



Witley C of E Infant School

Newsletter no. 31 – Summer Term

Friday 16th May 2025

Learn, love and flourish together
Our value this term is trust



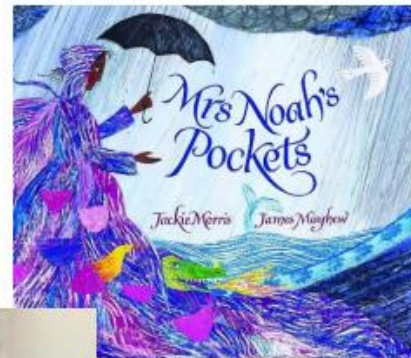
Target attendance for the Year 95%
This year's attendance is 95.3%

'Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another' Ephesians 4:32

Dear Parents/Carers and Children,

Year 1 Class assembly

Well done to Penguins class for their very musical assembly performed for their parents on Wednesday. Pupils retold the story of Mrs Noah's pockets with some very fancy props, singing and musical instruments.



Walk to School week

Walk to School Week is a five-day walking challenge organized by [Living Streets](#) annually, taking place from May 19th to 23rd, 2025. We are encouraging children to walk, cycle, or scooter to school as part of a larger initiative to promote sustainable and active travel to school. Hope the weather holds out for us all!

Boogie Pumps

Pupils were treated to a Boogie Pumps assembly last Friday and there are some free trials up for grabs, first come first served.

Our session: Every Wednesday (term time) 3.20pm - 4.20pm



If your child would like to take part please fill in this form:

<https://www.boogiepumps.co.uk/shop/free-trial/>

Finally, don't forget 'Little Saints' on Sunday, at All Saints Church, they have craft, songs, tea and cakes. See flyer further on in our newsletter.

Have a lovely weekend

Mrs Szczepanski and all the staff

Well done to the following children who are in our Gold Book this week!

Year R – Aidan, Lottie and Charlie W

Year 1 – Jacob and Dylan

Year 2 – Samson and Theo

Headteacher's Awards

Year R – Charlie Y Year 1 – Simone Year 2 - Chia

Cake Raffle

Thank you to the the Sneddon family who were star bakers!

Congratulations to Maddox and Rex in Penguins who both won a lemon drizzle cake!



Allergies: Please note some cakes are shop bought and some are homemade and therefore we cannot guarantee that they are nut free.

Have you changed your mobile number, home address or any other contact details?

Please update your details via Arbor. If you have any problems logging on or using Arbor please contact the school office.





Reception Class Meet-Ups 2025

Does your child start school this September?

The Hen House is hosting school starter meet-ups for local families joining infant and primary schools.

£10 per family, siblings welcome.

Includes 2 hour access to our soft play, role play, sensory and café area exclusively for children and parents of the school your child is going to.

A great chance for your little one to make friends ahead of their first day at school.

Head to our website and select 2025 School Starter Meet-up to book.

www.thehen-house.com

	9.30-11.30	12-2	2.30-4.30
Sat 19th July	Liphook Infants	Barrow Hills	St Ed's, Hindhead/St Hilary's
Sun 20th	TBC	Moss Lane	Farncombe Infants
Sat 26th	Grayswood Primary	Witley Infants	St Mary's, Shackleford

ALL SAINTS WITLEY SING HOSANNA

Sunday 18th May

11.30am

hot drinks and cakes

Songs, craft, story and
prayer

for all ages

Everyone welcome

Witley C of E Infant School

No need to book, just come along!

Family Open Day for parents and children starting school in September 2025 and 2026. A great chance for local families to get to know their school and explore our wonderful environment.

Our Early Years will be open, as well as our Forest School and pond dipping.

Church Lane, Witley, GU8 5PN
Call: 01428 682420
office@witley.surrey.sch.uk

OPEN DAY
SATURDAY
7TH JUNE
2025
2pm - 4pm

Learn, love and flourish together

Beating asthma together- parent and carers session 18th June 7.30-8pm

The Surrey Heartlands children and young people's team are hosting a half hour session for parents and carers enabling them to understand and take better control of their child's asthma. Let's tackle asthma head-on — together!

Understand what asthma *really* is
Spot the signs before they escalate
Learn what works – at home and in school
Build a solid action plan
Get expert answers to your questions

Clear. Practical. Life-saving.

Don't miss this chance to feel more confident and better prepared

[click here to book](#)

Surrey Heartlands
Children and Young People's Asthma Team
beating asthma together



Can we ask 'everyone', parents, carers and pupils to regularly check lost property? You will always get notice of a 'clear-out', but it's sad to see so much left behind which doesn't get claimed.

Please help yourself to any unnamed item and happy rummaging!

Calling all YEAR 2 girls interested in sport and keeping active! See flyer below.

Join us for a morning of multi-sports fun! Get active and develop agility, balance and coordination while making friends. This event is specially tailored for Year 2 girls who are excited about sport and keeping active.

Join us on **Friday 23rd May 2025, from 9.00 AM to 12 PM** at **St Catherine's Prep School**. Enjoy a day filled with multi-skills activities, fun races and new challenges. An excellent opportunity to learn in our beautiful grounds.

To reserve your spot today, please complete the booking form via the QR code below. Don't miss out on this fantastic **FREE** opportunity to enjoy a morning of multi-sports!

Our Club Leader is Lisa McGuigan,
Prep Director of Sport.



FREE EVENT
FOR GIRLS IN YEAR 2

MIGHTY MOVERS

MORNING OF MULTI SPORTS FOR GIRLS IN YEAR 2
23rd May 2025 | 9am - 12pm | St Catherine's School

Calling all Year 2 girls! Join us for an exciting Multi-Sports Morning filled with fun, fitness, and friendship.

WHAT TO EXPECT:

- Multi-skills activities to develop agility, balance, and coordination
- Fun races to test speed and teamwork
- A morning of energy, laughter, and new challenges

WHAT TO BRING:

- Sports kit and trainers
- A water bottle
- Loads of enthusiasm

Come along, get active, and enjoy a fantastic morning of sport. To sign up, please complete the Google Form tinyurl.com/mr3er5px



St Catherine's Prep, Bramley
GSA Day & Boarding School since 1885 | 3 - 18 years
stcatherines.info | prep.admissions@stcatherines.info

The play sand has arrived!

Thank you to everyone who helped on groundforce day and to our parents who contribute to FWS, who have bought the sand for our new playground sandpit. Below are some before and after photos of the planters and benches that had a new coat of paint at the weekend.

Year 1 have also been designing a sensory garden for the small patch of grass on the hill, they are planning a quiet reflective space for friends to chat. They are also researching about the sensory plants we could plant.





**4TH-
29TH
AUGUST**

SUMMER CAMP

**Open to all
children of
primary
school age**

9:00 - 3:00 PM - £30*

8:30 - 5:30 PM - £40*

8:00 - 6:00 PM - £46*

20% OFF IF YOU BOOK FOR THE ENTIRE WEEK!

WHAT TO EXPECT;

**SPORTS & GAMES, ARTS &
CRAFTS, COOKERY,
OPPORTUNITY FOR FREE
PLAY, PARK VISITS AND MORE!**



**LOCATION -
GRAYSWOOD
PRIMARY SCHOOL**

**Registration and
booking essential.
Places are limited.**

**EMAIL - CARE@THEHEN-HOUSE.COM
WWW.THEHEN-HOUSE.COM**

SCHOOL CALENDAR - [Witley C of E Infant School](#)

Please also check our 'new calendar' on our website for all school events.

DAY	DATE	ACADEMIC YEAR 2024 -25
Mon	19.05	Week beginning 19 th May is 'Walk to School' week. Get your walking shoes on!
Weds	21.05	New Year R starters September 2025 Parents Information Evening 7.30 - 8.30 pm in Dolphin Class
Fri	23.05	INSET DAY NO. 5
		MAY HALF TERM HOLIDAY 26 th – 30 th May 2025
Mon	02.06	First day of term
Sat	07.06	School Open Day for new families joining us in September and prospective parents September 2026 2 – 4 pm
Mon	09.06	Year 1 Phonics Screening Check (all week)
Mon	16.06	Year R Class Assembly in the Jubilee Hall at 2.15 pm followed by Open Classroom for ALL year groups 2.45 – 3.30 pm
Tues	24.06	Tuesley Farm Trip for Year R (details to follow)
Tues	01.07	Chichester Harbour Trip for Year 1 (details to follow)
Fri	04.07	Sayers Croft Trip for Year 2 (details to follow) There is no charge for this trip.
Mon	07.07	EYFS End of Year Reports issued
Weds	09.07	Sports morning for all year groups starting at 9.05 am and finishing approx. 9.50 am. Parents welcome.
Thurs	10.07	KS1 End of Year Reports issued
Tues	22.07	1.05 pm LAST DAY OF TERM. PLEASE NOTE EARLIER FINISH
DAY	DATE	ACADEMIC YEAR 2025 -26

Weds	03.09.25	INSET DAY NO. 1 – SCHOOL CLOSED
Th	04.09	Year 1 and Year 2 return at 8.45 am/EYFS Home visits
Fri	05.09	EYFS Home visits
Mon	08.09	EYFS – all children in until 1.10 pm
Tues	09.09	EYFS – all children in full time until 3.15 pm
Fri	24.10	Last day of term – finish at 3.15 pm
		HALF TERM – 27 October to 31 October
Mon	03.11.25	INSET DAY NO. 2 – SCHOOL CLOSED
Fri	19.12.26	Last Day of term – early finish at 1.05 pm.
Mon	05.01.26	INSET DAY NO. 3 – SCHOOL CLOSED
Th	12.02	Last day of term – finish at 3.15 pm
Fri	13.02	INSET DAY NO. 4 – SCHOOL CLOSED
Mon	23.02	First day of term
Fri	27.03	Last day of term – early finish at 1.05 pm