



13<sup>th</sup> October 2021

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# NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents

As half term rushes to an end, the Autumnal weather has certainly returned. Please can we ask to ensure your child brings a coat for the chillier break and lunchtimes and wears their school jumper/cardigan to school as our classrooms are well ventilated to ensure a good flow of air at all times.

## FOSP Events

Children have all been busy in school creating designs for Christmas cards and gifts. Your child will receive their sample card today, with an order form for cards, gift tags, wrapping paper, and gifts. FOSP would like to place the order on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> October, so please don't delay – get your order in this week. Each order will raise funds for FOSP.

Please follow the instructions on the parent order form and payment envelope.

## HALLOWEEN TRAIL!

Following the success of our recent joint summer fayre, join in with the Halloween Trail around the spooky streets of Bishopstoke between 11am and 4pm on Saturday the 23<sup>rd</sup> October. There will be some posters on lamps posts. Collect the letters, unscramble the anagram, and crack the code.

Please see the letter attached for further details.



WEDNESDAY 13TH OCTOBER  
JUNIORS' PLAYGROUND  
AFTER SCHOOL

# HALLOWEEN SALE

We will be selling loads of Halloween goodies, pumpkin carving kits, face paints, decorations and lots more to make your Halloween spooktacular!

## Bag2School Collection

Raise funds for your school whilst recycling your unwanted textiles. Look out for the collection bag being sent home.

COLLECTION MONDAY 18th OCTOBER

- Men's, Ladies' and Children's clothing
- Paired shoes (tied together or elastic band around)
- Handbags
- Hats
- Bags
- Scarves and ties
- Jewellery
- Lingerie
- Socks
- Belts
- Soft toys
- Household linen
- Household curtains
- Household towels
- Household bedding (bed sheets, pillow cases and duvet covers)

- Duvets and blankets
- Pillows and cushions
- Carpets, rugs and mats (including bath, shower and toilet mats)
- Soiled, painted, ripped or wet clothing
- School uniforms with and without bags
- Corporate clothing and workwear
- Textile off cuts, yarns or threaded material

Visit [bag2school.com](http://bag2school.com) for details of their sustainability projects.

## Harvest Assembly

Thank you to those of you who have already sent your donations into school. A reminder to please send in your donations this week for collection on Friday by Eastleigh Basics Bank.



## Individual Photographs

A reminder that the deadline for orders is Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2021.

## School Dinners

Is your child a fussy eater? You may find that by having school meals our child will try foods that they wouldn't necessarily have at home. With a wide range of nutritious meat, vegetarian and 'street' foods. HC3S, our caterer, have a helpful guide on their website – <https://bit.ly/2Wr3Eu7>

## School Uniform

I am pleased to inform you that we now have a good stock of uniform for sale in the school office, which can be purchased using your scopay account.

The uniform is supplied by Skoolkit, but is slightly cheaper than the shop.

Unfortunately, we do not receive a notification that you have ordered, so you will need to let us know by calling into reception to collect it.

We sell sweatshirts, cardigans, polos, pe t-shirts, book bags and PE bags.

## Lost Property

Another reminder that a large number of school jumpers and cardigans is in our lost property in the school reception. Any unclaimed items will be removed at the end of half term and given to FOSP for re-sale.

Allison Jenkins  
Headteacher



## STOKE PARK JUNIOR SCHOOL VACANCIES Lunchtime Supervisory Assistants



We are currently seeking lunchtime supervisory assistants to join our happy team. The successful candidates will be enthusiastic, reliable and keen to support the school.

Duties will include

- Supervising children in the lunch hall (or if eating in their classrooms) and helping to promote healthy eating
- Supervising and engaging with children on the playground. Encouraging positive play and listening to children
- Being aware of health and safety to ensure a safe environment for all.

The successful applicant will need to:

- Be part of a team, communicate positively with children and other adults
- Enjoy working with children and small teams of adults
- Be a good time keeper
- Be reliable and consistent in promoting good behaviour and the values of the school
- Ensure the safety and welfare of children at all times.

Hours of work (term time only): 11.55am – 1.00pm daily  
Salary: Grade A, £2,371 per annum

For an application pack and further details please contact Judith Young in the school office on 023 80612789.

### Safer Recruitment

Stoke Park Infant School and Hampshire County Council are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. We will ensure that all our recruitment and selection practices reflect this commitment. All successful candidates will be subject to Disclosure and Barring Service checks along with other relevant employment checks.

**Closing date: Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> October**