



4th October 2024

Dear Families,

What an incredibly busy week it has been this week for Team Binstead! So many wonderful additions to our children's wider curriculum!

Firstly, on Monday Mrs Mitchell, Miss Watkin and myself held a Phonics information event for our Reception Parents. Thank you so much to everyone who was able to come along to hear about how we teach your children to read, and how you can best help them on this journey at home too. For those of you unable to attend, I know Mrs Mitchell has put lots of information into your children's book bags, please do come and ask if you have any questions at all. We're here to help you to help your children as much as possible on their reading journey.

On Monday evening, a team of year 5 and 6 children took part in the PEACH Games Tag Rugby festival at Ryde Academy. This involved showing off the skills they had been practicing in PE in a number of Rugby challenges. The children worked amazingly well as a team and showed a great attitude throughout the festival. Well done to everyone involved.

On Tuesday our Year 3 and 4 football team had their first game of the school year against Oakfield Primary. It was a brilliant, all - round team performance from all involved and a well deserved victory for Team Binstead. The most encouraging part was the selflessness of the team, always looking to bring their teammates into the game above themselves. Well done everyone!

On Wednesday Year 1 went out into the local area to find out all about the features of Binstead around the school. The children were exceptionally behaved, had a wonderful time and were an absolute credit to themselves and the school. Thank you also for the volunteers who came along to support as well.

On Wednesday evening it was lovely to see so many new faces at the Friends meeting. LOTS of plans being made for the upcoming year to raise much needed funds for the children in school. If you were unable to attend and want to know more, feel free to come and ask me more about what it entails and how you might be able to help. ALL and ANY help is appreciated.

Thursday saw Years 2, 3 and 4 walk to Ryde School to take part in the Isle of Wight Literary Festival. They met both local and national authors, heard all about how to write a story, the characters and illustrations and thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Thank you again, to the volunteers (of which there were many!) for supporting the children and enabling us to join in with such a fantastic opportunity.

Thursday after school saw an action - packed game of football for the Girl's U11 team. This time playing local rivals, Haylands. After some fantastic passing and build up play, the score finished 9 -2 to Binstead. Credit goes to Haylands too for showing resilience right to the end of the match, and well done to our fantastic girl's team.

Today our children are looking forward to presenting their rehearsed class poems in our Celebration Assembly. I cannot wait to hear the poems they have chosen and listen to them being performed!

Good luck to our Mixed U11 Football team playing Greenmount tonight!

After such a busy Team Binstead week, I hope you all have a wonderful weekend.

Mrs Rebecca Chessell

ATTENDANCE

WITH EFFECT FROM 19 AUGUST 2024

WHAT THE NEW RULES MEAN FOR ME

I'm a single parent of one child and we want to go on holiday for a week.

Your holiday will not be authorised and you must talk to the school before you book anything.

Because your child will miss 5 school days you will be given a penalty notice fine.

The fine is £160 but if you pay it in 21 days it will be reduced to £80.

1

£160



FOR EVERY CHILD A PENALTY IS GIVEN

2



+£160



+£160



+£160



+£160

4 children & 1 parent = £640

Reduced to £320 if paid in 21 days

3

10

IN

10

If your child is absent for 10 or more sessions in 10 weeks and their absences are unauthorised, the school will consider prosecution.

1

DAY =

2

SESSIONS

FOR A FAMILY OF TWO PARENTS

4



+£160



+£160



+£160



+£160



4 children & 2 parents
= £1280

Reduced to £640
if paid in 21 days

If in any period of not more than 3 years, your child has a 2nd and 3rd leave of absence or pattern of irregular attendance...

5



2ND TIME

2 parents and...

1 child - £320

2 children = £640

3 children = £960

4 children = £1280

No discount for
early payment

3RD TIME

A penalty notice fine will not be given.

Your case will be taken to court.

A magistrate can fine each parent
£2500 for each child.

1 parent & 4 children = £10,000

2 parents & 4 children = £20,000



FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT



[gov.uk/government/publications/working-together-to-improve-school-attendance](https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/working-together-to-improve-school-attendance)

 **MOUNTBATTEN GO YELLOW**
FRIDAY 11TH OCTOBER

MAINS
FISH FINGERS
QUORN DIPPERS

SIDES
CHIPS
SWEETCORN
BAKED BEANS

DESSERT
LEMON CAKE

**FOR EVERY MEAL SOLD TODAY - 10P PER MEAL
 WILL BE DONATED TO THE EARL MOUNTBATTEN
 HOSPICE.**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

*MENU SUBJECT TO CHANGE



FUN ACTIVITIES
FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE
WITH DISABILITIES AND/OR ADDITIONAL NEEDS

SHORT BREAKS

DOWNLOAD A FREE PROGRAMME!

FREE TO JOIN*

WINTER 2024
 PROGRAMME AVAILABLE FROM 10W.GOV.UK/SHORTBREAKS

*There is a small charge for most activities



**Ryde Academy
 Open Evening**

**October 9th
 4:00pm - 7:00pm**




Parent Presentations 5:00pm and 6:00pm



**RYDE SAINTS FC GIRLS
 FOOTBALL**

**FOR ALL GIRLS IN SCHOOL
 YEARS 2,3 AND 4
 THURSDAYS 6-7PM AT
 SMALLBROOK ASTRO (Ashey Road,
 PO33 4BH)**



Contact jaydenfrankling@gmail.com with any questions