Sun Hill Junior School Newsletter



Issue 2

Friday 20th September 2024

"Challenges are what make life interesting and overcoming them is what makes life meaningful."

-Joshua J. Marine

This week, Upper School went on a trip to the SeaCity Museum in Southampton as part of our Rich and Poor project. With their key question, 'does money define us?' in mind, the children explored the story of RMS Titanic and how life on board the Titanic differed for the rich and the poor. The children participated in a discovery session, where they were able to find out the hidden stories of the Titanic. Followed by a workshop where they were able to participate in a scientific experiment, handle objects and a complete a lifeboat activity, where they had to decide who would have got a space on board. The children were also able to spend some time exploring the museum with their groups. It was a fantastic day. Thank you to our amazing volunteers who came to help on the day!



Making a Difference



Congratulations to all our stars for making a difference and therefore receiving head teachers awards this week!

Aspire	Jemima A (Swans)
Resilience	Evie-Mae J (Kingfishers), Aiden C-B (Woodpeckers)
Strive	Emily F (Swans), Adrian F (Kingfishers), George A (Herons), Eve D (Robins), Amelie B (Robins), Grayson S (Woodpeckers)
Support	Archie S (Cranes), Joseph C (Cranes)
Trust	Carley A (Herons)

This week our school Make a

Difference Star Mascots Simon & Puff

Puff were awarded to:

Evie-Mae J (Kingfishers)

"Giving 100% effort into everything she does"



The Bingo Wellbeing Award



Amira D (Cranes)!

"Persevering in her maths even when she is finding things hard"

This week students and staff have been focusing on KEEP LEARNING. Examples of Keep Learning might be...

- Ready to learn focus
- Researching a project at home
- Showing real interest and effort in work
- Trying something new Learn from mistakes

School Attendance Award



Whole School Attendance- 97.21%

(results taken from Friday to Friday)

House of the Week!

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Library Summer Reading Challenge

"Reading is a passport to countless adventures"-Mary Pope Osborne

Congratulations to all our students who completed the summer reading challenge! All students, who have informed the office of their success, have been awarded 10 house points. Thank you for sharing your achievements with us!





Friends of SHJS



FRIDAY 15TH NOVEMBER





Making a Difference

SUN HILL JUNIOR SCHOOL OPEN EVENTS AUTUMN 2024

Wednesday 2nd October 3:45-5:30pm

Friday 4th October 9.30-11am

Year 3 Applications Open

> 1st November 2024

Sun Hill Junior School Sun Lane Alresford SO24 917

School Notices

<u>Job Vacancy!</u>

We are excited to let families know we are recruiting at SHJS for a new member of our Extended Day team. If you, or anyone you know, might be interested please find all job details here; https://mynewterm.com/jobs/144882/EDV-2024-SHJS-33916

Key Dates 2024-2025

The school will update families as soon as possible, but please note these dates are subject to change.

Wednesday 25th September- YR6 Height & Weight Checks*

Wednesday 25th September- PACE CAHMS Event*

Thursday 26th September- Perins Open Day*

Tuesday 1st October- School Photo Order Deadline*

Wednesday 2nd October- SHJS Open Evening*

Friday 4th October- SHJS Open Morning*

Friday 11th October- Flu Immunisations*

Friday 11th October- Christmas Card Design Deadline*

Monday 14th October- Rotary Shoebox Deadline*

Tuesday 15th October- Lower School Trip*

Wednesday 16th October- SEND Parents Evening

Thursday 17th October- Harvest Festival at St. Johns Church

Friday 18th October- Free Dress Day (Charity Fundraiser)

Monday 21st October- Friday 1st November- Half Term

Wednesday 6th November- Parents Evening

Thursday 7th November- Parents Evening
Tuesday 12th November- Bag2School Fundraiser
Friday 15th November- SHJS Quiz Night
Friday 15th November- Children in Need
Friday 6th December- Elf Day (SHJS Fundraiser)

Monday 9th-Friday 13th December- Christmas Performance Week
Tuesday 10th December- Upper School Listen to Me Concert
Wednesday 11th December- Rock Steady Concert

Tuesday 17th December- Christmas Service at St. Johns Church
Tuesday 17th December- Lower School Christmas Lunch
Wednesday 18th December- Upper School Christmas Lunch
Thursday 19th December- Whole School Christmas Treat
Friday 20th December- Last Day of Autumn Term (1pm finish)

Monday 6th January- First Day of Spring Term
Friday 14th February- INSET DAY

Monday 17th-Friday 21st February- Half Term

Monday 7th-Monday 21st April- Easter Holidays

Tuesday 22nd April- INSET DAY

Wednesday 23rd April- First Day of Summer Term

Monday 12th May-Thursday 15th May- SATS Week

Monday 26th-Friday 30th May- Half Term

Friday 27th June- INSET DAY

Tuesday 22nd July- Last day of academic year (1pm finish)

^{*}a letter has been communicated about this event.

Alresford Community Theatre Society (ACTS) are excited to announce their upcoming production of The Sound of Music.

As a local amateur dramatics company that has held shows in Alresford since 1999, we are excited to extend an invitation to the children of Sun Hill to be part of our cast.

We are currently looking for children aged 8 and above to take on main parts in this beloved show, as well as join our children's chorus team. At ACTS, we believe in nurturing confidence in young performers and providing them with the opportunity to interact with a diverse range of ages within the local community.

In addition to children, we are also welcoming adults to join us in this production, making it a fantastic opportunity for families to come together and experience the magic of performing on stage. Rehearsals for both children and adults will be held on Sundays, offering a unique chance for families to create lasting memories and watch their children's confidence flourish in a supportive and creative environment, whilst the show will come together with performances held during February!

Information Afternoon will be on 29th September at 2-5PM in the Alresford Community

Centre

Auditions will be held on;

October 6th, 10-4PM, Alresford Community Centre
October 8th, 7-9PM, Alresford Community Centre

We believe that theatre is a transformative experience that fosters creativity, teamwork and self-expression. Join us at ACTS and be part of an unforgettable experience that celebrates the joy of theatre and community spirit. If you would like more information or have any questions, please feel free to contact us at <u>alresfordacts@gmail.com</u>

We look forward to welcoming the talented children of Sun Hill to be part of The Sound of Music production and create wonderful memories together.

ALRESFORD COMMUNITY THEATRE SOCIETY

OUR NEXT SHOW WILL BE...



AND WE ARE LOOKING FOR BUDDING STARS
OF ALL AGES!

WE'RE HOLDING AN INFO AFTERNOON

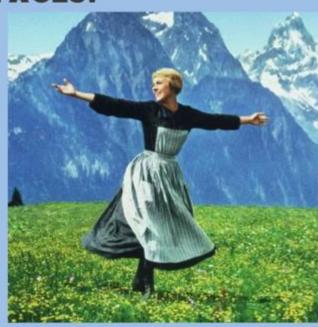
Date: 29th September

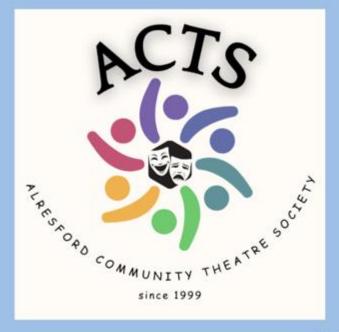
Time: 2pm until 5pm

Where: Community

Centre, Alresford

WHERE YOU CAN COLLECT
AUDITION MATERIAL





AUDITIONS ARE ON OCTOBER 6TH FROM 10 - 4 AND OCTOBER 8TH FROM 7PM TILL 9PM AT THE COMMUNITY CENTRE

Rehearsals will be Sunday day times with the show during February Half Term

ALRESFORDACTS@GMAIL.COM







SSUK WILL BE RUNNING THEIR POPULAR FOOTBALL & MULTI SPORT CAMPS ON THE FOLLOWING DAYS IN OCTOBER -

MONDAY 28TH OCTOBER
TUESDAY 29TH OCTOBER
WEDNESDAY 30TH OCTOBER
THURSDAY 31ST OCTOBER
FRIDAY 1ST NOVEMBER



STANDARD HOURS

DROP OFF 8:45 - 9:30 COLLECTION 3:15 - 4PM

EXTENDED HOURS

DROP OFF 8:15 - 8:45AM (£5) COLLECTION 4 - 4:45PM (£5)

> FULL EXTENDED DAY 8:15 - 4:45 (£28)

£20 PER CHILD (STANDARD DAY) £28 PER CHILD (EXTENDED DAY)

Activities

- ✓ Football
- Outdoor games
- Archery
- Basketball

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