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Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to all parents/carers who attended the meet the teacher evenings last week. We hope you found them useful.

Our parents' evenings later this term will give you a chance to find out how well your child has settled and how they are progressing academically. Further details to follow.

As always, please get in touch with your class teacher in the first instance if there is anything you wish to discuss.

Best wishes,

Mr Harrison and Mrs Davies

Pond update

Last weekend, Tony and Tim, together with a team of keen volunteers from the Hayling Island Horticultural Society kindly cleared the pond of weeds and debris. It's now looking lovely and continues to be a safe haven for the school's wildlife. They plan to have another clean later this year and will be looking for volunteers to help. Please look out on the HIHS Facebook page for further details.



Hello Yellow

On the 10th October, children will be invited to wear an item of yellow clothing for a £1 donation to the Young Minds charity. The charity aims to support



children and young people with their mental health, providing information and training, resources and training and campaigning for activism.

<https://www.youngminds.org.uk/support-us/fundraising/helloyellow/>

Year 6 Football

On Wednesday afternoon, we were able to take 10 of our year 6 boys to compete in the first round of the Hampshire Primary Cup all the way in Petersfield. In what was hopefully the first of many matches this year, the boys ran out **7-1** winners with goals from Luke (2), Bailey (2), Riley (2) and Benny. There were great performances as well from the rest of the team: Finley, Trae, Neo, Harry, Frank and Blake. Well done, boys!

"It was a great opportunity to go and represent the school. I felt it was really enjoyable and we played brilliantly as a team!" Bailey.

Year 3 Macmillan Coffee Morning

Thank you to all of our year 3 families that attended our coffee morning, we raised a fantastic £217.40 for Macmillan!



Governors Corner

Introducing the Vice-Chair of Governors

'Hi, I'm Hannah Birch, I was born in South Africa and came to the UK in 1998. Since my time in the UK I've done numerous jobs ranging from being a Manager of a public house with my husband in Slough, becoming parents (still ongoing!) and now being the Deputy Manager at OSCA Childcare Limited. I'm very dedicated to my job, help in the community by running the

At Mengham Junior School we strive to be successful learners, healthy and confident individuals, responsible members of our community



Trailblazer



Community Fridge that is situated in the library foyer. I'm always available if you need to chat!

Headteachers' Awards

James Minter – responsible member of the community by showing care towards another pupil

Dates for your diary

Wed 4th, 11th & 18th Oct	Yr Harbour Trips
Fri 13th Oct	Alder Class Assembly
Wed 18th Oct	Y6 Height & Weight Check
Mon 23rd Oct-Fri 27th Oct	Half Term
Mon 18th Dec-Mon 1st Jan	Christmas Break
Tues 2nd Jan	INSET DAY
Mon 12th Feb-Fri 16th Feb	Half Term
Thur 28th Mar	INSET DAY
Fri 29th Mar	Good Friday
Mon 1st Apr-Fri 12th Apr	Spring Break
Mon 6th May	Bank Holiday
Mon 27th May – Fri 31st May	Half Term
Fri 21st June	INSET DAY
Mon 24th June	INSET DAY
Wed 24th July	Summer Break