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17.07.2026

Whole School



Last Weekly Bulletin

As this is the final bulletin of this academic year, we'd like to take this opportunity to wish you all a sunny, relaxing summer break when we finish at 3.30pm on Wednesday 22nd July and we wish all our Y6 children all the very best at their new secondary schools. We look forward to seeing the children return for the autumn term (Y1 – Y6) on Thursday 3rd September.



School Uniform for Next Week

Although not as hot as in recent weeks, the weather is forecast to be warm again so the children can continue wearing their PE kit or school uniform for the last three days of term.

If your child is in Y6 and chooses to wear their PE kit on Monday, please can they also bring their uniform to change into for the Leavers' Service at the church which will be at 2pm and parents are welcome to attend.

Summer Reading Challenge

It's that time of year again! The Summer Reading Challenge returns on 11th July and continues throughout the Summer Holidays until 12th September. We're hugely grateful to FOSPS who have made it possible to offer this year's reading reward - the return of the inflatable disco along with film and popcorn, balloon arch photo booth and cosy/creative corner! For full details on how to help your child complete the challenge, please see the communication send out yesterday.



Inset Days for 2026/2027

Tuesday 1st September

Wednesday 2nd September

Monday 30th November

The remaining dates for the year are likely to be Monday 18th January 2027 and Friday 30th April 2027 but this is caveated by these being subject to change. Generally, we have released dates a term at a time to avoid things having to move but I appreciate parents' work can need notice for leave.

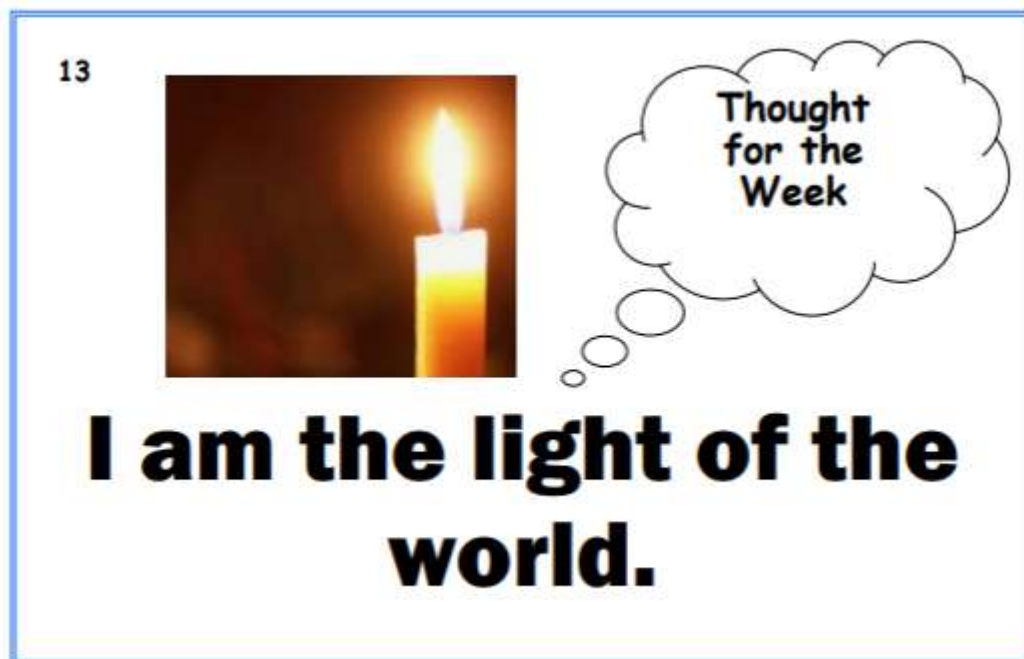


Thought for the Week

At Swanmore Primary school the children explore their spirituality through a 'thought for the week'. The children are invited to use their deeper thinking to look at themselves, each other, and the wider world.

We also have a library of thought for the weeks through the year which will show you the type of activities the children have been doing in class. Please follow this bread crumb trail on the school website to discover more: Home - Our school - Worship - and then pick the 'Thought for the week' tab and which term you'd like to look at.

Please take a look at the 3 folders as you will be able to see how the children explored the thought for the week in a particular term. We hope you enjoy looking at how the children explore their spirituality each week!



Government launches Great British Summer Savings

This scheme comes into effect this summer (25th June to 1st September) and includes reduced VAT on days out, including tickets at attractions like soft play, adventure centres and theme parks, children's tickets for theatres and cinemas, and children's meals in restaurants. Children aged 5 to 15 in England will also be able to travel free on local bus services throughout August.

Click this link to find out more: [Summer Savings - Cost of Living Help](#)



Uniform Shop

FOSPS online uniform shop will close 8pm Sunday 19th July, with the last drop for orders made on the last day of school; Wednesday 22nd July.

We have large quantities of good quality skirts; trousers and shorts going for just 50p - why not help buy second-hand to reuse and recycle, if you have any specific requirements, please email us and we can get back to you.

We do have low stock for jumpers and cardigans; particularly in the bigger sizes.... so if you are having a clear out over summer; please think of donating to us (via our box in reception).

We are currently only accepting donations for cardigans; jumpers and logo polos and PE t-shirts; as well as pinafores age 6;7;8 and shorts age 9-10.

The shop will reopen at the end of August for deliveries on the first inset day on Wed 2nd September.

Family Barn Dance: Saturday 26th September – TICKETS NOW ON SALE

FOSPS are excited to announce local band, Rufus Return, will be playing on the school field in September. This is set to be a great family event with a rodeo bull, lots of dancing, a bar and pizza van!

You can grab your tickets now from the website:

<https://www.pta-events.com/swanmoreprimary/index.cfm?event=event&eventId=117126>

Fireworks Spectacular: Friday 6th November

Save the date for the annual fireworks event!

Finally, FOSPS would like to give a HUGE thank you to all families and carers for your support this year. It's been an amazing year of fundraising. Please look out for our newsletter for a round up of what FOSPS has achieved with everyone's help.

Wishing everyone a wonderful summer!

Swanmore College – Key Dates for 2026/2027

Swanmore College - Key Dates – 2026 - 2027	
Year 6 Induction Day 2026	02 July 2026
Professional Days	1 September 2026 2 November 2026 22 February 2027 12 April 2027 25 June 2027
Year 7 Only	2 September 2025
All pupils on site	3 September 2025
Open Evening	24 September 2026
Year 6 Viewing Mornings	5 - 9 October 2026
Year 6 Induction Day 2027	1 July 2027

Reception

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Year 3

Year 4

Year 5

Year 6

Leavers' service at St Barnabas church – 20th July at 2pm

Bell ringing – 22nd July at 14:45 on the playground



THE UNWRITTEN HANDBOOK

**HELPING YOU NAVIGATE BIG EMOTIONS AND TOUGH
MOMENTS - 6 WEEK PROGRAMME**



Feeling overwhelmed at home?

You're not doing it wrong, and you don't have to figure it out alone.

Our six-week parenting programme gives you practical, real-world tools for the moments that feel impossible right now:

- How to stay calm when emotions run high
- Simple ways to look after your own wellbeing
- How to set clear boundaries and routines at home
- How to build a support network around your family

Informed by the NVR approach, used by families across the UK to rebuild calmer, stronger relationships at home.

£198 for all six weeks - that's £33 a session, less than most people spend on a single therapy hour.

 Every Wednesday from 9th September- 14th October, 10am to 12pm

 *Home is a much nicer place and we are having fun again!*



www.youthoptions.org.uk

Youth Options is a registered Charity (1056463).



**PRESCHOOLS
& CHILDCARE**

PREVENTION

TARGETED

PROGRESSION

**OUTDOOR
LEARNING**



CRAFT CHURCH

Learning about Jesus through Craft

St. Barnabas Church, Swanmore
9.30am - 10.30am



Stories, singing, prayer and lots of craft!

Tea, coffee, juice and pastries on arrival

Meeting on the first Sunday of each month
Sept 6th, Oct 4th, Nov 1st and Dec 6th

Croche area
3-10
YEAR OLDS
Parents need to stay

FREE
NO COST



ST BARNABAS
Swanmore

Charity number: 1129885

From **Hola** to **Hablando**: Spanish lessons for everyone



Join our Spanish Club!

*Did you know Spanish is in the **TOP 3** most spoken languages?*

Swanmore After School Spanish Club

Tuesday After School – 3.30pm to 4.15pm

Please sign up using the link below to secure your child's place

<https://pbbi.uk/3NfmEdt>

Spaces are limited and will be allocated on a first come first served basis.
Any questions?

Please contact Pippa Chia: Email: hola@spanish4kids.co.uk

Mobile: 07971 213619

Find out more at **www.spanish4kids.co.uk**



Spanish4Kids
AND ADULTS!

From **Hola** to **Hablando**: Spanish lessons for everyone



Join our Spanish Club!

*Did you know Spanish is in the **TOP 3** most spoken languages?*

Swanmore Morning Spanish Club
Thursday Morning – 8am to 8.40am

Please sign up using the link below to secure your child's place
<https://pbbl.uk/4bYoPGO>

Spaces are limited and will be allocated on a first come first served basis.
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TICKETS NOW ON SALE!

SAT 26TH SEPT!

BRING YOUR
**COWBOY
HATS
AND BOOTS!**

BARN DANCE

AT SWANMORE PRIMARY SCHOOL FIELD

FROM 3PM - 6PM

BY LOCAL BAND

RUFUS RETURN

TICKET INCLUDES:
**UNLIMITED GOES
ON THE RODEO BULL**
★ AND ENTRY! ★

TICKET PRICES:
£35 FAMILY BUNDLE
(2 ADULTS & UP TO 3 CHILDREN)
£14 ADULTS | £7 CHILDREN



THERE WILL BE A **BAR**
SERVING DRINKS AND SNACKS

A **PIZZA VAN**
WILL BE ON SITE!



IN THE EVENT OF BAD WEATHER
THE DAY WILL BE RE-ARRANGED TO **MAY 2027**
OR TICKETS REFUNDED



OF LEARNING THROUGH SPORT!

SPECIAL ANNIVERSARY SUMMER HOLIDAY OFFER!

To say thank you for 20 amazing years of support and
to help families with the cost of the summer holidays...

**SAVE
£2
PER DAY!**

JUST

£14

**PER CHILD,
PER DAY**

(plus booking fee)



FOOTBALL



MULTI-GAMES



**PICK & MIX
ACTIVITIES**



**BOYS & GIRLS
(YEAR R - YEAR 6)**



**EARLY DROP OFF
& LATE PICK UP
AVAILABLE**
(SUBJECT TO DEMAND)

Klarna.

**KLARNA
PAYMENT OPTIONS
AVAILABLE**



**THURSDAY 23RD JULY -
FRIDAY 14TH AUGUST
2026**



9:00AM - 3:00PM



**WYNTER ROAD
PLAYING FIELD,
BITTERNE**



**PLACES ARE STRICTLY LIMITED
EACH DAY TO MAINTAIN QUALITY
AND ENSURE EVERY CHILD HAS
THE BEST POSSIBLE EXPERIENCE.**



**TRUSTED BY
LOCAL FAMILIES
FOR 20 YEARS**



Thousands of local children have
attended our sessions since 2006.

**BOOK
NOW!**

SECURE YOUR PLACE TODAY!

<https://pbbl.uk/4w0skFR>

**THANK YOU FOR BEING PART OF OUR JOURNEY
OVER THE LAST 20 YEARS! ❤️ 🏆**



SUMMER OF SUPERPOWERS

UNCOVER THEIR SUPERPOWERS THIS SUMMER!

FREE MULTI-ACTIVITY HAF HOLIDAY CAMPS

Give them a summer of super-powered adventure,
with epic days packed full of sport, fun & activities

FREE

*For children eligible for
benefits-related Free
School Meals or deemed
vulnerable.

WHEN: Summer 2026 - Dates vary by venue

WHO: For children aged 4 - 12

WHERE: Across Hampshire (see below)

COST: FREE for eligible children*

VENUES:

Gosport/Fareham:

- Alver Valley School
- Leesland Junior School
- Orchard Lea Junior School
- Grange Infant & Junior Sch.

Basingstoke & Deane:

- Chalk Ridge Primary School
- Manor Field Junior School
- Oakley Infant School

Eastleigh:

- Colden Common Primary Sch.
- Toynbee School
- Stoke Park Junior School
- Barton Peveril Sixth Form

New Forest:

- Applemore College

Havant & Waterlooville:

- Morelands Primary School
- Padnell Junior School

Winchester:

- Stanmore Primary School
- Sun Hill Infant
- Swanmore College

Book today!



SUMMER OF SUPERPOWERS!

UNCOVER THEIR SUPERPOWER THIS SUMMER

FOOTBALL CAMP

Hero-level skills, coaching and small-sided matches for kids who live for the pitch.

MULTI-SPORTS CAMP

Epic mix of sports, games & activities, every day is a new adventure!

DANCE CAMP

High-energy routines & moves that let them shine like dance heroes with a fab new theme every week!

WHO: For children aged 4 - 13 (Mini Campers go free!)

WHEN: 23 July - 28 August 2026 - 9am - 4pm
(Early and late options available)

WHERE: Swanmore College

COST: £26.25 per day

**ACTIVE SAVER
DISCOUNT**

Use code **SUMMERAS15**
to get 15% off.
Code expires 29 June

Book today!



activeme360.com/holidays/summer-holidays

**MINI CAMPERS
GO FREE!**

Mini Campers must be
aged 4 and in Yr R



Ofsted-registered



NEW SUMMER EDITION

The Summer 2026 edition of the Clever Food Magazine has arrived – and it's our biggest, boldest issue yet. Seasonal fruit and veg, recipes to inspire you, freezer hacks that actually work, and more!

Hop over to the CleverHub portal to access:

👉 www.cleverfoodhub.com

Perfect for parents, teachers, schools, or anyone who loves good food and great reading – ideally with something cold in hand.

Happy summer,
The CleverChefs Team

In this issue: What's in Season, fresh ideas for cooking with British summer produce; Deliveroo culture, Free School Meals and what changes mean for families from September 2026. Picnic top 5 picky bits, butter boards and yoghurt barks and a few notes on wonky fruit and veg in our sustainability corner.

SCAN ME



Swanmore CE Primary School



Skoolkit will be holding a **10% discount week** in our **Fareham store** from **Monday 6th – Saturday 11th July**, where all items listed below will be subject to a **10% discount for this time only**.

2026 Price List	
Daywear	Price
Sky Embroidered Polo Shirt	From £11.00
Electric Blue Embroidered Sweatshirt	From £12.50
Electric Blue Embroidered Sweatshirt Cardigan	From £15.50
Grey Trousers	From £10.99
Grey Skirt	From £10.25
Grey Pinafore	From £15.50
Royal Printed Bookbag	£8.50
Iron-On Name Tapes	x36 – £5.00/ x72 – £5.99

Summer Wear	Price
Blue Summer Dress	£13.99
Grey Daywear Shorts	From £10.99

PE Wear	Price
Sky Embroidered PE T-Shirt	From £6.50
Royal PE Shorts	From £5.50
Royal Embroidered PE Bag	£4.95

Prices are correct at the time of printing.
For full size and pricing information, please refer to our website.

fareham@skoolkit.co.uk

149, West Street, Fareham, PO16 0YA

Opening Times

Mon - Fri 9:00 AM - 17:30 PM

Sat 9:00 AM - 17:00 PM

Skoolkit

FREE DELIVERY

**SATURDAY 25ST JULY -
SATURDAY 1ST AUGUST**

USE CODE: SUMMER26

ONLINE ORDERS NEED TO BE PLACED BY

FRIDAY 14TH AUGUST

for guaranteed delivery before the start of
the school year.

Skoolkit will do its utmost to deliver orders
placed after this date before back to school.

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WWW.SKOOKIT.CO.UK