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Newsletter 8 – 22nd October 2026

Class News

Nursery	- have been very excited to welcome in our grown ups this week!
YR	- have been writing recipes and making spooky potions!
Y1	- had an exciting afternoon carrying out Science experiments this week
Y2	- have thoroughly loved designing and making our own Tudor houses!
Y3	- really loved showcasing our amazing learning in our class assembly
Y4	- had a great Samba session and really enjoyed having the chance to use all of the instruments on offer
Y5	- enjoyed the finale of our class texts this week
Y6	- have enjoyed making popcorn in forest school this week

Dear Parents,

What an incredible half term it has been — well done to Y3 for a fabulous Class assembly today! Thank you to SISA for organising two great events, the Halloween disco & Break the rules day! The SISA Committee desperately needs more support for these type of events. Can you spare a few hours to help?? Without your support these events will not be able to happen.

Wishing everyone a wonderful half term!

Online Safety

Deepfakes use AI to create convincing fake images, videos and audio recordings, making it appear that someone has said or done something they haven't. As this technology becomes increasingly accessible, young people face growing risks from online bullying, fabricated explicit images and sophisticated impersonation scams. From bogus celebrity endorsements to cloned voices and digital blackmail, deepfakes can have serious consequences for unsuspecting victims. With children potentially becoming both targets and creators of this misleading content, understanding the dangers is essential. This week's guide explores the risks and offers practical advice on spotting deepfakes, protecting personal information and encouraging responsible AI use.

Secondary School Applications –Closing date 31st October 2026
For those children that are due to be starting secondary school in September 2027, you can apply online at www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/apply-school-place
If you live in Hampshire please ensure you apply via Hampshire.
www.hants.gov.uk/educationandlearning/admissions School
Reception Starters 2027- Closing date 15th January 2027
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PE Kit days for November 2026
YR- Wednesday & Thursday
Y1- Wednesday & Thursday
Y2- Wednesday & Thursday
Y3- Monday & Wednesday
Y4- Monday & Thursday
Y5- Monday & Wednesday
Y6- Monday & Thursday

Dates for Diary

November

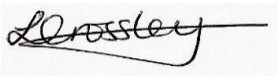
2nd	Back to school
4th-6th	Y4 Leeson House Residential

11th	Reception Starters 2027 Open Evening 4.30-6pm
16th	Odd Socks Day
19th	Y4 Class Assembly 9am
24th	Y1 Trip to Wimborne Victorian Museum
30th	Christmas Rocksteady Concert

December

1st	SISA Non-Uniform Day (Hampers)
4th	SISA Christmas Fair
14th	KS2 Christmas Performance @ Layard Theatre
15th	KS1 Nativity (PM)
16th	KS1 Nativity (AM)

Yours sincerely,



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