

St John's C of E Infant School

Newsletter 6th March 2026



Latest News,

Well we actually saw the sun this week!! Yippee!

It is one of our favourite weeks of the year, the one with World Book Day!

We had lots of fun and talked about so many books, favourite classics, non-fiction, fiction and new ones we might like to try. There is still time to use your



World Book Day voucher on the Scholastic book club until the 16th March.

Coming up next week it's progress meetings, thank you for signing up to attend. Staff are looking forward to speaking with you.

We look forward to seeing you at our someone special to me service on Friday 13th March at 2.30 in the school hall.

There is a Bags 2 School collection on 24th March so please start spring cleaning those unwanted clothes, we will be sending home bags to help you soon. See the PTA page below for details. It's a great way to recycle and fundraise for the school.

See the flyer below about family forest church on Saturday 25th April @ 4pm in collaboration with Wishanger Wild School.

At this time of year the weather can be so temperamental so please remember your child needs to have a coat in school.

Mrs Stevens

2026

- 10th Mar—Parent's Evening
- 12th Mar—Parent's Evening
- 13th Mar— Someone Special to Me service/Mothering Sunday @ 2.30pm
- 19th Mar—Badger Class Assembly @ 2.30pm
- 20th Mar—Fox Class Assembly @ 2.30pm
- 25th Mar—Easter Pause Day
- 26th March—Rabbit Class Assembly@2.30pm
- 27th Mar—Church Service & Bonnet Parade @ 9am
- 27th Mar—End of term, 2pm
- EASTER HOLIDAYS
- 13th April—Start of Term
- 1st May—INSET DAY
- 4th May—BANK HOLIDAY
- 14th May—New Rabbit class Storytime
- 21st May—Pollination workshop
- 22nd May—End of term, 3pm
- 1st June—Start of Term
- 2nd June—Class Photos
- 3rd June—Maypole dancing workshop

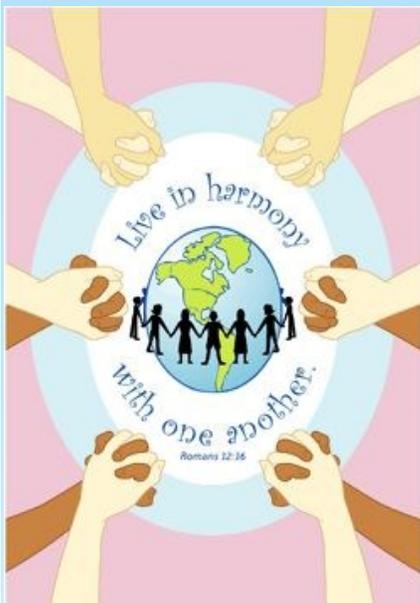
For these and other dates:

[Online Calendar](#)

Overall Attendance this year to date 95%



Values News



Our value this half term is forgiveness. Helen visited us on Wednesday and she told us about Joseph. Joseph's brothers were very cruel to him when he was young yet many years later he still forgave them. If we carry around the bad things that happen and never let go of them then it gets harder and harder to live our lives. Whereas if we let go of things that hurt or annoy us, and forgive those who are unkind then we can still go on living enjoying life.

Are you holding onto things that are weighing you down?

How can you free yourself of those things and live life to the full?



This week we received the sad news that Bishop Andrew died shortly after sharing that he had received a terminal diagnosis. Our thoughts and prayers are with his family.

We are truly grateful for all his dedicated service.

Celebrate Success



Recent star learners are:

Rabbit class star learners are Ophelia & Arden

Fox class star learners are Rosie & Otis

Badger class star learners are Evie & Jack





Bags 2 school will accept donations of the items in



Clothes



Paired shoes



Handbags



Hats



Bags



Scarves and ties



Bras



Jewellery

Drop of f 23rd and morning of 24th



Socks



Belts

Unfortunately they wont accept. the items in red.



Duvets and blankets



Pillows and cushions



Carpets, rugs and mats



Soiled, painted, ripped or wet clothing



School uniforms with and without logo



Corporate clothing and workwear



Textile off cuts, yarns or threaded material



Furniture and large items



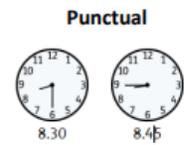
Batteries



School Attendance

Regular

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| M | Tu | W | Th | F | Sa | Su |



Please remember how importance school attendance is.

As the season begins to change and we all come together inside we do start to see germs spreading again. We still encourage good regular handwashing and use ventilation in classrooms to try to limit the spread.

You may find this NHS website page useful for information about school attendance.

Is my child too ill for school?

Please note if your child does have sickness or diarrhea then the child must remain home for 48 hours from the last episode. This helps to limit the spread of germs and saves others from the same experiences. We will send them home again if they return to school too soon.



Safeguarding

Safeguarding

If you are concerned about the safeguarding of a child at any time, please contact Surrey children's single point of access C-SPA on

:0300 470 9100

For out of hours see our [website](#).

During school hours you can contact the school Safeguarding leads Mrs. Stevens or Mrs. Ireland DSL@stjohns-farnham.surrey.sch.uk or

telephone 01428 713216

Headlice

Please keep checking your child's hair regularly so that we may reduce/remove the cases of headlice. Treating once is not enough, regular checks are necessary by everyone.



Hello!

Welcome to Mindworks Surrey, the new emotional wellbeing and mental health service for children and young people in Surrey.



Mental Health and Well being

There is help available to those in need of support The guide was co-developed by partners across Surrey County Council, NHS Surrey Heartlands Integrated Care Board (ICB) and Mindworks.

[Quick Guide to Mental Health Support for Children, Young People & Families](#) This guide is here to help children, young people, and families in Surrey find the right mental health support when it's needed most. Whether they are feeling anxious, overwhelmed or worried about a friend, they're not alone - help is always available.

Click on the image to go to the full [Mindworks](#) page

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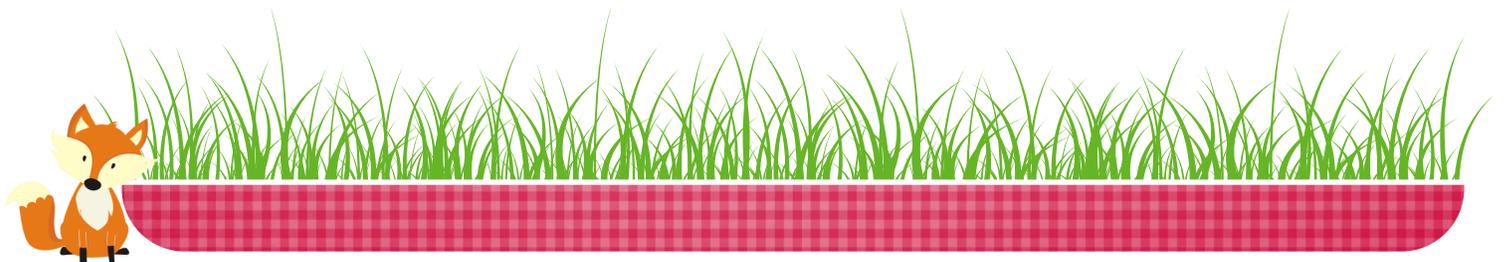


Mental Health crisis line

There is a free 24/7 mental health crisis line for children aged from six years, young people and their families/carers who are in crisis. Please call [0800 915 4644](#) to talk with a professional who will provide advice, support and signposting to a range of community services. It's open all day and all night, seven days a week.

The crisis line can be used by everyone aged 6 and above in Surrey and [NE Hampshire](#).

The number [0800 915 4644](#) is the same telephone number as the adult mental health crisis line - simply select option one.



Our Community

Come and experience

Family **Forest** Church

Saturday 25 April at 4pm

Short service for ALL-AGES

Everyone welcome!

Creation and crafts with singing and play

**A chance to share in your children's
adventures of Forest School**

Please dress appropriately for the weather.

All children must be accompanied.

**Meet in in the Vicarage Drive
in Old Kiln Lane at 3.50pm.**

Your children will show you where!



Our Community

The Friends of St John's presents a

SPRING Concert 2026

A varied evening of music from
Baroque to contemporary with

- Edward Brain
Organ
- Emily Carrington
Oboe
- George Spencer
Piano
- & Wey Community Gospel Choir

Saturday 14th March 7.30pm
at St John's Church



Tickets £20 in advance from Ticketsource,
or on the door (includes a glass of wine &
light refreshments). Tickets also available from

John: 07836 269767

john@regalarch.f9.co.uk

Hugh: 07887 561297

hughtrotter@hotmail.com



Our Community



Little Chicks Creche
Afternoon drop-off session for ages 2-4

Small, calm groups
Soft play, engaging activities & stories
Qualified staff

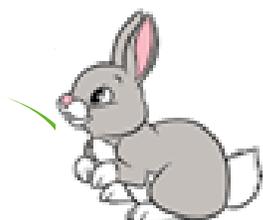
Follow the QR code
to learn more...



Time: 12:00-2:00pm
Days: Tues & Wed (more days soon!)
Where: The Hen House
Ages: 2-4 years
Length: Up to 2 hours
Format: Drop-off only
Potty training: Not required

£18 per session
Or, block book:
4 sessions for £68
6 sessions for £96
Limited availability

<https://thehenhouse.magicbooking.co.uk/Identity/Account/Login>



Our Community



www.yourspacetherapies.org

🐾 Easter Holiday Mindfulness Pony Day for Kids! 🐾

Dates: Thursday 2nd April and Friday 10th April

Time: 9.30am- 2pm

Location: Hill Crest Farm, Horsham

Join us for a magical day of ponies, riding, art, friendship, and mindfulness!

🌿 What to Expect:

🤍 Mindfulness Time with Ponies

🐾 Pony Care

🐾 Riding and Mounted Games

🌿 Connect with Arts and Nature

🐾 Make New Friends

Click the link to book the day of your choice:

[Thursday 2nd April- Mindfulness Pony Day- Book Now!](#)

[Friday 10th April- Mindfulness Pony Day- Book Now!](#)

Cost: £140 per child

BY PURCHASING A TICKET VIA EVENTBRITE, YOU ARE PAYING £40 DEPOSIT. YOU WILL BE INVOICED VIA EMAIL FOR THE OUTSTANDING AMOUNT ON 27th MARCH.

Spaces limited to 10 children per day

We are an inclusive team and warmly welcome children with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND). We celebrate diversity and are committed to providing a supportive environment where every child can thrive.



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BOOKINGS NOW OPEN!



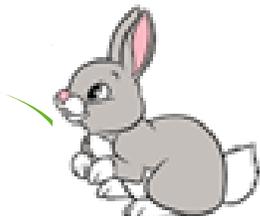
9AM - 5PM
OR ADD AN
EXTENDED DAY
PASS
8AM - 6PM

EASTER BOOKINGS NOW OPEN
& SUMMER HOLIDAY BOOKINGS OPENING 1 FEBRUARY
BOOK BY SCANNING THE QR CODE OR VISIT OUR WEBSITE

BOOK HERE



St Hilary's Prep School
Holloway Hill, Godalming, GU7 1RZ
www.sthilarysschool.com



Our Community

We are still looking for a Crossing Patrol Officer who could support the children safely across Barford Lane in the morning and afternoon.

Surrey County Council

would accept a job share for this position. For more details [Click here](#)



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