



13TH SEPTEMBER 2024

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NGPS NEWS

Northgate Primary School Newsletter



Kindness Awards

Our week has been filled with all things kind and the children have been AMAZING! Everyone is working hard to show our school values: Curiosity, Ambition, Resilience, Empathy and Respect.



When everyone shows our school values sprinkled with a touch of kindness, we all feel happy. If you would like to nominate your children for showing outstanding kindness in the home or when they are out, then please email khush@northgate.w-sussex.sch.uk and I will share in my Friday assembly.

Have a fun weekend full of kindness.

Warm regards,

Amanda Harrison



DIARY DATES

Monday 16th September

Tuesday 17th September

Wednesday 18th September

Thursday 19th September

Friday 20th September

ASH CLASS SWIMMING

PARENTS & GUARDIANS

HOW CAN YOU HELP OUR
SCHOOL'S FUNDING?

WHAT IS CENSUS DAY?

Census Day is an important day in the Primary School calendar, as the Government will use the numbers of those who eat school meals on this day to identify the level of funding each school receives.

Put simply, the more children eating a school meal on this day, the more funding your school can access.



WHEN IS IT?
3RD OCTOBER
2024

WHEN DO I
NEED TO
BOOK?

BEFORE THE
19TH SEPTEMBER

WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT TO GROW OUR GOVERNMENT FUNDING... HERE'S HOW!

Make sure you book a meal for the day! Use your ParentPay login and order a meal for the 3rd October 2024, whichever meal your child would prefer. Please note the dessert for this day will be a vegan pancake with syrup, to make it extra special!

If your child has a special diet, we have a GF vegan shortbread available for dessert or their usual menu will remain in place.



CENSUS DAY 2024

AMERICAN THEME DAY
3RD OCTOBER 2024

MENU

Beef Burger & Chips,

Macaroni & Cheese,

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Side of Sweetcorn or Baked Beans or
Salad

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Vegan Pancake with Syrup



SPECIAL DIETS

SD GF Tomato & Lentil
Pasta

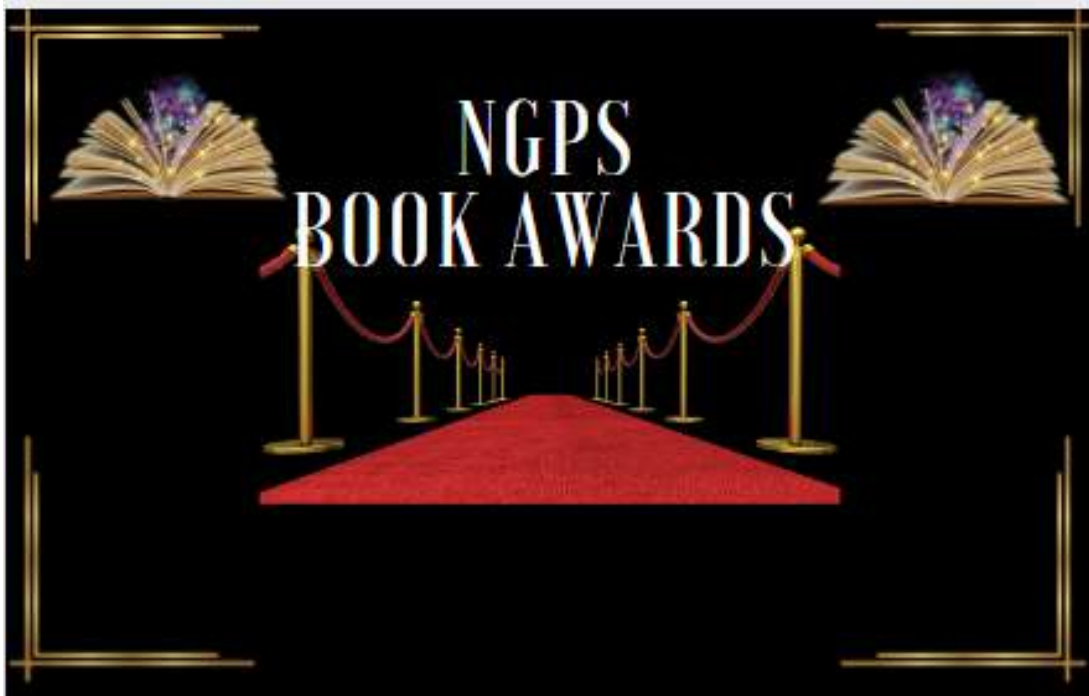
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Side of Sweetcorn or
Baked Beans or Salad

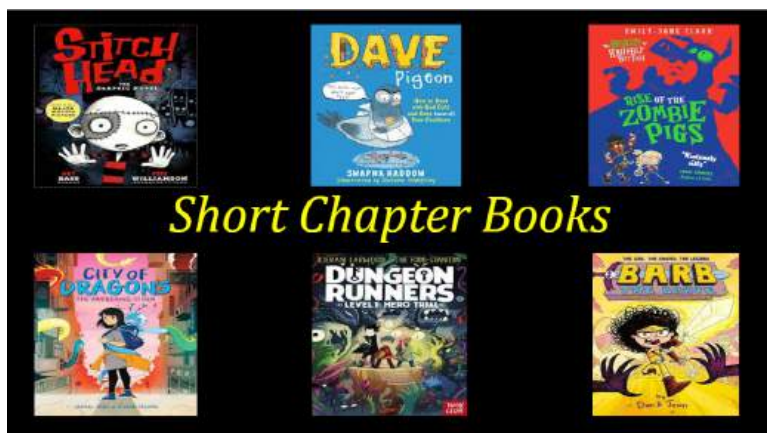
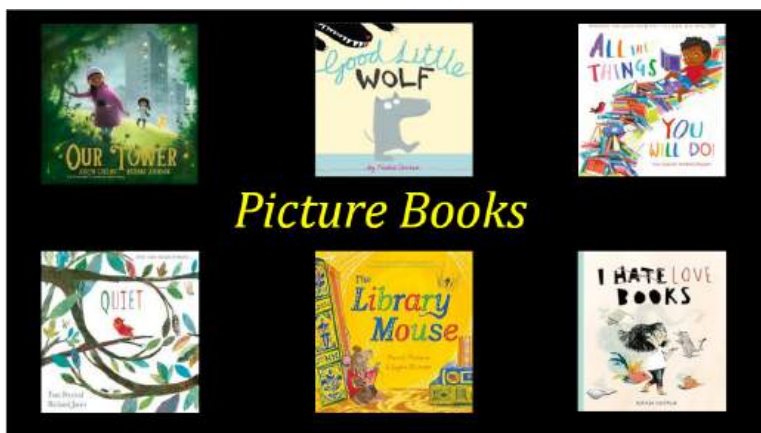
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GF Vegan Shortbread
*or usual menu remains in
place





WE ARE VERY EXCITED TO ANNOUNCE THAT THE BOOK AWARDS BOOKS ARE NOW IN THE KEY STAGE 2 CLASSROOMS!





Reminders!

If your child is absent, please ring the absence line on 01293 526737 option 1 and leave a message. Please state your child's name, class and reason for absence.

Please remember to order your child's hot lunches on Parentpay 2 weeks in advance.

If they don't have lunch ordered, please send a packed lunch.

Don't forget to send your child into school with a water bottle and a coat.

MEET THE TEACHER



YEAR 1 - MONDAY 16TH SEPTEMBER

YEAR 2 - TUESDAY 17TH SEPTEMBER

**Meet the teacher will be held at the end of
the school day -3.10pm in your child's
classroom and last 15-30 minutes.**

Admissions – key dates

Monday 2 September 2024

Information on how to apply online will be sent to all parents of children living in West Sussex whose child attends a West Sussex state-funded school.

Online applications open. You must provide an email address to apply.

Schools will have their prospectuses available and will have arranged open events.

Thursday 31 October 2024

National closing date for secondary transfer applications.

You must submit your completed application by this date. Failure to do so will affect the priority attached to your application.

Monday 3 March 2025

Applicants will be notified which school their child is offered by e-mail, where an e-mail address is supplied.

Apply online at:
[westsussex.gov.uk/
admissions](https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/admissions)

Making an online application

To make an application using the online system you will need:

- an email address; and
- create an account on Parent Portal if you do not already have an account.

Your Username will be your email address.

Your password must adhere to the following rules. It must:

- be at least 8 characters long;
- have at least one character that is UPPERCASE;
- have at least one character that is lowercase;
- have at least one special character (such as: * ! \$); and
- have at least one number.

To apply for a school place please visit [westsussex.gov.uk/admissions](https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/admissions) or call 03330 142 903.

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admissions](https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/admissions)



Transferring to Secondary School

Deadline:

Thursday 31 October 2024



Stay in touch

- 📍 West Sussex Matters
- 📱 @WSCCNews
- 📺 wscctvdeo



West Sussex SENDIAS Service

Is your child starting primary school or transferring to junior or secondary school in September 2025?

Do you think, for

- whatever reason, you
- may struggle with the
- Admissions process?

Secondary School

Online applications open:

Monday 2 September 2024.

Deadline for applying for a secondary school place for your child is:

Thursday 31 October 2024.

Primary School (inc. infant/junior)

Online applications open:

Monday 7 October 2024.

Deadline for applying for a school place for your child is:

Wednesday 15 January 2025.

For more information on the admissions process:
www.westsussex.gov.uk/admissions

If so, the West Sussex SENDIAS Service can:

- explain the admissions process to you
- help you to make an informed decision about your child's schools of preference
- help you to fill in the online application form.

Please contact the SENDIAS Service:

Helpline: 0330 222 8555

Email: send.ias@westsussex.gov.uk

www.westsussexsendias.org





Free Year 3,4 &6 Table Tennis Sessions - Girls

Organisers	Worthing Table Tennis Club
When	Tuesdays - 17th Sep, Last Session Tuesday 15th Oct (with the possibility of extending until Christmas)
Timings	3:15 - 4pm
Cost	Free - Fully Funded
Where	The Gatwick School - Meet the coach at the primary school entrance at 3:15
Who is the club for?	Girls from Years 3,4,5 &6
How to book	Email the below address If your child would like to take part please email the address below and provide the required information: sally@worthingttc.com Please include the following information regarding your child: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Childs full name 2. Any medical needs or medication required 3. Allergies 4. Who/How they are to be collected or if they have permission to leave on their own 5. Any special educational needs 6. Any other information you feel is necessary

Important Information	Please note that places are limited, to avoid disappointment it is advisable to book quickly!
	Children will need to wear sports appropriate clothing, including trainers
	Your child will be dismissed directly to you from the primary entrance to the school at 4pm. Please inform Worthing Table Tennis Club which parent/ guardian will collect them.



Secondary Table Tennis Sessions - Girls

Organisers	Worthing Table Tennis Club
When	Tuesdays - 17th Sep, Last Session Tuesday 15th Oct (with the possibility of extending until Christmas)
Timings	4:10 - 4:45
Cost	Free - Fully Funded
Where	The Gatwick School - Meet the coach at the primary school entrance promptly at 4:10 (if you are late you will be unable to enter)
Who is the club for?	Secondary Girls (Years 7,8,9,10&11)
How to book	If your child would like to take part please email the address below and provide the required information: sally@worthingttc.com Please include the following information regarding your child: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Childs full name 2. Any medical needs or medication required 3. Allergies 4. How they are to be collected or if they have permission to leave on their own 5. Any special educational needs 6. Any other information you feel is necessary

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SOCCER SCHOOL



Fun, engaging, inclusive, safe football activity for boys and girls of all abilities, during the school holidays. Book now by either scanning the QR code or using the below website and specific course code.

chelseafcfootballdevelopment.com
course code: SS-TBCC-X-42

Area	Venue	Activity Dates
Sussex Crawley	Thomas Bennett Community College	Tuesday 29th October Wednesday 30th October
Timings	Ages	Cost
Start - 9.30am Finish - 3.00pm	5-12 Years Old	£48 Full Course

Open Events Season



Secondary Open Evening
(4.00 pm - 8.00 pm)
Wednesday 18 September 2024

Primary Open Evening
(5.00 pm - 7.00 pm)
Tuesday 12 November 2024

Secondary Open Days
from Tuesday 24 September 2024

Primary Open Days
small tours throughout the day
from Tuesday 12 November 2024

To register your place please visit our website
www.bohunthorsham.com
enjoy respect achieve



The Holy Trinity C of E Secondary School



OPEN EVENING

Wednesday 25th September 2024 5:00pm - 8:00pm

Applications are invited for September 2025

Buckswood Drive, Crawley, RH11 8JE

www.holytrinity.w-sussex.sch.uk Tel: 01293 423690 Email: office@holytrinitycrawley.org.uk






Autumn Term Diary Dates 2024

September 2024

- 9th - Reception in for morning and lunch
 - 10th - Reception in for morning and lunch
 - 11th - Reception in full time
 - 19th - School Photos
 - 20th - School Photos
 - 23rd - Y1 Owl Workshop
 - 25th - Y3 Trip to Highdown
 - 29th - 2nd - Y6 PGL Residential Trip to PGL Windmill Hill
 - 30th - Y6 Trip to Wakehurst
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October

- 1st - Y5 Astronomy Roadshow
 - 22nd - Y4 Trip to Fishbourne
 - 25th - Inset Day
- 28th Oct - 1st Nov - Half Term
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November

- 4th - Inset Day
- 5th - Return to school
- 15th - Y6 WW2 Workshop

December

- 6th - Y4 Roman Workshop
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HOUSE POINTS OF THE TERM!

JADE

RUBY

SAPPHIRE

AMBER