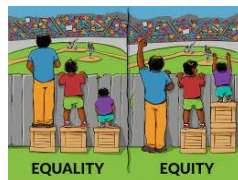




Head Teacher Update

It has been Anti Bullying week this week which is an incredibly important factor in school life. I am very proud of the behaviour of our children but of course we cannot get complacent in anyway and we need to ensure that children are taught about what bullying is and how to deal with it if it happens to them at any stage in their future lives. We are trying to teach children to be caring people who respect each other. This week we have taught the children about a number of things including a big focus on equality and equity.



It is really important that children have this understanding that some people have different needs to others and need additional help. However, it is also important that there is equality too which is what we work on, on a daily basis.

As you know we are also trying to develop children's understanding of diversity and again the knowledge, understanding and awareness of our diverse community and world. I have also added some information about how we use ear defenders in school. I have seen an increase in the number of children who are requesting them, but I feel that this a trend rather than a need as it is not a fashion item!

I was incredibly proud of Erin, Luca, Emilia and Isabella who represented the School last Saturday at the West Parley Remembrance Service. They read beautifully and again showed that respect for those who gave their lives.

Unfortunately we had to postpone a cross country running event this week in partnership with Hampreston First School. We hope to rearrange this with more schools in the future along with a number of different events we have planned for the coming year.

As you know Mrs Leith is due to start her maternity leave in a few weeks when we finish at Christmas. Miss Woodward will begin in January but will also be working alongside Mrs Leith in the next few weeks to build those positive relationships with the children and begin to plan with Mr Wakelin for when she starts after Christmas.

We are looking forward to the Christmas Market next Friday. You will see today that we are going to trial a new online raffle this year. We really hope that this is successful so we can use it again in future events. I appreciate that it is Children in Need today but I have made the decision not to have too many fundraising events, however I would say that the money we raise as a school will always go to improving lives for our Children, some of which are not as fortunate as others.

Traffic Concerns

A number of parents have approached the school deeply concerned about the behaviour of motorists in the school vicinity. I know we are concerned about this really often, but it does seem to have become much more problematic now that there are road works happening at what feels, every junction leading to the school. I do take the dog out each morning at 6:00am and the top speed I have noted on the new device has been 48mph!

The school has no authority over the roads outside it's boundaries. This is deeply frustrating and we regularly communicate with councillors about this. However, we are only one letter. More notice might be given to the issue if more letters were received by councillors expressing concern. In the past, Councillors and MPs have visited our schools to better understand the issues at hand. This has been due to local residents bringing issues to their attention.

If you were able to write to our MP, stating your concerns, that would really support the school and their concern about road safety around our site.

Please address your letters to Sir Christopher Chope, 37 Bargates, Christchurch BH23 1QD or at The House of Commons, London, SW1A 0AA

You can also email chopec@parliament.uk

Your support would be hugely appreciated.

I hope you all have a great weekend.

John Bagwell - Headteacher

Diary Dates

Link to Key Dates

Fri 24th Nov	Non School Uniform Day
Fri 24th Nov	Christmas Market 5 - 7pm
Wed 29th Nov	Year 4 Avon Tyrrell Zoom Meeting 5pm
Thurs 14th Dec	Christmas Lunch

Deadlines

Mon 15th Jan	Applications for Middle School / Starting School September 2024
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Breakfast & After School Club bookings must be made on ParentMail 7 days before the date you wish to book.

Please ensure bookings are made in advance to avoid disappointment.

School Attendance

Whole School - 95.7%

YR - 94.7%

Y1 - 95.0%

Y2 - 95.7%

Y3 - 96.2%

Y4 - 96.8%

The school day begins at

8.45am.

Gates open at 8.30am

POPS Reminders for Next Week

POPS are very excited and looking forward to next Friday 24th November for our Christmas Market. We hope to see as many of you as possible there from 5-7pm. We have a few reminders for next week:

Raffle - Our raffle is being run differently this year. Simply click on this link below. This will take you straight to the raffle tickets where you can purchase as many as you like for £1 each. Payment is super simple too as Apple Pay and Google Pay are accepted. Good Luck! <https://camcomps.co.uk/product/parley-firt-school-christmas-raffle/> Prizes are:



Non School Uniform Day - Friday 24th November will be a Non School Uniform Day in exchange for bottle donations for one of our stalls at the Christmas Market.

Christmas Parley Pots - POPS invite all the children to decorate a recycled, clean, lidded jar in a festive theme (see examples below). Fill them with sweets and bring them in on the morning of 24th November. Please remember to name your pots as there will be a prize in each year group for the creative flare, chosen by the 'teachers panel'. All pots will be sold for £1 on our stall at the Christmas Market. Get creative and have fun.



Cakes - For all our keen bakers out there, plates will be coming home today to fill with festive cookies and/or cakes! They are welcomed on the morning of 24th November ready for our cake market stall.

Bidding Wall - There are some amazing donations for this year's Bidding wall. For those that are new to the Bidding Wall, it's very simple, a list of items up for grabs can be seen on POPs FaceBook page, which is updated regularly. The bids will close at 7pm on Friday 24th November. Email parleypops@hotmail.com to place your bid. You will need to email your contact details and note the lot number you are bidding on. Best of luck!

POPS CHRISTMAS BIDDING WALL

1. Falmer Palmers Family entry to for 4 Value: £80	2. Pro point Physio 45 min sports massage	3. Hurn Autos Ltd Car service up to value of £200	4. Absolute Beauty Ferndown Templespa facial Value: £40
5. Ferndown Leisure Family swim voucher	6. Danny Thomas Coaching Academy	7. Redwood Aesthetics	8. St Reflexology
9. Macey's Bakes Batch of 6 homemade cupcakes	10. Personalised Elf Arrival Balloon	11. Well Heeled Ferndown £10 Voucher	12. Carpet Barn £75 Voucher
13. Vicky at 30 Gel Manicure	14. The Forest Inn Breakfast for 2 with hot drinks	15. Ferndown Forest Golf 4 ball of golf	16. Pear at Parley £30 voucher
17. Cloud 9 Ferndown Aromatherapy Massage	18. Go Ape £100 voucher	19. Moors Valley Annual Parking voucher	20. Moors Valley Annual Parking voucher
21. Moors Valley Family Train ticket passes	22. Moors Valley Family Train ticket passes	23. Moors Valley A Round of Golf	24. Picture This Personalised Framed Name
25. Ultraheat Boiler Service Value: £84	26. Beauty by Laura Ferndown 30 min Facial & 30 min neck and shoulder massage	27. Netball Stars 1 space for Netball skills workshop	28. Rippa Rugby 1 player place Feb half term 3 ball camp
29. Rippa Rugby 1 player place Feb half term 3 ball camp	30. Anytime Fitness Ferndown 3 months gym membership	31. Hall and Woodhouse Angel Inn £50 Voucher	32. First Plaice Fish and Chips Regular Cod and Chips for 2
33. Aroma Café £10 Voucher	34. Wessex Country Gammons Meat Hamper Value: £80	35. The Curlew Parley Meal for 2 up to value £50	36. Sleepzee Pair of Anti Allergy Pillows RRP £45

Christmas Meal

HC3S, are offering a Christmas Lunch menu. We will be offering this to our children on **Thursday 14th December**. As usual, the children can chose what they would like on the day, in the morning. You can view the full menu on page 3 of this newsletter.

Mental Health in Schools Team Workshop

The Mental Health in Schools Team (MHST), are able to provide Parents and Carers with a range of strategies to help support challenging behaviours in the form of workshops. The workshops would be held here at Parley and run over a period of 6 consecutive weeks, lasting for approximately 1 hour per session.

Please follow this link to highlight your interest in attending the parent workshops.

[MHST Parent 6 week workshops](#) Please complete this by Friday 1st December.

Community News



Parley First School
Christmas Market

A variety of food and drink stalls.
Fun for all the family!
This is an outdoor event.

5-7 PM Friday
24th November

External non-refreshment stalls required. £10 per plot.
Contact us at parleypops@gmail.com for more information.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH
Thursday 14th December 2023

Turkey Breast
Cocktail Pork Sausage
Or
Vegetable Wellington Vg
Meat-Free Sausage (half) Vg

★★★

On the Side
Roast Potatoes
Stuffing Ball
Garden Peas
Baton Carrots
Brussel Sprouts
Gravy

★★★

Pudding
Christmas Iced Biscuit
Or
Fruit Salad

Did your child miss out on their school photography session this year?

Open to individuals, siblings, and families
All you need to bring is a smile
You will receive proofs of your images to order online
WE ARE HOLDING 2 SESSIONS IN 2 LOCATIONS

Tuesday 5th December at Merley Community Centre
AND
Thursday 7th December at Corfe Mullen Village Hall

When?
Tuesday 5th December from 4.45pm to 7.00pm
Thursday 7th December from 3.30pm to 6.45pm

Where?
Please call the Fraser Portraits office on **01202 692433** (Option 2) to book in!

Tuesday 5th December
Merley Community Centre, Harrier Drive, Wimborne, BH21 1XE

Thursday 7th December
Corfe Mullen Village Hall, 25 Towers Way, Corfe Mullen, BH21 3UA

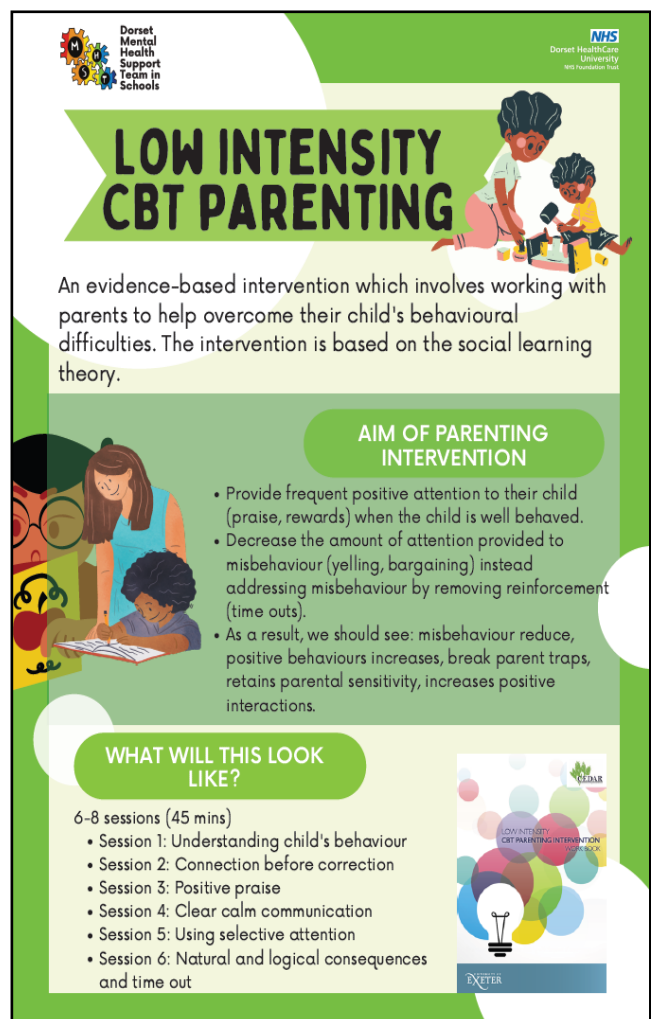


ISMAA KARATE

Christmas promotion for new Little Ninjas at Bourne Academy, Muscliff Primary, Parley First School and St Ives & St Leonards Community Centre Karate Clubs

First 3 sessions only £5 and a FREE suit if you want to join after the 3 sessions.

Web: <https://www.ismaakarate.co.uk/>
Email: shaunismaauk@gmail.com
Tel: 07536 077001



LOW INTENSITY CBT PARENTING

An evidence-based intervention which involves working with parents to help overcome their child's behavioural difficulties. The intervention is based on the social learning theory.

AIM OF PARENTING INTERVENTION

- Provide frequent positive attention to their child (praise, rewards) when the child is well behaved.
- Decrease the amount of attention provided to misbehaviour (yelling, bargaining) instead addressing misbehaviour by removing reinforcement (time outs).
- As a result, we should see: misbehaviour reduce, positive behaviours increases, break parent traps, retains parental sensitivity, increases positive interactions.

WHAT WILL THIS LOOK LIKE?

6-8 sessions (45 mins)

- Session 1: Understanding child's behaviour
- Session 2: Connection before correction
- Session 3: Positive praise
- Session 4: Clear calm communication
- Session 5: Using selective attention
- Session 6: Natural and logical consequences and time out