

# The Buzz



## 23rd September 2022



Learning and Achieving Through  
Love, Courage and Respect

Dear parents, carers and children,

Monday saw the thousands of people all around the world watch the funeral of our late **Queen Elizabeth**. It was a very moving day that we will remember for years to come. We were very proud to find out that one of our ex-pupils, Angus Bellamy, was one of the Royal Navy sailors who pulled the gun carriage bearing the Queen's coffin. What an honour that must have been.



Last Saturday saw our annual **Round the Island Relay Race** against Nine Acres Primary School. For those taking part, and those following their progress on Facebook, it was a very exciting day! We were determined to win, and we are delighted to say that we won by over half an hour. A huge well done to all our runners as well as those who organised it (and it takes a lot of organising!), and a special thank you to Melissa Jones, Alan Jones and Lucy Brodie, who started at 4.35am and drove around the whole island supporting the runners. I hear that there were some nail-biting moments. Thank you, also, to those who sponsored the race. Almost £500 has been raised so far, and money is still coming in, so we can give you the final figures next week. Incredible!



Another money-raising event took place on Sunday. **Northcourt House** opened their gardens for people to admire, for which members of the BSA and other volunteers ran a tea and cake stall. An incredible £880 was raised. Any cakes that were left over were donated to The Food Bank. Thank you to all who helped on the day, and to those who donated cakes to the cause.



Yesterday, I took a group of six children to Lanesend Primary School for our first **Equality And Rights Advocates** meeting. We met children from other schools and learnt all about the UN's Convention on the Rights of the Child, which includes how important it is for children's voices to be heard. We also played a game that showed how important it is to listen to each other. These six representatives will feed back to the rest of the EARA group, before we will put an action plan together. We will keep you updated!

In last week's Buzz, I wrote about **emailing the school** and the best email addresses to use depending on whether your message is urgent or not. I would also like to ask parents to only email the school or the class teachers during working hours. I appreciate that the evenings may be the only time that you have available to send emails due to busy lives, so if you have the 'schedule send' option on your email account, then we would appreciate this. Thank you for your understanding in this matter.



Our second **'Share a Story'** session took place today in Honey Bee class. It was lovely to see so many parents come along to enjoy a book with their children. Ivy Bee class 'Share a Story' is taking place next Friday at 2.15pm. We are looking forward to seeing you there!

This morning, Boni presented certificates and medals to children who took part in the **Summer Reading Challenge** through Brighstone library. If your child took part at another library, they can bring in their certificate and medal during the 'community' Golden Worship in the last week of this half term, where we will celebrate their achievements.



Many thanks, and I wish you all a super weekend. Mrs Lennon and the Brighstone Team

## Collective Worship - Generosity

This week's Collective Worship focus is **'Giving Sacrificially'**.

This week, we acted out the story of The Generous Widow. In the story, other people gave handfuls of money to the temple, but they still had plenty of money left. The widow only gave two coins, but that was all she had to give, and she was left with nothing. Even though she only gave two coins, we saw that she was the most generous of them all.

Does generosity always have to be about money or can we be generous in other ways?



Do you just give what you don't really need for yourself or do you make sacrifices to give to others like the woman in the story?

### John Wesley Prayer

Dear Lord,  
Help us to be generous and  
Do all the good we can,  
By all the means we can,  
In all the ways we can,  
In all the places we can,  
At all the times we can,  
To all the people we can,  
As long as ever we can.  
Amen

"Love your neighbour as yourself." Mark 12.31

## School Dinners

Children in **Year R, 1 and 2** are entitled to a 'universal' **free** school meal everyday.

Children in Years 3-6 are charged at **£2.35** per day.

Week 3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Mac 'n' cheese	Chicken Noodles	Roast pork	Beef meatballs	Fish fingers
Option 2	Veggie sausages	Veggie Balls	Veg Pastry Slice	Quorn Hot Dog	Veggie Burger
Dessert	Oatie biscuit	Flapjack	Ice Cream	Choc cake	Crispy Bar

### Poetry Corner

## Acorn Haiku

Just a green olive  
In its own little egg-cup:  
It can feed the sky.

Kit Wright

Can you make up  
your own haiku?

A haiku is a type of poem that has:

- 5 syllables in the first line
- 7 syllables in the second line
- 5 syllables in the last line.



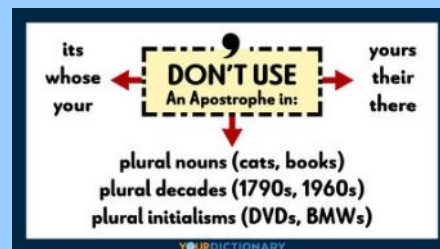
### Grammar and Spelling Matters

Each week we will include a mini grammar or spelling lesson so you know what your children are learning!

#### Punctuation

Apostrophes for possession.

Apostrophe Placement Rules	
<p><b>1</b> normal singular noun      add 's</p> <p>the <b>cat's</b> toy ✓</p> <p>a <b>day's</b> pay ✓</p>	<p><b>2</b> normal plural noun      add '</p> <p>the <b>cats'</b> toy ✓</p> <p>two <b>days'</b> pay ✓</p>
<p><b>3</b> singular noun ending s      add '</p> <p>Jesus' or Jesus's hand ✓</p> <p>Mr. Jones' or Mr. Jones's car ✓</p>	<p><b>4</b> plural noun not ending s      add 's</p> <p>the <b>people's</b> vote ✓</p> <p>a <b>men's</b> watch ✓</p>



#### Reminders

- All long hair should be tied back in **school colours**
- The **one-way system** is still in operation. Children can be dropped off at the front or back gates.
- Our **school gates** are open 8:20am - 8:25am and from 2:40pm
- **No branded** (Adidas, Nike etc) clothing items permitted
- Packed lunches should **not contain chocolate** items or any food containing **nuts**
- Jumpers and cardigans should be **NAVY** blue
- Trousers or shorts should be **grey**
- PE shorts/leggings/skorts/tracksuit bottoms should be **navy**
- If your child is **late**, a suitable reason must be provided
- In the mornings, if you have any messages that you would like to pass onto your child's teacher, please let Mrs Jones, Mrs Lennon or Mrs Pelosi know, or email your child's class teacher. This will enable the teachers to greet every child individually in the morning to increase their sense of belonging and to start their day in a positive, welcoming way.
- Only **water** should be in water bottles.

Check our **FACEBOOK** page for updates!

#### Attendance Matters!

Week Commencing 19th September  
Whole School attendance target: **96.5%**

Actual Attendance: **91.23%**

Late marks this week: **6**



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office@brighstoneprimary.org.uk

Year R, 1 & 2

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Years 3 & 4

teacher.honeybee@brighstoneprimary.org.uk

Years 5 & 6

teacher.ivybee@brighstoneprimary.org.uk

Family Liaison Officer

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# Golden Book

<b>Bumble Bees</b>	Ruby, Alice, Helena, Luna, Zara, Samuel and Alexander - for trying really hard in English with their wolf descriptions.
<b>Honey Bees</b>	Henry - for making sensible choices and dealing with the transition to a new, much larger class so well.
<b>Ivy Bees</b>	Toby and Randall - for their eloquent and accurate descriptions of Mathematics and English vocabulary.
<b>Bob-Bee (Bee-haviour)</b>	Zara - for ALWAYS demonstrating our school values so beautifully in everything she does.
<b>Other</b>	Children were awarded with certificates and medals for completing the Summer Reading Challenge through Brighstone library.



# Share a Story in Honey Bee Class



# News from the classrooms

## Y1 and Y2 Bumble Bees Design and Technology

This week, the Year 1 and 2 Bumble Bees used their skills with strengthening and joining paper tubes to make their structures. The design criteria was to make a chair for Baby Bear which was stable, strong and secure. The children thought about the height of the legs, the amount of tape needed to make their joins secure and also about the comfort and design of their chairs. They overcame problems, helped each other and were focused for the whole morning without interruptions.

Then Baby Bear's cousin, Blue Bear, came and tested some of them out, and some of the children explained to the rest of the class how they'd improved their structures.



# SEMH

Social, Emotional & Mental Health



Low Mood?

## THINGS THAT CAN affect your mood WITHOUT YOU REALIZING:



The weather



The media you  
consume



What you  
ate



How much  
you slept



Whether you've  
organized  
your thoughts



How much  
you moved

## Top tips to improve your mood



### Challenge unhelpful thoughts

The way we think affects the way we feel. Watch our video to learn how to challenge unhelpful thoughts.

[Video: Reframing unhelpful thoughts](#)



### Increase helpful activity

Low mood can stop us doing important or enjoyable activities. Try listing these things and doing some each day. Start with easier ones and, as you progress, your mood should improve.



### Talk to someone

Trusted friends, family and colleagues, or contacting a helpline, can help us when we are struggling. Watch our video for more ideas.

[Video: Social connection](#)



### Get better sleep

Low moods can make us feel tired. Tiredness can also have a bad impact on our mood. Watch our video on tips to improve your sleep.

[Video: Tips for sleeping better](#)



### Boost your mood with music

Music can be a powerful way to change our feelings. See if you can create a playlist to listen to when feeling low – start with slower choices and gradually move to faster, uplifting songs. This can help your mood to gradually lift too.



### A little activity every day

If you can, doing little things every day to be more active – like taking the stairs instead of a lift, or standing up to stretch your legs every so often when sitting down for long periods – can really lift your mood.

[Better Health: Get active](#)

## Key dates this term

- Friday 30th September: Y5/6 Share a Story at 2.15pm
- Friday 30th September: Children's photos
- Tuesday 4th October: Y6 UKSA (letters were sent home today)
- Thursday 6th October: National Poetry Day (parents invited in at 1.30pm)
- Friday 7th October: Schools Go Yellow for Mountbatten Hospice
- Friday 7th October: BSA AGM and social at The Crown, Shorwell, from 7pm
- Wednesday 19th October: Harvest Festival in the field at 10.30am (all welcome)
- Wednesday 19th October: KS2 Messy Church 1pm—2.30pm (further details to follow soon)
- Wednesday 19th October: Parents Evening 3pm—5.30pm (further details to follow soon)
- Thursday 20th October: Parents Evening 3pm—5.30pm (further details to follow soon)
- Friday 21st October: Last day of term
- Monday 31st October: Back to school
- Friday 18th November: Children in Need (further details to follow)



Who are Brighstone School Association (The BSA)?

We are simply a group of parents and teachers working in partnership to raise much needed funds for our children. We meet about once every half term. Most of us have full time jobs and other commitments as well as our own families.

Chair - Katherine Harrison; Vice Chair - Franki Barker;

Treasurer - Sarah Cartmell; Secretary - Kate Cambridge

What do we do?

We explore fundraising ideas such as cake sales, mufti, bingo, community events, school discos and Mothers' Day shop, to name a few.

One of our biggest fundraisers is Wolverton Folk and Blues Festival and we desperately need volunteers throughout the day!

We then use this money to support your children's education and enjoyment, such as paying towards trips, buying Easter and Christmas gifts, and donating towards equipment such as a new trim trail for the playground (coming soon).

How much do we need to raise each year?

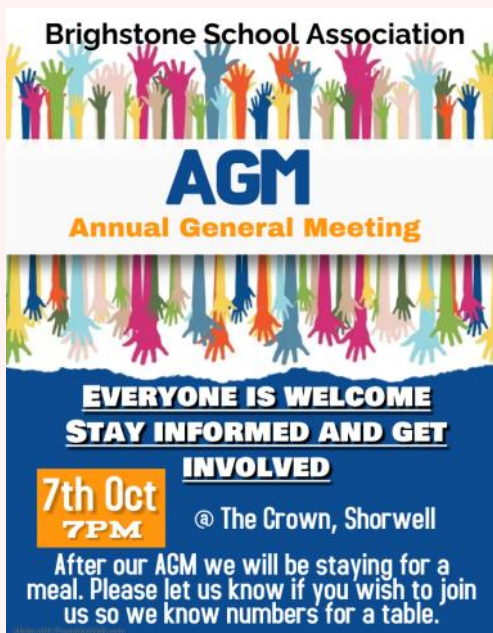
On average we need to raise about £5k every year!

How can you help?

Join us: you are already a member as your child goes to our school! You can attend meetings and share your ideas too!

Support us: volunteer to help at events, bake cakes for cake sales. If every parent helped at one event every year it would make an incredible difference!

Promote our events: Attend events and share via social media and word of mouth. Join us on Facebook and Instagram!!



This will be held in the Sycamore Room if it is raining.







The name in professional Music Education for the Isle of Wight  
Inspiring Young Lives Through Music



Dear Parents/Carers/Schools

We would like to thank all schools, parents and pupils for their support and dedication in the provision of music tuition this year. We have worked hard with schools to ensure safety of all parties, working in line with Covid Government guidelines and are delighted that in the majority of cases lessons have taken place as normal successfully. It really has been wonderful to be back in schools and helping pupils enjoy and continue with their musical development.

We have continued to provide a small number of online lessons, attend the majority of schools in person and have welcomed a number of new tutors to our Cooperative which is a reflection of the positive uptake of music following lock down. We are currently looking at setting up some after school clubs and some of our tutors may be available for continuation of lessons during the holidays so please do stay in touch and let us know if we can support you moving forward.

Mrs Helen Forster has spaces available for STRING lessons in September.

For any enquiries please contact our administrator Sammi Vine at [office@iwmt.org.uk](mailto:office@iwmt.org.uk)

You can also visit our Facebook page at – <https://www.facebook.com/wightmusic tuition>



Mr Carr has spaces available if any children wish to learn the guitar.

To sign up please go to [www.iwmt.org.uk](http://www.iwmt.org.uk) and simply fill out an application form.

Lessons are fun, rewarding and really help build children's confidence and boost self esteem.

## Isle of Wight Music Hub Groups



**Songwriting Club** - Learn to write songs and develop your style in a friendly environment

When: First Wednesday of the month, 4.00 – 5.30

Where: Carisbrooke Church Hall, Carisbrooke High Street, PO30 1NR

Cost: £8 per session

Age range: 10 – 16

Led by: Starling Songwriters - <https://www.starlingsongwriters.co.uk/>

Sign up:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfTrV6G3C5sEBsU0pza6MxC6PiQhcb6eW4FHODr8MQa0AO3Hg/viewform>

**Music Club** – Opportunities to develop your creative musical skills

When: Last Friday of the month

Where: Ryde Aspire, Trinity Buildings, Dover Street Ryde PO33 2BN

Cost: Free

Age range: 12 - 17

Led by: Em Johnson

For further information please call 01983 716020

**Saturday Rock School** – Contemporary instrumental lessons with opportunities to develop musical repertoire and perform

When: Saturday mornings, 2 hour blocks running from 9.30

Where: Platform One, 48 Dodnor Lane, Newport, PO30 5XD

Cost: £120 for 15 weeks

Age range: 11 – 16

Sign up: [rockschool@platformone.org](mailto:rockschool@platformone.org)

**Music Centre** – ensemble playing opportunities for players of all ages and abilities

When: Saturday morning, 10.00 – 12.00

Where: Cowes Enterprise College

Cost: £35 a term (£105 per academic year)

Sign up: [music@iowmusic hub.org](mailto:music@iowmusic hub.org)

String Group:

Standard: Pre-grade 1 – grade 3

Led by: Ruth Edgerton

Wind Band: (For woodwind, brass and percussion players)

Standard: Grade 4 +

Led by: Donna Brihmani and Indra Riches

**Music Centre Satellite Groups**

String Group

When: Mondays during term time

Where: Room behind Godshill Methodist Church, High Street, Godshill, PO38 3HZ

Standard: Grade 1 – 3, 5.00 – 6.00pm, Grade 4 +, 5.00 – 6.30pm

Cost: As for Music Centre

Led by: Helen Foster

Sign up: [music@iowmusic hub.org](mailto:music@iowmusic hub.org)

## Autumn Term 1: Breakfast and Afterschool Provision

5<sup>th</sup> September 2022 - 21<sup>st</sup> October 2022



If you wish your child to attend Breakfast or Afterschool Provision, please fill in the form below with days and times required.

**Breakfast Provision 7.30am - 8.25am:**

Bookings will be charged at:

7.30am - 8.25 am: £4.50

8.00am -8.25am: £2.25

**Afterschool Provision 2.45pm - 5.30pm:**

Bookings will be charged at a standard hourly rate for the first hour £5.00 (regardless of time attended)

Thereafter will be charged £1.25 per 15 minutes increments.

After booking your place, no refunds will be made for cancellations. You are paying for your place not your attendance.

<u>Breakfast Provision: 7.30-8.25</u>	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1: 5 <sup>th</sup> September 2022					
Week 2: 12 <sup>th</sup> September 2022					
Week 3: 19 <sup>th</sup> September 2022					
Week 4: 26 <sup>th</sup> September 2022					
Week 5: 3 <sup>rd</sup> October 2022					
Week 6: 10 <sup>th</sup> October 2022					
Week 7: 17 <sup>th</sup> October 2022					

<u>Afterschool Provision: 2.45-5.30</u>	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1: 5 <sup>th</sup> September 2022					
Week 2: 12 <sup>th</sup> September 2022					
Week 3: 19 <sup>th</sup> September 2022					
Week 4: 26 <sup>th</sup> September 2022					
Week 5: 3 <sup>rd</sup> October 2022					
Week 6: 10 <sup>th</sup> October 2022					
Week 7: 17 <sup>th</sup> October 2022					

Child's name:	Year Group:	Allergies:
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Parent or Carers Signature:	Contact number:	Date:

Brigstone Preschool enter via Warnes Lane Carpark. Contact us on 07707319843 or Email [brigstonepreschool@gmail.com](mailto:brigstonepreschool@gmail.com)



## October Holiday Club at Brighstone Preschool:

The Holiday Club will be open to all children aged 0 months- 11 years old.

If you wish your child to attend Holiday Club at **Brighstone Preschool**, please fill in the form attached with days and times required.

Our opening times are 7.30am until 5.30pm.

### Prices:

0-12 Months **£7.00 an hour**

12 Months - 2 Years **£6.20 an hour**

2 - 3 Years **£6.00 an hour**

3 Years - School Age **£5.50 an hour**

**Payment will be due in advance.**

Please enter the hours you wish your child to attend on each given day and return via email.

([brighstonepreschool@gmail.com](mailto:brighstonepreschool@gmail.com)) or a printed copy to Rosanna ASAP.

Booking in: This is subject to demand, please book in by **Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2022** in order for us to plan staff and viability. Both Niton and Brighstone staff will be working.

If you do not attend your booked sessions or you cancel after **7<sup>th</sup> October**, you will still be charged at the full price.

Any questions or queries please do not hesitate to ask or call us on **07707319843**.



## Half Term Holiday Club (October) at Brighstone Preschool

Holiday Club will be open to all children aged 0 months- 11 years old.

If you wish your child to attend Holiday Club at **Brighstone Preschool**, please fill in the form below with days and times required.

Our opening times are 7.30am until 5.30pm.

### Prices:

0-12 Months **£7.00 an hour**

12 Months - 2 Years **£6.20 an hour**

2 - 3 Years **£6.00 an hour**

3 Years - School Age **£5.50 an hour**

**Payment will be due in advance.**

Please enter the hours you wish your child to attend on each given day and return via email,  
([brighstonepreschool@gmail.com](mailto:brighstonepreschool@gmail.com)) or a printed copy to Rosanna ASAP.

<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>
24 <sup>th</sup> October 2022	25 <sup>th</sup> October 2022	26 <sup>th</sup> October 2022	27 <sup>th</sup> October 2022	28 <sup>th</sup> October 2022

Child's name 1:	DOB	Any Allergies
Child's name 2:	DOB	Any Allergies
Child's name 3:	DOB	Any Allergies

30 hours stretched entitlement:	YES / NO
Parent or Carers Name:	
Contact No 1:	
Contact No 2:	
Email Address:	
Parent or Carers Signature:	

Booking in: This is subject to demand, please book in by **Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2022** in order for us to plan staff and viability.

If you do not attend your booked sessions or you cancel after **7<sup>th</sup> October**, you will still be charged at the full price.

Any questions or queries please do not hesitate to ask or call us on **07707 319843**.

Schools Go Yellow  
with  
**Mountbatten**

# Big Yellow Tea Party

7 October 2022

Visit [mountbatten.org.uk](http://mountbatten.org.uk)  
to register for your FREE pack



 **HARVEST FEASTIVAL**  
**WEDNESDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2022**  
**MAINS**

Harvest Chicken Casserole  
or  
Vegetable Pie (v)

**SIDES**

Mashed Potatoes, Yorkshire Pudding  
Carrots and Broccoli

**DESSERT**

Apple and Rhubarb Crumble

Insert price if required (max point size 18)

**Chartwells**  
Schools

**MEAL PRICE INCREASE FROM 1<sup>st</sup>**

**SEPTEMBER 2022**

Due to the unprecedented inflationary pressures the market faces, we will be increasing your price per meal by 22p (from £2.15 to £2.35 from 1<sup>st</sup> September 2022)



Has your child been working hard on the Planet Aware ocean challenges over the holidays?

Don't forget the closing date is the 30th of September so get your applications in! We can take them here or drop them into the library.

We want as many children as possible to be aware of the problems facing our oceans and it would be lovely to see what you've found out.

Mrs Johnstone

Dear Parent,

Before the end of half term, your child joined in our assembly at school where we talked about our Ocean Challenge activity sheet. We hope that you have been able to complete one, if not more of the challenges over the summer holidays and enjoyed our beautiful coast.

We just wanted to get in touch to remind you that sheets need to be handed in by the end of day **Sept 30<sup>th</sup> 2022** in order to enter the prize draw. Prizes include tickets to Tapnell Farm and vouchers for Rapanui t-shirts, and Solent Leisure cruises as well as a litter picking set and a "Reusables" hamper.



There is a prize draw for each challenge completed, as well as for each completed sheet.

You can either hand sheets back to the school reception and we will arrange collection or you can drop sheets off at the following libraries where they have folders to keep the challenge sheets (Ryde, Newport, Cowes, Freshwater and Ventnor).

Remember to include your child's name and a parental email/contact so we can get in touch if you do win a prize. Please also remember to add #planetawarechallenge for any photos of challenges you've completed and wish to share with us. (Your details will only be used for the purpose of contacting you in relation to the Ocean challenge competition).

We hope that the challenges have encouraged your child to think about why healthy oceans are so important to us and also about ways we can help in our daily lives.

Many thanks for your time and support

Sarah @ Planet Aware

Planet Aware is a not for profit Community Interest Company, registered company number 11492494. We aim to connect children, their families and communities to the coastal environment to create positive change for people and for our oceans. Get in touch to find out more about our events and how we can work together for a better future.

Isle of Wight Secondary Colleges and 6<sup>th</sup> Form  
2022-23 Open Day/Evening dates  
(as at 23/9/2022 V2)

School/College	Date	Time
Carisbrooke College	27/09/2022	Y6 open evening 5-8pm
Christ the King College	21/09/2022	Y6 open evening at 3.30pm
	02/11/2022	6 <sup>th</sup> Form open evening 4pm
Cowes Enterprise College	Week commencing 17/10/2022	No specific dates, parents make appointments
Island Free School	8/10/2022	<b>10am-2pm</b> no need to make appointments for the open day. HT talk 11am, 12 noon and 1pm for which booking is required via <a href="https://www.theislandfreeschool.org/">https://www.theislandfreeschool.org/</a> before 4pm Monday, 3 <sup>rd</sup> October 2022. Please bring your ticket with you.
Medina College	20/09/2022	Y6 open evening 5-8pm
Ryde Academy	05/10/2022	Y6 open evening 4-7pm <a href="https://drive.google.com/file/d/1-k2RdYjGn9njBjbdWXLblwre-YC4nZK/view">https://drive.google.com/file/d/1-k2RdYjGn9njBjbdWXLblwre-YC4nZK/view</a>
	9/11/2022 Note this has moved from 10/11/22	6 <sup>th</sup> Form open evening 4-7pm
Ryde School	08/10/2022 & 04/02/2023	10-12.30pm Parents are requested to register via website <a href="https://www.rydeschool.org.uk/admissions/open-days-visits">https://www.rydeschool.org.uk/admissions/open-days-visits</a> or by emailing <a href="mailto:admissions@rydeschool.net">admissions@rydeschool.net</a>
	24/11/2022	6F open evening 6.30-9pm
	n/a	Thursday, 29 September 2022 1.30-3.30pm And 5pm-7pm
The Bay CE School	06/10/2022	Y6 open evening Presentation 5pm followed by tour Presentation at 6pm followed by tour
The Island VI Form	03/11/2022	6 <sup>th</sup> Form open evening 5-8pm
The Priory School of our Lady Walsingham	n/a	Don't hold open days. Ring up to make an appointment for a show round. Marion Ahmed – Tel: 861222 or email: <a href="mailto:mail@prioryschool.org.uk">mail@prioryschool.org.uk</a>

Please note that the information in this table has been updated.



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We are pleased to announce that we will be holding an Open Month for Year 6 to Year 7 admissions from Monday 3rd October until Friday 21st October

Our Open Month replaces an Open Evening and will allow us to be able to show you around our fantastic school, giving you a first-hand experience of what it is like to be a pupil at Cowes Enterprise College.

45-minute tours will take place on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays during the school day, and will be led by a member of the senior leadership team who will be able to answer any specific questions you have about year 7, our curriculum and enrichment opportunities.

In addition to this, we are pleased to offer additional opportunities to view our facilities on Tuesday 18th and Thursday 20th October at 3.30pm and 4.30pm.

If you wish to visit the academy for a tour, please call 01983 203103.

Promotional Video

Prospectus

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[www.cowesec.org](http://www.cowesec.org)

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Premises

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# Year 7 Open Evening

## Thursday 6th October 2022, 5.00-8.00pm

Presentation at 5.00pm and 6.00pm followed by tours of the Secondary School  
Open Morning: Tuesday 11th October, 9.00-11.00am, please call to book an appointment.

Contact us for more information: Telephone: 01983 403284

Email: [office@bayceschool.org](mailto:office@bayceschool.org)

Website: [bayceschool.org](http://bayceschool.org)



Would you like to offer:

## Fully Funded Courses for Parents & Pupils

Supporting children's mental & emotional health & well-being

In your school 2022-2023?

### FLLT

Parents & children working together in groups 6-10 weeks

- o Understanding Children's Brain Development & Self-Regulation
- o Taming the Emotions Monster
- o Understanding Our Senses
- o Helping Children Relax
- o Building Self Esteem, Confidence & Resilience
- o Families living & learning together

### FLRK

Parents & children working together in groups 6-10 weeks

- o Understand how the brain works
- o Become aware of emotions & learn how to manage them
- o Have fun whilst learning to relax
- o Develop concentration skills
- o Promote positive self-image & self-esteem
- o "calm confident kids in chaotic times"

If so, please reply to show your

**EXPRESSION OF INTEREST** as soon as possible.

(before 19<sup>th</sup> September) first come - first served (bookings are limited)



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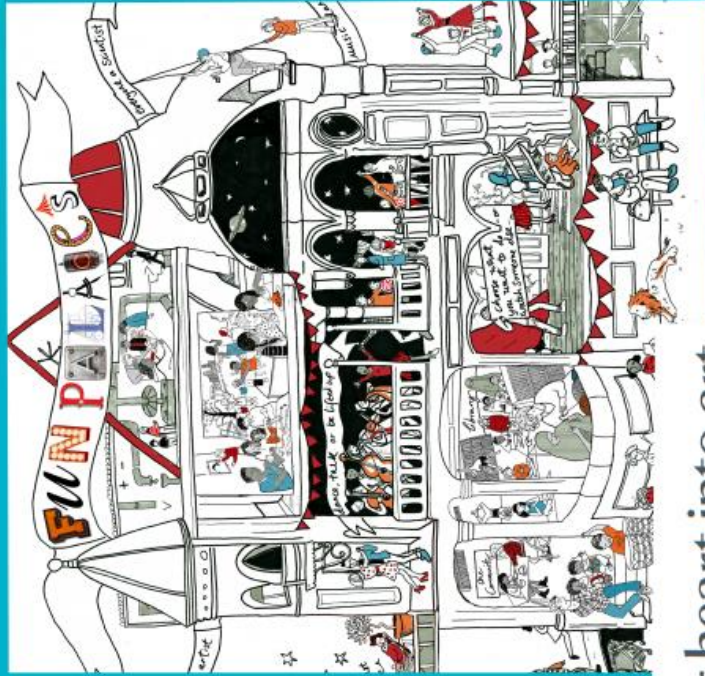
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# SHORT STORY WRITING COMPETITION 2022

'The Sea'

Are You A Budding Author?

Enter our competition for a chance to have your story published and recorded by a celebrity!

## ENTRY FEE (per story)

£8.00 for:

Adults (1500 - 2000 words)

£2.00 for:

12 - 17s (up to 750 words)

8 - 11s (up to 500 words)

Under 8s (up to 250 words with pictures)

## ENTRY FORMS FROM:

Waterstones, Newport

Sight for Wight, Carisbrooke

Dress for Less, Newport

Email: [admin@iwsb.org.uk](mailto:admin@iwsb.org.uk)



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DOMINIC MINGHELLA



MARK SIMMONS



RICHARD CADELL

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Award Ceremony on Monday 5th December 2022

Riverside Centre, Newport @ 7pm

**ENTRIES MUST BE RETURNED BY 5PM ON FRIDAY 11TH NOVEMBER**

*Sight for Wight is the working name for Isle of Wight Society for the Blind*

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## ENTRY FORM

### Short Story Writing Competition 2022

‘The Sea’

<b>Name:</b>			
<b>Address:</b>			
Please tick your age category below as at 11.11.2022			
<b>Telephone number:</b>	18+ years <input type="checkbox"/>	12 – 17 Years <input type="checkbox"/>	8 - 11 Years <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Email address:</b>			
<b>School attending:</b>			
<b>How did you hear about this competition?</b>			

**Fees: £8.00 per adult story & £2.00 if under 18.** I enclose the following stories:

Story 1 title & word count	Story 2 title & word count
	Story 3 title & word count

I enclose £ ..... for my entries. Please put money in a sealed envelope attached to your entry and make cheques payable to **Sight for Wight**.

**Deliver entries with fee by Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2022 to:**

Short Story Writing Competition -  
 Waterstones, 118 High Street, Newport, IW PO30 1TP  
 Dress for Less, 114 St James' Street, Newport, IW PO30 5HB  
 Millbrooke House, 137 Carisbrooke Road, Newport, Isle of Wight PO30 1DD

Chris Cane: [admin@iwsb.org.uk](mailto:admin@iwsb.org.uk)

I declare that the material is my own work and has not been previously published and I accept the terms and conditions overleaf.

Signature	
Signature of parent/guardian if under 18	
Printed name of parent/guardian	

### Short Story Writing Competition Terms & Conditions



1. All stories must be original, unpublished and the sole work of the author.
2. Write your name at the top of each story.
3. Word count is 1500 – 2000 words for adults, up to 750 words for 12 – 17s, up to 500 words for 8 – 11s, up to 250 words (with pictures) for under 8s.
4. Make sure you have ticked the relevant age category box and entered the word count for each story.
5. Please type your story if possible, and make sure you use a 12 font (minimum), line spacing 2.0.
6. All entries must have a title and be unbound with no illustrations (apart from Under 8s category).
7. Entries to be emailed if possible or submitted to Waterstones, Dress for Less or Sight for Wight.
8. Entries by email or people with sight loss to: [admin@iwsb.org.uk](mailto:admin@iwsb.org.uk)
9. Closing date for entries is Friday 11th November 2022 at 5pm.
10. Winners will be announced on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2022 at our Award Ceremony.
11. All stories must be accompanied by the entry fee of £8.00 per story for adults and £2.00 for under 18s. Cheques to be made payable to: ‘Sight for Wight’.
12. Entries will not be returned so please keep a copy.
13. The judge’s decision is final. No communication will be entered into.
14. Entrants agree to grant Sight for Wight a non-exclusive irrevocable licence to reproduce, record, publish and share for any purpose related to the competition in any medium, including print, audio and digital. This includes, but is not restricted to use in press, radio and on websites.
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18. Sight for Wight respects your privacy and never sells data to any third party.

**Play Youth Rugby**



**Ages 5 - 18**

## **We have spaces available for children in Year 3 (under 8s)**

Male and Female players very welcome

Fees for the whole season are only £55

First two taster sessions are free of charge

Held at IWRFC (Wootton Recreation ground, PO33 4NQ)

**New Coaches and Volunteers also very welcome - email for details**

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**Play Junior Rugby**



**Boys and Girls**

## **New players welcome from September**

### **Teams and age groups**

Under 6s (Year 1) - Venue IWRFC (Wootton) Sundays 10:00-11:00

Under 7s (Year 2) - Venue IWRFC (Wootton) Sundays 10:00-11:00

Under 8s (Year 3) - Venue IWRFC (Wootton) Sundays 10:00-11:00

Under 9s (Year 4) - Venue IWRFC (Wootton) Sundays 10.00-11.00

Under 10s (Year 5) -Venue SSRFC (Sandown) Fridays 16:15-17:30

Under 11s (Year 6)- Venue IWRFC (Wootton) Sundays 10.00-11.30

Under 12s (Year 7)- Venue IWRFC (Wootton) Sundays 10.00-11.30

\*Please note there may be slight changes to times when the season starts

Returning every Sunday from 4th September 2022.

Sessions are all delivered by experienced coaches with first aid qualifications and DBS Checks.

Register your interest for September 2022 at [www.vectisrugby.co.uk](http://www.vectisrugby.co.uk) or email:

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# ADULT LEARNING

## Autumn 2022

All courses take place at  
The Learning Centre, Westridge, Ryde,  
PO33 1QS unless otherwise stated.

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means tested benefits.



All courses are  
for adults (19+ years old)

### ICT

#### Computers for Beginners

6 week course ▶ Tuesday 13 September  
to 18 October ▶ 9.30am to 12.30pm ▶  
Free

#### Computers for Beginners

Downside Centre, Furlongs,  
Newport PO30 2AX  
6 week course ▶ Monday 31 October to  
5 December ▶ 1pm to 4pm ▶ Free

#### Essential Digital Skills For Life

Level Entry 3  
12 week course ▶ Monday 12 September  
to 5 December ▶ 1pm to 3.30pm ▶ Free  
12 week course ▶ Thursday 15 September  
to 8 December ▶ 6pm to 8.30pm ▶ Free

#### Essential Digital Skills For Work

Level 1  
12 week course ▶ Thursday 15  
September to 8 December ▶  
9.30am to 12.30pm ▶ Free

### ICT (CONTINUED)

#### ICDL Word Processing Level 1 and 2

6 week course ▶ Monday 12 September  
to 17 October ▶ 9.30am to 12.30pm ▶  
Free

#### ICDL Spreadsheets Level 1 and 2

6 week course ▶ Tuesday 13 September  
to 18 October ▶ 1pm to 4pm ▶ Free

#### ICDL Presentation Software Level 1 and 2

6 week course ▶ Tuesday 1 November to  
6 December ▶ 9.30am to 12.30pm ▶ Free

#### Researching your Family History for Beginners

3 week course ▶ Sunday 6 to 20  
November ▶ 10.30am to 12.30pm ▶  
£35/£20\*

### AKT

#### Travel Poster Art

3 week course ▶ Monday 3 October to 17  
October ▶ 10am to 1pm ▶ £55/£32\*

#### Pen & Wash Still Life

Workshop ▶ Wednesday 5 October ▶  
10am to 3pm ▶ £35/£22\*

#### Poppy Watercolour

Workshop ▶ Friday 14 October ▶  
10am to 1pm ▶ £20/£12\*

#### Understanding & Mixing Colours

Workshop ▶ Wednesday 19 October ▶  
1 to 4pm ▶ £20/£12\*

#### Abstracts using Painting Knives

3 week course ▶ Wednesday 2 to 16  
November ▶ 10am to 1pm ▶ £55/£32 \*

### AKT (CONTINUED)

#### Acrylic Seascapes

Workshop ▶ Monday 7 November ▶  
10am to 3pm ▶ £35/£22\*

#### Encaustic Art

Workshop ▶ Saturday 12 November ▶  
10am to 3pm ▶ £35/£22\*

### CRAFT

#### Mosaic Garden/Window Suncatchers

2 week course ▶ Saturday 17  
September ▶ 10am to 3pm ▶ Sunday 18  
September ▶ 10am to 12pm ▶ £45/£28\*

#### Needle Felted Land or Seascape Picture

Workshop ▶ Thursday 20 October ▶  
10am to 3pm ▶ £35/£22\*

#### Feng Shui for your Home

5 week course ▶ Wednesday 2 to 30  
November ▶ 6 to 8pm ▶ £60/£35\*

#### Revamp your Clothing using Japanese Boro

4 week course ▶ Thursday 3 to 24  
November ▶ 10am to 1pm ▶ £65/£35\*

#### Simple Embroidery Stitches

2 week course ▶ Friday 4 to 11  
November ▶ 10am to 12.30pm ▶  
£35/£22\*

#### Felt a Poinsettia Flower

2 week course ▶ Friday 18 to 25  
November ▶ 10am to 12.30pm ▶  
£35/£22\*

#### Silk Painted Scarf

Workshop ▶ Thursday 1 December ▶  
10am to 3pm ▶ £35/£22\*

#### Felt Christmas Decorations

Workshop ▶ Friday 2 December ▶  
10am to 3pm ▶ £35/£22\*

### CRAFT (CONTINUED)

#### Air Dry Clay

2 week course ▶ Wednesday 7  
December ▶ 6 to 8pm ▶ Wednesday 14  
December ▶ 6 to 7pm ▶ £20/£16\*

### HEALTH AND WELLBEING

#### Warming Winter Tonics & Teas

Workshop ▶ Saturday 15 October ▶  
10am to 1pm ▶ £20/£12\*

For more information  
and to book your place  
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### WORKSHOP DAY

£10/£5\*

Workshop ▶ Sunday 9 October ▶  
10am to 12pm

#### Beginners Knitting - Cosy Mug Holder

#### Creative Collage

#### Decoupage Glass Jars

### CHRISTMAS THEMED

### WORKSHOP DAY

£10/£5\*

Workshop ▶ Sunday 4 December ▶  
10am to 12pm

#### Mini Stocking

#### Needle Felted Bauble

#### Foliage Wreath