

SURREY HILLS ALL SAINTS WEEKLY BULLETIN



11/10/26



Successes this week

HELLO YELLOW FOR YOUNGMINDS

This week, the whole school wore yellow to promote awareness of the importance of mental health.

The central messages shared were:

- talking to a trusted adult when you have a worry is important
- positivity is powerful in promoting good mental wellbeing. The children were introduced to a 'mood battery' and 'cloud of hope' as potential strategies.



SCHOOL COUNCIL

We recently held our first school council meeting and the focus was on safeguarding. The children were respectful of each other's ideas and made valuable contributions to our discussion.

I am looking forward to working with them this year as we strive to continually improve.



Attendance



In the summer term across our school, pupils were absent for a total of **531** days so typically, a child was absent for nearly a week between April and July. Learning is carefully sequenced and builds on what has been previously taught so this can have a significant impact on children's outcomes.

Thank you for your support and prioritising your child's attendance.

Collective Worship

SHARING

This week, we focused on the importance of sharing what we are fortunate enough to have - not just food at Harvest but a smile or our time with someone who may need it. I was so proud of the reflective and thoughtful contributions from the children.

We referred back to our school value of love and our vision - how we cannot flourish in isolation.



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Safeguarding

UNPRESCRIBED TREATMENTS

Please could we remind all families, in the interest of safeguarding, children should not bring any unprescribed treatments into school, for example, creams or sprays. Thank you.

EMERGENCY CONTACTS



If you have an urgent concern for the welfare of a child outside of the school day, for example, during a weekend, evening or holiday, please contact Children's Services (01483 517 898 or edt.ssd@surreycc.gov.uk) or the Police.



Inclusion

MEET THE SENCO TEAM

Miss Morgan & Miss Frost are looking forward to meeting parents informally on Friday to discuss all things 'SEND'. If you would like to join us, please let the office know.

ACTION PLANNING

Following the audit we undertook to evaluate our strengths and areas for development, this week we will be developing an action plan in conjunction with Whole Education, as part of a Trust-wide initiative. More details to follow soon.



Miscellaneous

REMINDERS

Thank you for your support at our book fair and for your harvest donations. Friday, 16th is the last day of school for this half-term.

We would like to wish all our families and staff a restful break and we look forward to welcoming everybody back on Monday, 2nd November.



BOOK
NOW

Rise & Shine club

Please could we kindly ask all bookings for Rise & Shine are made by 2pm on the previous school day to ensure we can allocate your child a space to avoid disappointment on arrival. Thank you.



Tracey's Community Bunt-a-thon

Be part of our Community Bunt-a-thon!

Check out our **How to Video** for making the flags - you can get hard copies of the pattern for free in the shop. Once we have enough flags they'll be sewn into bunting & hung around town.

If you want to know more about the Bunt-a-thon or find our how to make your own pattern in the right size, pop in, get in touch by phone or email or subscribe to our newsletter via our website!

Let's decorate Dorking with lovely sustainable bunting together!!!

Find out more and download templates:
traceyssewingroom.co.uk or circulardorking.org.uk

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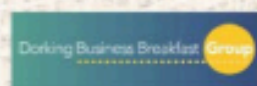
 [How to video](#)



A collaborative project for Dorking



Tracey's
sewing room
Repair • Alterations • Sewing classes
Reparation and mending in a home



JOIN DORKING BADMINTON CLUB

Junior coaching for ages 9-18 and all abilities



Progress from beginner to competitive match play



Badminton England qualified coaches



Established local club with a thriving junior section



Friendly, supportive and challenging sessions



Perfect for those considering badminton for GCSE or A-Level PE

Junior Sessions

School Years 5-8

Thursdays
4:30pm-5:30pm

Dorking Sports Centre

School Years 9-10

Wednesdays
6:00pm-7:00pm

The Ashcombe

School Years 11-13

Wednesdays
7:00pm-8:00pm

The Ashcombe

Join us for a free taster session

We are part of the Mole Valley Sports Club Access Scheme which provides grants to eligible young people to remove financial barriers to sports participation.

Register as a Junior Member or contact us through:

www.dorkingbadmintonclub.co.uk

