

The New Forest C of E (VA) Primary School

at Landford, Nomansland & Hamptworth

Newsletter

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Dear Parents/Carers,

As we move into the season of Advent we had our first taste of Christmas at the Christingle service on Sunday. It was a wonderful community service with representatives from the church, school, parish council and local people. The school choir represented the school at the event and sang beautifully. We were really pleased to welcome the Pre-school children who took part in our Christmas craft activities this week. We have many more school events planned for the next two weeks. The first being the school Christmas Fayre tomorrow at KS2. Again the choir will be singing and there will be lots of opportunities to buy presents for friends and family.

The KS1 children and staff are working very hard at the nativity play and they will have their first dress rehearsal on the 12th December to which any preschool children and their parents are invited to watch. The big day is Friday the 14th where we will be inviting the wider school community to enjoy the children perform 'Prickly Hay'. As this is the last nativity for the year 2 children we will be reserving the front two rows for their parents.

We held our School Improvement meeting on Thursday which was well attended by parents and governors. I have put the presentation slide on the website in the 'Ofsted' area, which you can access it at http://www.thenewforestschool.wilts.sch.uk/our-school/ofsted

There were many positives from the meeting but there are still things we need to work on. One of the areas that continues to worry parents is how well their child is progressing. These are some key things that might help you understand the process.

- There are three opportunities to discuss your child's progress each year October and March parent's evenings and in July's school reports.
- If the school feels that your child is not progressing as they would expect, then the teachers will contact parents to arrange a meeting.
- Pupil progress meetings that takes place 6 times a year with teachers, SENCo and Acting Head Teacher. We
 discuss every child and identify any needs we feel they might have anything significant would be discussed
 with parents.
- In reception Tapestry gives you a window into what is happening at school. Please do activate this account.
- Children's attainment is now measured within year, this is referred to as 'Age Related Expectations' and is
 measured as 'working towards', 'expected' and 'greater depth'. Progress is measured as 6 termly steps over
 the year and is analysed internally by the leadership team and monitored by the governors and our
 'Challenge and Support Partner'.
- Most importantly if you are not sure please do arrange to meet your child's teacher if you are concerned.
 They are always happy to clarify things.

As always the sport at the New Forest School is outstanding and this year is no exception as the football, hockey and netball teams have qualified for the County Finals, well done to all of those children.

If I don't see you at the fayre then I hope you have a great weekend with your family.

Caroline Whittaker
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Christmas events this week







school News

Polite Notice

Landford Village Hall own the car park at KS1 and they kindly allow us to use it. If it is not used considerately they are likely to ask us to stop using this facility. Please remember that on Monday afternoon the top car park is not in use for parents as it is being used by the community.



Please remember to let the school offices know by 9am if your child is not in school due to illness or any other reason.



Stay2Play will be closed on the 26th February 2019 due to staff training.

This term's 'Value for Life' is

Compassion

Our school values from the

Love, Joy and Peace

Fruit of the Spirit are

Stay2Play after school club is now full on a Tuesday & Thursday, the Mini-Bus from KS1 is also full on a Thursday so we are unlikely to be able

'Growing and Learning Together through Christian Values.'









Exeter House School

Invites you to a series of

Parents/Carers Workshops and

Information Sessions

during the academic year 2018-2019

Day Workshops: (9.30 - 2.00)

Mrs Wilkinson would

like to inform you of

these events which

are being held

locally.

- Behaviour support (16th December)
- Promoting Healthy Eating (27th March)
- Activities to promote sensory awareness (1st May)
- Outside Agency Support (19th June)

Morning or Evening Information Sessions;

(10.00 - 11.00 or 6.30 - 7.30)

- Teaching your child everyday Life-Skills (5th December)
- Sibling Support (6th February)
- Growing up and Puberty (6th March)
- Autism strategies (15th May)

All sessions are suitable for parents and carers of Children with significant SEND and/or Autism.

The sessions take place at Exeter House or St Marks Schools Somerset Rd, Salisbury, SP1 3BL

COST; All Sessions are FREE

For further Information contact

George Cooper, (Family Support Worker) 07825 397352

To Book email - ehbookings@sret.uk







The New Forest Church of England Primary School at Landford, Nomansland and Hamptworth.

Mid-day Supervisory Assistant Vacancy

We are looking to appoint a new Mid-day Supervisory Assistant to work at our Landford Site.

> 11.45am – 1.15pm 4 days per week Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday (term time only)

Salary from: £8.55 per hour

Start date: 7th January 2019

Closing date: Friday 14th December

For further information please telephone the school on: 01794 390380 or email: ks2@thenewforestschool.wilts.sch.uk

The New Forest Primary School at Landford, Nomansland and Hamptworth is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. All applicants will be subject to a full Disclosure and Barring Service check before appointment.







Lots of games for the kids,
Christmas Shopping, Tombolas,
Cakes, and much more!
Enjoy a glass of mulled wine
whilst the kids visit Father
Christmas in his grotto!



WE WILL BE RUNNING MINIBUSES FROM LANDFORD STORES AT 1.45 AND 3.00. ANOTHER RETURN BUS AT 5.00 PM





Please bake or buy a cake, any cake you like, this competition is all about the decoration, please decorate your cake as you would wish your Christmas Cake to be. Please bring along to the School Christmas Fayre on 8 December 2018 the competition will be judged by Emma Coleman and Pam.

There will be three sections:

KS1

KS2

Open to anyone

If you are going to enter could you please let us know so we know how many entries to expect heatherdunning@hotmail.co.uk and head your email Christmas Cake Bake Off.

It is free to enter, there will be a prize for each group and we will be doing a silent auction of the cakes during the Fair.

Please make a note of ingredients used for any allergies and put your name and group for the purpose of Judging.

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Your local Scout Group is looking for Trustees - Could this be you?

Our secretary and treasurer have decided it is time for them to step down from these important executive roles. Therefore, we are now looking for people who would like to take an active part in the group executive.

Both the secretary and treasurer have said that they have loved being an important part of the group, helping to shape and develop the future of our group. By being a trustee, you will find it both a challenging and rewarding way to support scouting.

Bring along your existing skills and develop some new ones, become part of a team that believes that Scouting is for all, that we are about developing young people to have skills for life.

There are role descriptions and more detailed guides on being a secretary and treasurer, plus a document on what it is to be a trustee, if you would like copies. Whoever takes on these roles will have the support of our Chairman, myself as Group Scout Leader, plus our leaders and support from the District and HQ.

There is a small amount of training that is required, this will introduce you to Scouting, our values and methods and the role of the executive. The other training is on General Data Protection. You will also have lots of time with our current secretary and treasurer to learn the roles first hand.

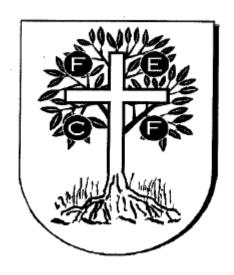
If you know of anyone that may also like to consider the roles, please do pass on the information, you do not need to be a scouting parent to be on the exec.

Maybe you were yourself in Scouting or Guiding and have fond memories of this time. There is still much to do, if you would like to know more please do contact me on

gsl@bramshawscouts.org.uk

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FOREST EDGE CHURCHES FELLOWSHIP



come and join us in our

Candlelit

Christmas Carol Singing

outside at

Nomansland Chapel

on

Thursday 20th December starting at 6.30pm

finishing with a supper for everyone inside Nomansland Chapel



Church Diary Dates - November 2018

Sunday 9 th	9.30am	Matins at Bramshaw (Stephen Ings)
	9.30am	Matins at Plaitford (Stephen Ings)
	11.00am	Holy Communion at Landford (David Bacon)
Sunday 16 th	11.00am	United Carol Service at Landford Methodist (David Bacon)
	3.00pm	Carol Service at Plaitford (David Bacon)
	6.00pm	Carol Service at Bramshaw (David Bacon)
Sunday 23 rd		No services
Monday 24 th	4.00pm	Tree Service at Plaitford (David Bacon)
Christmas Eve	6.30pm	Carols by Candlelight at Landford (David Bacon)
	11.00pm	Holy Communion at Bramshaw (David Bacon)
Tuesday 25 th	10.00am	Family Service and Communion at Bramshaw (Bill Rogers)
Christmas Day	10.00am	United Family Communion at Landford (David Bacon)
Sunday 30 th	11.00am	United Service at Landford Methodist

Diary Dates



Bold Text = new or changed date

December

- 10th Salisbury Schools Carol Service
- 14th KS1 Nativity Play Landford Village Hall
- 18th KS2 Carol Service St Andrews Church
- 20th Forest Thursday Woodside
- 21st Whole School Christmas Party
- 21st Christmas Holiday 21st December 4th January

January

- 7th First Day of term
- 11th Forest Friday Brambles

15th SEN Forum 2-3pm @ KS2

- 18th Forest Friday Hamptworth
- 25th Forest Friday Langley

February

- 1st Forest Friday Lyburn
- 6th Big Story Day
- 8th Forest Friday Oaks
- 15th Forest Friday Pines
- 15th Last Day of Term Half Term 18th 22nd February
- 25th First Day Term 4

March

- 1st Forest Friday Woodside
- 6th Spring Concert
- 7th World Book Day
- 8th Forest Friday Brambles
- 12th Parents Evening
- 14th Parents Evening
- 15th Forest Friday Hamptworth
- 15th Comic relief
- 22nd Forest Friday Langley
- 29th Forest Friday Lyburn
- 29th PTA Disco
- TBC PTA Spring Treasure Hunt

Diary Dates



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April

- 2nd Production Year 3 & 4 Bramshaw Village Hall
- 3rd Easter Service
- 4th Forest Thursday Oaks
- 5th Whole School Easter Service
- 5th Last Day of term Easter Holiday 8th 19th April
- 22nd Bank Holiday Monday
- 23rd Inset Day
- 26th Forest Friday Pines
- 30th Class Photos

May

- 3rd Forest Friday Woodside
- 6th Bank Holiday Monday
- 10th Forest Friday Hamptworth
- 13th SATS week 13-16th
- 17th Forest Friday Brambles
- 22nd Big Story Day
- 24th Forest Friday Langley
- 24th Last Day of term Half term 27th 31st May

June

- 3rd Inset Day
- 5th-7th Year 4 Residential
- 8th PTA Summer Fayre—Nomansland Green
- 10th Phonics Screening week
- 14th Forest Friday Oaks
- 21st Forest Friday Pines
- 28th Sports Day

July

- 2nd Production Year 5 & 6 Bramshaw Village Hall
- 5th Forest Friday Woodside
- 9th Move Up afternoon
- 12th Forest Friday Whole School
- 12th School Disco @ KS2
- 25th End of Year Service Landford Village Hall 9am
- 25th Last Day of term