

JYS News

Newsletter: 36~ 25th September 2026

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School Crossing Patrol Vacancy

Could you make a difference in our local community? West Sussex County Council is currently recruiting a School Crossing Patrol for the Jessie Younghusband/Parklands site. If you are friendly, reliable, and enjoy working with children, this could be a rewarding opportunity to help keep pupils safe on their journey to and from school. Please click on this [Link](#) or visit West Sussex County Council jobs website for more information and to apply.

This Week



Year 3 have had a hands on week of learning, creating a human number line in maths and building the 5 pillars of Islam in RE out of multilink. We then matched the definitions of the each pillar to its name. Great work!

We were incredibly fortunate to enjoy such wonderful weather for this year's Sports Day, which was postponed from last year. The morning session saw children in Years 4, 5 and 6 competing in a range of track events, demonstrating determination, resilience and excellent sportsmanship throughout. It was particularly pleasing to see children encouraging one another, celebrating each other's successes and giving their very best effort in every event.

The afternoon house-team activities were a roaring success, with children from across the school working together to earn points for their teams. Our Year 6 Sports Leaders were outstanding, showing maturity, enthusiasm and leadership as they organised and led each activity station. The atmosphere throughout the afternoon was fantastic, with children fully embracing the challenges, supporting their teammates and giving every activity their best shot.

Congratulations to Maple House, who were crowned this year's Sports Day champions! A huge well done to all the children for their enthusiasm, effort and sportsmanship throughout the day.



We are incredibly grateful to Chichester Construct for generously sponsoring our brand-new football kits! The boys' and girls' teams are absolutely thrilled and cannot wait to wear them with pride this season. Thank you for your fantastic support and generosity. ⚽

House Points

Children earn house points for different things throughout the week, and here are this week's results:

	This Week	Term Total	Year Total
Ash	107	324	324
Beech	122	335	335
Maple	98	311	311
Oak	138	360	360



Important Dates Coming Up

October 6th - Year 5 Trip to Fishbourne Roman Palace
October 9th - Open Afternoon (Opportunity to View Your Child's Books)
October 12th - Little City Visit Year R and Year 1
October 16th - Flu Vaccinations
October 19th - Year 2 Visit to Dell Quay, Chichester Harbour
October 19th - 23rd - Bikeability Year 6 (L1/2)
October 21st - Parents Evenings
October 22nd - Parents Evenings
October 23rd - Bikeability Year 5
October 26th - 30th - HALF TERM
November 2nd - INSET DAY (SCHOOL CLOSED TO ALL PUPILS)
November 5th - NO SWIMMING
November 5th - Year 4 Trip to Cathedral (Raise Your Voice)
November 5th - Autumn Disco 3.15-4pm KS1 and 4.15-5pm KS2