



PARLEY NEWSLETTER

SPRING TERM 2026

FRIDAY 13TH MARCH



Southern
Education
Trust

PEARDROPS

- Bookings for Summer 1 are now open on ParentMail so you can book sessions from Monday 13th April to Friday 22nd May. Please ensure childcare voucher payments are made within 7 days of booking.
- Fees for manually booked sessions via the office are invoiced on ParentMail so please check to ensure all fees are cleared.
- As per previous Newsletters, if you need to book your child in for Breakfast or After School Club on Friday 27th March, please ensure you have contacted the office to do so as there is a technical fault with this date and all bookings need to be made manually.
- Please be reminded that from after the Easter holidays, After School Club will now only run until 5.00pm on a Friday.

PARENT CONSULTATIONS

Parent Consultations will take place in school on Wednesday 18th and Thursday 19th March from 4.00 - 7.00pm. Please login to ParentMail to book your session(s) if you haven't already done so.

Face to Face sessions will be held between 4.00 and 6.00pm and online sessions via Zoom will be held between 6.00 and 7.00pm. This applies to both evenings.



DIARY DATES



Wed 18th Mar & - Parent
Thurs 19th Mar Consultations

Fri 20th Mar - Non School
Uniform Day

Wed 25th Mar - POPS Second
Hand Uniform
Sale 3pm

Fri 27th Mar - Last day of term

Mon 13th Apr - Return to School

Mon 4th Mar - Bank Holiday

NON - SCHOOL UNIFORM DAY

On Friday 20th March the children are invited to come to school dressed in non-school uniform in exchange for a £1 donation to POPS. Donations can be made on the gate at drop off or children can give their donation to their teacher. Thanks for your continued support.

LAST DAY OF TERM

On the last day of term, Friday 27th March, children can be collected at the earlier time of 1.30pm to align with the middle school. Please note the school day will continue to run until 3.00pm as usual. Please inform your child's class teacher if you are intending to collect them at the earlier time. We politely request that you either collect your child at 1.30pm or 3.00pm and not in between these times. This helps us to reduce disruption as much as possible for the children who are remaining in school until the end of the day. Thank you very much for your cooperation with this.

HEADTEACHER UPDATE

Although this half term is a really short one due to the positioning of Easter, it is also incredibly busy. Last week we had the children learning about everything 'Bike' and this week we have had Cricket workshops. Perhaps it was in a vain attempt to prolong the good weather. The children in Key stage 2 really enjoyed these sessions and I know it has inspired some of them to try and join clubs outside of school too which is always a positive thing.

Our Year 3 children also enjoyed a fantastic day of Drama on Tuesday in the hall with a specialist Theatre Company specifically linked to their topic, in a sensitive way of course. These experiences are really important for our children to gain both confidence, but also knowledge through very practical learning opportunities. I hope that the children had a great day and enjoyed the variety of learning experiences. We also had a number of headteachers visiting this week from across the Trust to work with us in partnership to continue to try and improve our learning opportunities for our children. We have also welcomed visitors from the Local Authority to share the work we are doing with them in order for them to share with schools across Dorset and BCP.

We have changed our Management Information System that manages the children's information from SIMS to Arbor which I feel is a positive move forward and I have already seen a real difference for us. However, we can also make it live to you now so you can update your details quickly and without too much time being spent. So things like allergies, or possibly a change of address can be done easily. The plan is to use the system more widely for things like bookings for Parent Consultations and Peardrops. This system is also being used at the Middle school so hopefully it will be a smooth transition for you as parents.

We are looking forward to seeing you all next week at our Parent Consultations. Just a little reminder that the hall will be out of use as we have clubs running in there after school. We will have signs up that will show you the way to your child's classroom. Thank you also to Miss Chapman's parents for being so flexible as we adapt the working patterns for her as she nears her due date. I have got to keep her going for as long as possible! Mrs Knight and Mrs Lake have already begun the transfer for after the Easter Holidays.

Thank you very much to POPS again this week for organising and running the Mother's Day Wrapping Room. It is another real experience for the children, directly linked to their learning in Maths whilst also giving them a sense of ownership and management of money. Hopefully all of you Mum's will be spoilt on Sunday! You deserve it!

Thank you in advance to all of the children and their parents for their support of the Mothering Sunday Service on Sunday at St Marks Church. It is always a lovely service and our children will represent the school by singing as a choir.

Have a lovely weekend!

Mr Bagwell
Headteacher

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Whole School - 95.7%

Year R - 95.7%

Year 1 - 96.0%

Year 2 - 96.4%

Year 3 - 94.8%

Year 4 - 96.0%

COMMUNITY NEWS



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EASTER MULTI-SPORT DAYS

Dates
Tuesday 31st March
Wednesday 1st April
Thursday 2nd April
Tuesday 7th April
Wednesday 8th April
Thursday 9th April

What to Bring
• A refillable water bottle
• Packed lunch and snack
• Swimming kit
• Weather-appropriate clothing
(Please ensure sun cream is applied before arrival and children bring a hat.)

Time
9:00am - 3:00pm

Pricing
£23 for the first day booked
£18 for any additional days
(Discount applies only when bookings are)

How to Book
Visit our friendly reception team or call 01202 877468



BOURNEMOUTH ELECTRIC FC

BOURNEMOUTH ELECTRIC FOOTBALL CLUB

BOURNEMOUTH ELECTRIC FC IS LOOKING FOR EXPERIENCED PLAYERS TO BE PART OF A FUN, FRIENDLY & COMPETITIVE TEAM, COME AND JOIN OUR OPEN DAY!

29th April
6th May
13th May
20th May
6pm to 7pm

U9s & U10s
Current school years 4 & 5
Trials: 6pm to 7pm

U9s & U10s GIRLS FOOTBALL TRIALS

Bournemouth Electric Club, 1 Broadway Lane, BH9 0AA
Register your interest at BournemouthElectricFA@gmail.com



DORSET POLICE

Under 18 and want to drive one of these?

Then don't drive one of these!

Did you know that if you are caught riding an illegal e-bike/e-scooter, you could lose your driving licence before you pass your test?

Don't choose to lose. #OpThink



It is against the law to ride a privately owned e-scooter on any public road, pavement, or land such as parks.

You risk your scooter being seized, receiving a fine, and points on your driving licence. This can prevent you from obtaining your provisional, full licence, or delay both.

You are only allowed to ride them on private land with landowners' permission.

A legal e-bike (EAPC) must have a 250w motor and provide pedal assist only.

- It must not have a throttle.
- It must cut off at 15.5mph (25kph).
- You must be aged 14 or over to ride on the public road.
- The above does not require a driving licence or insurance.

Modifying bikes to exceed the above speed is illegal.

A non-compliant/modified e-bike requires registration, a driving licence, insurance, and a helmet. This means that they are essentially a moped. If your bike does not comply it cannot be used on a road without the above.

In the UK e-bikes exceeding the 15.5mph speed limit have not been legalised for road use.

If you ride a modified e-bike you risk serious injury or death, as the bike frame and brakes are not designed for such speeds.

For guidance, visit www.gov.uk and search **EAPC Standards** or scan the QR code

