



22nd November 2024

Dear Families,

It has been a busy week here for Team Binstead as many of the classes have been undertaking their assessments. The children have all done so well with recalling their learning and applying it within the context of the assessments, and we are very proud of them. These assessments help our teachers to find any gaps, support their planning of future learning and inform our teachers assessments throughout the year.

Year 6 enjoyed going to watch the Big Screen adaptation of Kensuke's Kingdom on Wednesday. They were all extremely well behaved and super ambassadors for Team Binstead. Well done Year 6! On their return, whilst discussing the differences between the book and the film, it was collectively decided that although they all enjoyed watching the film, the book was better on many points as it allowed them to form their own images in their mind :)

It has, thankfully with the changeable weather, been a quiet sporting week for Team Binstead. Tonight is the only match of the week which will see our U11 football team take on Newport CofE at home. Good luck to them all! Next week have a mixed U11 match and Indoor Athletics coming up. I will look forward to updating you all next week.

Many of you will have already seen on Class Dojo, that our School Council have decided they would like the school to take part in the Foodbank's Reverse Advent Calendar. This is such a lovely opportunity for our community to get behind. The Foodbank is such an important community resource, that we regularly refer families to for help and support in times of need. Please give generously to this cause if you are able to. Please see the list on Class Dojo for the items much needed by the Foodbank. These can be dropped into the school office at any time. Thank you all in advance for your support with this.

Finally, just a reminder from me to be aware of our neighbours as you are parking and travelling around the school please. We have had reports recently of cars blocking driveways and parking on pavements blocking any children getting safely to school. Thank you for your support with keeping our community and children as safe as possible on their way to and from school.

Have a wonderful weekend everyone and stay safe with the predicted storm on its way.

Thank you as always for your continued support.

Best wishes, Mrs Rebecca Chessell

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Week 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Macaroni Cheese	Beef Burger Potato Wedges	Roast Gammon Roast Potatoes	BBQ Chicken Pizza	Fish fingers
Option 2	Cheesy Bean Burrito	Quorn Burger	Roast Quorn	Meatless Feast Cheesy Pizza	Veggie Fingers
Dessert	Flapjack with fruit	Apple Crumble and custard	Rice Pudding	Raspberry Jelly	Chocolate Brownie

Cheese, Beans or Cheese and Beans Jacket potato, tomato pasta, yoghurt and fruit available daily

Attendance 14.11.24 – 20.11.24

EYFS: 90.3% Year 1: 91.3%
 Year 2: 97.9% Year 3: 92.3%
 Year 4: 94.3% Year 5: 94%
 Year 6: 94.5% Whole School 93.5%

Whole School Target: 97% +

Total learning lost due to lateness— 4 hour 6 minutes



If your child is absent from school, please email or phone the office by 9.30am . Telephone calls must be confirmed in writing within 7 days or the absence will be coded as unauthorised.

Children arriving between 8:55 and 9:15 will be coded as 'Late'. Arrivals after 9:15 are coded as an 'unauthorised absence' for the session.

If they have a medical appointment and are going to be late, please also let us know and tell us if they would like a school meal ordered.

Friends Events



Fill the jar fundraiser

We are now under way

with a fun little ongoing fundraiser...

Collect one of the cute little jars from the office & fill it with silver coins or even a note. You can get £1.95 of 5ps in one jar as an example.

It's been suggested you set your child a challenge or chore & once completed, some pennies go in the jar for friends of Binstead school.

We are asking filled jars to be returned the week of the Christmas fayre with a chance to win a prize! You must give your name to Mrs Roach or Mrs Lewis when

THE FRIENDS OF BINSTEAD
PRIMARY SCHOOL'S...

CHRISTMAS FAYRE

FRIDAY 13TH DECEMBER
3.30PM - 5.30PM

COME ALONG AND JOIN US FOR
SOME FESTIVE FUN!
ROLLIN PIZZA!
RAFFLE, SWEET TOMBOLA,
PRIZE GAME STALLS, CRAFTS
DELICIOUS HOMEMADE CAKES,
PICK & MIX, TREATS AND MUCH
MORE...

This is a Friends of Binstead Primary school Fundraiser
HAZELMERE AVENUE, BINSTEAD PO33 3SA
FriendsOfBinsteadSchool@hotmail.com

BINGO NIGHT & RAFFLE

**SATURDAY 14TH DECEMBER
7PM START**

BINSTEAD COMMUNITY CENTRE

TICKET SALES FROM 6.15PM TO 6.45PM
£10 PER BOOK OF 6 GAMES
YOU CAN WIN PRIZES, ALCOHOL & CASH!
RAFFLE PRIZE DONATIONS WOULD BE GREATLY
APPRECIATED!

**COME ALONG AND SUPPORT OUR FUNDRAISER
FOR BINSTEAD PRIMARY SCHOOL**

FRIENDSOFBINSTEADSSCHOOL@HOTMAIL.COM
REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER - 1187901

We are School Council and we would like to get involved with the Isle of Wight Foodbank's Reverse Advent Calendar. It is called this because instead of receiving something you give instead. We would love it if you brought in an item from the list attached and left it in the box by the office by Wednesday 27th November.

Thank you for your donations, they will make someone's Christmas merry and joyful.



1 HOT CHOCOLATE	2 ANGEL DELIGHT	3 TINNED VEG	4 GRAVY GRANULES
5 PACKET / TUBS / CHOCOLATE	6 TRIFLE MIX	7 FRUIT JUICE / SQUASH	8 LONG LIFE MILK
9 CRANBERRY SAUCE	10 CHUTNEY	11 TINNED / PACKET CUSTARD	12 SAVOURY CRACKERS
13 PICKLE (SWEET / ONIONS / GHERKINS)	14 STUFFING	15 CHRISTMAS PUDDINGS	16 FIZZY DRINKS (NOT ENERGY)
17 BISCUITS	18 STOLLEN / YULE LOG / PANETTONE	19 CHOCOLATES / SELECTION BOXES	20 CURRY SAUCE
21 PACKET RICE 500G / 1KG	22 CRISPS / PRETZELS / TWIGLETS	23 PART BAKED BREAD ROLLS (JAN 25 EXP. DATE)	24 MINCE PIES (EXP. AFTER CHRISTMAS)



Dates for your diary

November

- 28th Last swimming session Year 3
- 29th Pre-loved Christmas Jumper Sale 3:10

December

- 3rd Pre-loved Christmas Jumper Sale 3:10
- 6th Wear a Christmas Jumper over school uniform and bring sweets or chocolates for Christmas Fayre
- 6th Merry and Bright Lantern Parade
- 13th Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day (wear over school uniform)
- 13th Christmas Fayre 3:30-5:30pm
- 16th Christmas Play dress rehearsal
- 18th Christmas Plays at 1:30 and 6pm
- 19th Christmas Dinner (must be booked by 27th November)
- 19th Christmas Play at 6pm
- 20th Break up

January

- 6th School Starts



The Wight Brainy Bunch Christmas Market at Ryde Fire Station

Saturday 30th November 10am - 4:30pm

**Magical Grotto • Kids Craft Corner
Inflatable Snow Globe**

Turning on of Ryde Fire's Christmas Lights at 4:30pm

**Live Entertainment
Seasonal Stalls
Festive Refreshments**






RYDE & DISTRICT ROUND TABLE PRESENTS

SANTA DASH

2024

DECEMBER 01 2 km or 5 km
1st December at 10am
Start / Finish at Ryde Superbowl

Pre-book your discounted tickets now at ticketebo.co.uk/iowsantadash
Children: £7.50* | Adults: £17.50* | Family of 4: £45.00*

PROUDLY RAISING MONEY FOR ISLAND CHARITIES

Mountbatten **FYFEY**



*Children must be under 18 - Booking fees apply - Entry on the day will incur slightly higher fees - Only 1 dog per adult/ family. See Facebook page or ticketing website for all event details. Santa suits are provided.

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New Carnival Presents

Merry & Bright Festival of Light

Lantern Parade 6-7pm
Fri 6th Dec 5-8pm
RYDE TOWN

FREE Entertainment
Music
Performance
Illuminations
Craft Market
Digital Graffiti
Games
Craft Activities


