

Polehampton C of E Schools ~ 6th March 2026

"Let your light shine" Matthew 5:16

What a truly wonderful World Book Day we enjoyed yesterday! The children had a fantastic time, arriving in an array of imaginative costumes (a big well done to our parents!) and cosy pyjamas. The rich conversations about books and reading were pure joy! Across both schools, children created stories, blurbs and front covers, took part in quizzes, and shared warm discussions about their favourite books.

It remains one of the most special days in the school year for us as educators. The gift of reading is one of the most powerful gifts we can offer. It helps children understand themselves and others, giving them windows into different lives and challenges, doors into exciting new experiences (like soaring over a volcano on a dragon), and mirrors that help them reflect on their own feelings and perspectives.

We hope they enjoyed it as much as we did.

Infant Dates - Spring 1

Y1 Scooter training
Wed 11th March
Parents Evening
Thurs 12th March
Y1 Cake Sale
Friday 13th March
PTA Disco
Fri 20th March
Y2 - Rainforest Day
Tues 17th March
Infant School Disco
Friday 20th March
Easter Assemblies:
Blue - 24th March
Year 2 - 25th March
Year 1 - 26th March
Church Visit
Wed 25th March
Last Day of Term
Fri 27th March, 13:40

Junior Dates - Spring 1

Y3 PTA Bake Sale
Fri 6th March
Y3 Humph's Histories
Wed 11th March
Y4 Humph's Histories
Thurs 12th March
Parent's Evening 2
Thurs 12th March
PTA Disco
Fri 13th March
Y5 Woodrow Trip
18th - 20th March
Red Nose Day
Fri 20th March
House Fun Run
Tues 24th March
Church Visit
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PTA ...

In the world of social media, it is no secret that school budgets are tight.

We are so very, very fortunate to have such a proactive PTA, and parents who support their endeavours. With that in mind, we have some updates for you:

Thanks to this incredible generosity of the parents, and hard work of the PTA, we have seen work start on the new junior playground. The construction team are hoping to have it finished in the next week (fingers crossed) and we will be having an opening ceremony at lunchtime. More to follow on this but we must say a huge thank you to the parents for the money raised in the 24/25 year, and in previous terms, without this it wouldn't have happened.

The PTA have also informed us that fundraising for the infant playground is underway and we are hoping to replace this in the summer! This leads us nicely onto Polefest, another Polehampton PTA extravaganza!

It was nice to see some sun this week and I'm sure it's made you all very excited for summer. Polefest is set to be something different this year. This is not your typical summer fair but, instead, a day out for the whole family. There will be music from the incredible Natalie Gray, wonderful food and drink from our local community, and of course lots of games and activities for the children. The Polefest team are working hard on making this a truly standout event so make sure the date is marked in your calendar! If you can spare some time to help support the event, that would be wonderful too. Get in touch with your PTA class rep or contactus@polehamptonpta.org.



POLEFEST, Saturday 4th July 12:00 -19:00

Please find the Focus on Feedback attached to the main email. Thank you again for your engagement with this process.



As a family, we think it would be nice for you to share/describe a time when someone forgave you or when you forgave someone else. This will help build on our work on forgiveness.

We hope you have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Castell and Mrs Medcalf