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### Year 8 Geography Fieldtrip

Next week, all Year 8 pupils will be involved in a study of the River Darkwater in the New Forest.

8O and 8C will be going on Tuesday 11th and 8R and 8K on Thursday 13th May.

*Please could all pupils ensure that they have returned their payment and consent forms which were sent out at the beginning of April.*

Many thanks

*Mr Hyde*

### Cricket Fixtures - Saturday 8th May

U12, 13 (A) v Poole Grammar. Meet at 8:15am for 8:30am departure from back gate. Return by 2:15pm approx

U14, U15 (H) v Poole Grammar. Meet 9:30am at Fields for 10:00am start. To finish at Fields by 1:00pm.

### Cricket fixtures - Wednesday 12th May

U12 Cricket Cup Match v Priestlands School - 4:30pm start (H)

U13 v Horndean - 3:45pm start (H)

**Phone number in case of bad weather: 07531 495326**

### Cricket Results

#### **U14 v Churchers (Hampshire Cup)**

Churchers 54-2 SJC 52

*Churchers won by 8 wkts*

#### **U15 v Springfield (SE Hants Cup)**

SJC 247 (S. Shahid 34, J Churchill 101\*)

Springfield 56 (J.Churchill 3-19, J Raven 2-2)

*SJC won by 191 runs*

#### **1st X1 v Churchers**

Churchers 177-4 SJC 61

*SJC lost by 116 runs*

### History Department Visit to London

Last Friday Upper Sixth History students visited London to see two museums, in order to support their study of the A Level topic, 'The changing nature of warfare 1792-1945'. This is a challenging but very interesting topic which looks at all aspects of warfare, from weaponry and battle tactics to the role of public opinion and the mass mobilisation of economies and civilian populations. The students looked around relevant galleries in the National Army Museum and the Imperial War Museum. They had a very enjoyable day and came back with a clearer idea of some of the themes we have been looking at.

**G.D. Goodlad**

### Key Dates

#### **Saturday 8th May**

10:00am - Cricket v Poole Grammar School  
U12, U13 (A), U14, U15 (H)

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#### **Sunday 9th May**

Boarders' Weekend Activity

Spectrum Pools

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#### **Tuesday 11th May**

9:00am - Year 8 Geography River Studies Field Trip  
(Sets O/C)

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#### **Wednesday 12th May**

9:00am - GCSE Drama Dress and Tech rehearsal  
(all day)

4:00pm - GCSE Drama Examination Rehearsal

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#### **Thursday 13th May**

9:00am - Year 8 Geography River Studies Field Trip  
(Sets R/K)

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#### **Friday 14th May**

#### **Founder's Day**

11:20am Service

2:30pm - Talk by George Alagiah

7:00pm - Founder's Day Concert

*Parents and friends are encouraged to come and support us at this event.*

### Chaplaincy Corner

#### *We Pray Together*

A prayer for our daily work, linked to the extra day of rest on Monday 3rd May; we thank God for both.

Lord Jesus,

We give you our hands - to do your work.

We give you our feet - to go your way.

We give you our eyes - to see as you do.

We give you our tongues - to speak your words.

We give you our minds - that you may think in us.

We give you our spirits - that you may pray in us.

Above all, we give you our hearts

that you may love, in us,

your Father and all humankind.

We give you our whole selves

that you may grow in us,

so that is you, Lord Jesus,

who live and work and pray in us.

Amen

# Lower School News

## Art Gallery

Year 5 and 6 thoroughly enjoyed their visit to the Southampton Art Gallery this week. Some of the modelling work they completed was excellent. Year 5 made some lovely clay coil pots.

## Assessments

Scores achieved in this week's standardised tests will be reported to parents at the next consultation evening on Monday 21st June. Test papers are sent away for external marking and analysis. The scores assist us greatly in planning for both individuals and classes whilst also providing valuable data on school performance.

## Sport

### Soccer

Well done to the Under 11 girls' soccer team on joining the boys and reaching the Portsmouth Schools Cup Final. They defeated St George's 4-2 in their semi-final on Tuesday. Both finals take place this evening. We wish the boys and girls success!

### Cricket

Under 11 'A' v Sherborne House won by 1 run (M.McGlinchey 43 not out)

Under 11 'B' v Sherborne House lost by 7 wickets

### Rounders

U11 v King's Court lost 21½ - 24

*There is no Under 11 'B' team training next Tuesday after school.*

## Next week

**Tuesday** 3:30pm - Under 11 'A' Cricket nets & Under 11 Rounders training

**Thursday** 3:30pm - Spirit in Sport

**Friday** 3:30pm - Under 9 squad Cricket training



All pupils in Years 4, 5 and 6 who might be interested in joining a local Cricket Club could contact the following:

**Hayling Island Cricket Club** Roger Thompson on 02392 464839. For Years 5 and 6 on Mondays - 6:30pm - 7:30pm

**United Services Cricket Club** usportsmouthcc.com for further details

**Portsmouth Cricket Club** Under 9s & Under 11s on Fridays from 5:30pm.

**email:** Portsmouthcricketinfo@googlemail.com **website:** portsmouth.hitscricket.com

**Portsmouth & Southsea Cricket Club** Mondays for Under 9s and Under 11s **website:** pands.hitscricket.com

**Havant Cricket Club** Contact Brian Swan 02392474740. Under 11s - Monday 5:30pm - 7:00pm

## School's Out

School's Out will be running during May half term from Tuesday to Friday. Early bird discount, as usual, will be £20 for the standard day (£18 for sibling discount) if you book and pay before **Friday 21st May**. It will be £25 per day if you book after this date (£22.50 for sibling discount). We will also be running the extended day until 5.30pm at £5 per child. If you would like to book call Jo Russell on 07988 564642.

## Please support!

At midnight on Saturday 15th May, my Mum will be walking 26.2 miles through the streets of London in her bra! The moonwalk is held annually in aid of breast cancer, and Mum and her friend, Margaret, are hoping to raise as much money as they can for this worthy cause. If you would like to make a donation, however big or small, please either see me or go to:

[www.walkthewalkfundraising.org/sue\\_grubb](http://www.walkthewalkfundraising.org/sue_grubb). Thank you. *Miss Grubb*



# Nursery News

The Rockets have had a focus week on Colours, Numbers and Shapes. They have played a balloon colour matching game and a counting game where they counted up the amount of objects inside different hula hoops.

The Stars have been learning about Space this week. They have drawn aliens, made their own rockets by drawing around a template and cutting it out, and have made planets and decorated them using marbling plates. The Stars had lots of fun chanting the countdown 3, 2, 1, BLAST OFF!!! and also learning 'Space' rhymes.

Lots of fun learning experiences had by all children - another fun-filled week at Nursery.

**Miss Utchanah**

**Head of Nursery**