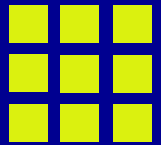


NINE ACRES NEWS

'Striving for Excellence'

Friday 13th May 2022



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Dear Families of Nine Acres,

The Year 6 children have absolutely been incredible this week. They have taken their National tests in their stride with dedication and resilience. Thank you for your support and thank you to all the Nine Acres team who have supported our young people throughout their journey at the school. We will be notified of the results in July.



Next week it is Year 2 SATs week and once again the children have been working incredibly hard, building their confidence and practicing their skills. The Year 2 staffing team are very proud of them all.

Congratulations to all those in our community who challenged themselves with Walk the Wight 2022. You will see a wonderful array of happy faces in our newsletter this week and we want to thank you for raising money for the Hospice which touches the lives of many Islanders.



Last week our Governing Body met to agree the finances to improve our back playground. There was a big cheer in assembly from the children when I showed them the design. This includes a trapezium stage, a science activity panel, a log traverse and many other elements for the children.

Thank you to many who have donated to our cause including; the High Sheriff, Helping Hands PTA, the staff team who ran the Great South Run last year, and Masooma (Year 2) who donated her pocket money. All this has helped to raise the £30,000 needed for our children.

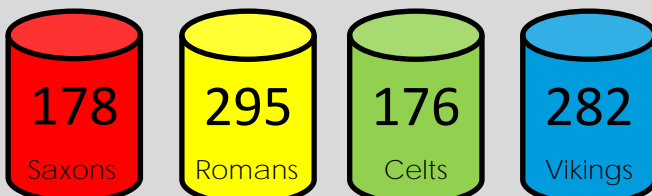
Well done Team Nine Acres!
Have a lovely weekend,
Mrs Dyer

Sports Day Dates

Tues 28th June 2022
EYFS and KS1 Sports Day
Wed 29th June 2022
KS2 Sports Day

House Points

Well done to **ROMANS** who received the most House Points for this week!



Mental Health at Nine Acres

Our Mental Health Mission Statement

We believe having a mentally healthy community is not about being happy all the time, but about working together through the challenges and sharing the celebrations; feeling supported, heard, accepted, valued and empowered.

This week we want to focus on 'Support for Mental Health'. Here is a link from our website to support you as a family regarding 'Samaritans'.



Walk the Wight 2022



Congratulations!

Huge congratulations to all our children and families who took part in Walk the Wight 2022 on Sunday last weekend. Here is a selection of the photos we have received from you!!

45
years of kindness
Mountbatten

Walk the Wight
with Mountbatten

Nine Acres Community Primary School

Explorer Awards



Corfe
Blake - Geography

Biggleswade
Emmett - PSHE

Balmoral
Onyi - History

Windsor
Betsy - History

Arundel
Jack - PSHE

Bamburgh



Kendal
Finn - Geography

Warwick
Harry - Geography

Durham
Dylan - History

York

Edinburgh
Whole Class

Stirling
Whole class



Isle of Wight School Terms and Holidays 2021 - 2022

Determined programme of school term and holiday dates for county and controlled schools for the academic year 2021/22

SEPTEMBER 2021	OCTOBER 2021	NOVEMBER 2021
M 6 13 20 27	M 4 11 18 25	M 1 [*] 8 15 22 29
T 31 [*] 7 14 21 28	T 5 12 19 26	T 2 9 16 23 30
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DECEMBER 2021	JANUARY 2022	FEBRUARY 2022
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T 7 14 21 28	T 4 [*] 11 18 25	T 1 8 15 22
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JUNE 2022	JULY 2022	AUGUST 2022
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· STAY SAFE · BE KIND ·

School Attendance

Whole school attendance target 96.00%.

Dates: 06/05/2022 - 12/05/2022

Attendance Lates

Carisbrooke:	94.67%	0
Yarmouth:	100%	1
Biggleswade	98.08%	2
Corfe	95.77%	1
Balmoral:	93.33%	1
Windsor:	96.67%	0
Arundel:	98.52%	1
Bamburgh:	91.11%	4
Kendal:	95.83%	0
Warwick:	94.44%	0
Durham:	98.00%	0
York:	95.36%	2
Edinburgh:	98.80%	1
Stirling:	93.75%	0

Well done YARMOUTH CLASS!!
Whole school attendance this week is: 96.04%

WILL YOU FIND THE GOLDEN TICKET?

On Thursday 19th & Thursday 26th May, when ordering a school dinner you could be in with a chance to win a Food Superhero Bubble Fidget.

Find a Golden ticket on your Flight Tray or Bento Box when ordering a school dinner on Thursday's and the prize is yours.

School Dinners are £2.20 per day, please see the newsletter for the menu options.

GOOD LUCK!!



Chartwells
So much more than Fantastic food

Helping Hands PTA

On Monday 16th May 2022 there will be a Pre-Loved Uniform Sale on the front playground from 3.10pm. All Nine Acres logoed items will be priced at £1.00 and all other uniform priced at 50p.

School Dinners

Reminder School dinners are now £2.20 per day and £11.00 per week. Thank you, Nine Acres.



Vaccinations for 5-11 year olds



Find your nearest vaccination site via the NHS website, by calling 119 or by calling our Hampshire and Isle of Wight helpline on 0300 561 0018



NINE ACRES COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Articulate Passionate Persuasive Positively influence the world around us

We are a **GOOD** school with an
OUTSTANDING Early Years Provision



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Diary Dates 2021/2022



W/C Mon 16th May 2022 - Year 2 SATS.
Tues 17th May 2022 - NO Swimming for Arundel.
Tues 24th May 2022 - Arundel Class Swimming Lessons - Please see separate box for more details.
Thurs 26th May 2022 - The Queen's Jubilee Celebrations including Jubilee special menu for lunch.
Fri 27th May 2022 - DEVELOPMENT DAY.
W/C Mon 6th June 2022 - Phonics Screening for Year 1.
Wed 8th June 2022 - Year 2 Roald Dahl Trip.
Week Commencing 13th June 2022 - Year 4 Multiplication Check.
Mon 30th May - Fri 3rd June 2022 - HALF TERM.
Fri 17th June 2022 - DEVELOPMENT DAY.
Tues 28th June 2022 - EYFS and KS1 Sports Day.
Wed 29th June 2022 - KS2 Sports Day.
Thurs 30th June - Fri 1st July 2022 - Year 6 Leavers Trip.
Wed 20th July 2022 - Year 5 & 6 Mayflower Trip - School of Rock.
Fri 22nd July 2022 - DEVELOPMENT DAY.
Mon 25th July - Mon 29th August 2022 - SUMMER HOLIDAYS.

*New dates will be added - Please check the box for **NEW** to see any added dates.*

Development Days

~~Monday 31st August 2021~~

~~Friday 12th November 2021~~

Friday 27th May 2022

Friday 17th June 2022

Friday 22nd July 2022



TRIP PAYMENT DEADLINES

We are very excited to be organising lots of school trips for our children.

*Please see below the payment deadlines for trips, if you have not yet made the **deposit payment for your child's trip** please contact the office.*

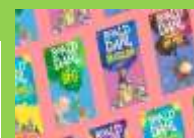
Year 2 Roald Dahl Trip - June 2022

Full payment due by 26th May 2022

Year 6 Chessington Trip - June/July 2022

Deposit was due by Sun 31st Oct 2021,
with the full payment due by
Fri 3rd June 2022.

Year 5 & 6 Mayflower Trip - School of Rock - July 2022 - Additional payment due by today Fri 6th May 2022.



PE DAYS

Week Commencing Monday 16th May 2022



All children should come to school in their PE kits on their allocated day.



PE Days for each Year Group

EYFS - Monday

Year 1 - Monday

Year 2 - Friday

Year 3 - Wednesday

Year 4 - Thursday

Year 5 - Wednesday

Year 6 - Tuesday

Please ensure your child has the appropriate PE kit and footwear for PE lessons. Please ensure your child has a water bottle in school everyday. Please remove all earrings before your child comes to school and

Reading at Home

It is an expectation that all children in Years EYFS – Year 6 should be reading at home at least 3 times a week. Record your reading on the GO READ app.



JUBILEE DAY!

 **Chartwells**
So much more than Fantastic Food

MAINS

Chicken Mayo Sandwich & a mini Sausage Roll
or
Cream Cheese & Cucumber Sandwich & a mini Veggie Roll (v)

Both served with a
Pizza Whirl , Potato Wedges,
Carrot and Cucumber Sticks

DESSERTS

Jubilee Cup Cake
or
Fresh Fruit

*** THURSDAY 26TH MAY 2022 ***

**DON'T FORGET! SCHOOL MEALS ARE FREE FOR ALL PUPILS
IN RECEPTION, YEAR 1 AND YEAR 2.**

**PLEASE SPEAK TO YOUR SCHOOL FOR MORE INFORMATION
SIGN UP TODAY!**

The Queen's Platinum Jubilee



We are looking forward to celebrating the Queen's Jubilee in school for the children of Nine Acres. On Thursday 26th May 2022, children and staff are welcome to come in their 'posh party' clothes or red, white and blue along with a small party snack for the afternoon tea party on the field. There will be lots of dancing and singing!! Please look out on our Social Media for pictures.

Helping Hands PTA

Easter Colouring Competition

Thank you to everyone who took part in our Easter colouring competition. There were over 100 entries and they were all amazing!!

Thank you to our fabulous judge - Mrs Mackrill - who had the incredibly difficult job of choosing the winners and runners up!!

The winners were...

Pippa, Melody, Elana and Billy.

The runners-up were... **Eva, Blake, Lily and Lacie.**



Summer Fair

Fabulous news the Summer Fair is back!! All welcome to attend - Thursday 16th June, 3.30-5.30pm.

It will take place on the field with lots of stalls and activities including face painting, bouncy castle, refreshments, sweet tombola, teddy tombola, and raffle to name a few.

More information coming soon!

Asda Green Tokens

Voting closes at midnight on Tuesday 31st May - which leaves us a maximum of 3 voting opportunities left!!

Please keep voting www.asda.com/greentokens



****NEW DATE ** NEXT MEETING - Friday 10th June 2022 at 8.45am, meet in the front playground - Please come along if you can - it would be great to see some new faces - all welcome.**

FOODBANK VOUCHERS

We are pleased to announce that we can now provide families with vouchers to the Island's Food Banks. Many families are struggling more than ever with rising household costs and we want to be able to support you however we can. Food Banks support many families across the country and are not just a source of food in a crisis - they can provide a listening ear and signpost you to other agencies who may be able to help if you need it. Referrals can be made to any of the Island's Food Banks for your convenience or confidentiality. There are currently Food Banks in Newport, Freshwater, Cowes, Ryde and Shanklin. If you would like some more information or are in need of a voucher, please speak to Mr Thomas.



What: May Messy Church

When: 4PM, Saturday the 14th of May

Who: Messy Church is aimed at all children in primary school and below!

What do we do: We meet, sing some songs, have a wide range of crafts, play some games, and finish off with a meal all together!

How much? FREE, there is no charge to come along and join in, however there will be a donations box if you want to leave something towards future events.

Where: Castlehold Baptist Church, High Street, Newport, Isle of Wight, PO301BH.

We are the church with the big blue columns at the top of the High street



The next Messy Church after May is July the 2nd. See you there!!



SOCCER CAMP

**30TH MAY. 31ST MAY. 1ST JUNE
FOR 4 - 11 YEARS**

**£10 PER DAY
10AM-2:45PM**

Nine Acres Primary School, Newport

**All of our Coaches are FA Level 2 Qualified
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 **073688 86639**

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ParentPay is our only method of making payments.



Are you signed up to ParentPay?

We no longer accept cash at the office. All items that require payment will be available on ParentPay:

- School Dinners
- Enrichment Clubs
- School Trips

Please ensure your account is activated as soon as possible.

FREE SCHOOL MEALS

Have your circumstances changed? Could you now be entitled to Free School Meals?

To apply online please go to:

www.iow.gov.uk/council/OtherServices/Free-School-Meals/Key-Stage-1-and-2

Year 3 Arundel Swimming Lessons

Year 3 swimming lessons begun this week for Arundel Class. The children leave on the coach at 12.00pm. prompt. All children to come to school dressed in PE kit and are required to wear a swimming costume/ swim shorts underneath. All children to bring a pair of goggles, a named towel and a plastic bag for wet items and should come to school dressed in PE kit. Children with verruca's will need to wear a verruca sock and children with long hair should have it tied up or wear a swimming cap.

All children need a packed lunch and a healthy snack on swimming days. A water bottle is also required.

Arundel Swimming Dates

Tues 17th May 2022 - NO SWIMMING

Tues 24th May - 1.00-2.00pm

Tues 7th June 2022 - 1.00-2.00pm

Tues 14th June 2022 - 1.00-2.00pm

Bamburgh Class will begin swimming lessons on Tuesday 21st June 2022.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

EYFS - Year 4

Autumn/Spring Term

School Logo White Polo Shirt (Blue for EYFS only)
Navy Blue Jumper/Cardigan with School Logo
Charcoal Grey Trousers or Grey Skirt
Grey or White Plain Ankle Socks
Black Sensible School Shoes - No Boots or Fashion Shoes/
Trainers

Summer Term

School Logo White Polo Shirt (Blue for EYFS only)
Charcoal Grey Shorts or Skirt/Blue Summer Dress
Grey or White Ankle Short Socks
Black Sensible School Shoes - No Boots or Fashion Shoes/
Trainers

Year 5 and Year 6

Autumn/Spring Term

Navy Blue Jumper/Cardigan with School Logo
Plain White Shirt (Long or Short Sleeve)
School Tie
Charcoal Grey Trousers or Skirt
Grey or White Ankle Short Socks
Black Sensible School Shoes - No Boots or Fashion Shoes/
Trainers

Summer Term

Plain White Shirt (Short Sleeve)
School Tie
Charcoal Grey Shorts or Skirt
Grey or White Plain Short Socks
Black Sensible School Shoes - No Boots or Fashion Shoes/
Trainers

PE Kit (All Years)



Lime Green Logo Polo Shirt
Navy/Black Shorts
Trainers
White Plain Short Ankle
Socks



Navy Blue or Black Tracksuit Bottoms & a Navy hooded top for Sports activities
Drawstring PE Bag

UNIFORM SUPPLIER

Our Nine Acres Uniform is available from Kids and Co in Ryde. Please ensure your child has the correct uniform and PE kit and sensible black school shoes.

STAFF CAR PARK

Please refrain from parking in the staff car park. This car park is for staff and agreed visitors to the school. Parking permits for Chapel Street car park are available from the school office.

