Toddler Time: Characterful
Dogs! (under 4s and friends)
Thu 19 Feb | 10.30am |
SeaCity | £6

Hands on History: Awesome
Egyptians (7+)
Fri 20 Feb | 10.30am, 1pm |
SeaCity | £8

Junior Art School: Go Wild with
Wool (7 - 13 years)
Fri 20 Feb | 10.30am - 3.30pm
Art Gallery | £26

CULTURE CLUB FOR KIDS ACTIVITY DAYS

(Age 6½ - 12 years)

Drop off your young people
Three days per week | 9am-4pm
(drop off from 8.45)

SeaCity | £35 per day
or £90 for all three days

Get creative, explore our
collections and learn new
stuff while making really
cool things at our themed
activity days.

Cruise Adventures
Mon 16, Tues 17, Wed 18 Feb



See venue websites for further details on events and to book
seacitymuseum.co.uk | tudorhouseandgarden.com | southamptoncityartgallery.com



February Half Term

SPORTS TO INCLUDE:

Dodgeball | Capture The Flag | Soft Archery
Razor Carts | Athletics | Benchball | Football
Kwik Cricket | Tennis | Basketball | Uni-hoc
Ultimate Frisbee | Nerf Wars | Badminton

Plus Many Other Fun Games!

Payment - Bank transfer, payments made to:

Kidz Supersportz, Lloyds Bank

ACC Numb 02467994 S/C 30-98-73 Ref: your child

For details of all our courses and activities
please contact us

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