

# Southlands School Newsletter

Week Commencing 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2025

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## Letter from SLT



Dear parents and carers

It has been lovely to share with you all the outcomes from our recent Ofsted inspection in Education, where the inspectors judged the school to be Outstanding in all areas. We trust that you will have received the letter that was sent out earlier in the week, alongside of the full report. If for any reason you have not received this, please contact us on [southlands.admin@cambianguroup.com](mailto:southlands.admin@cambianguroup.com) and we will ensure that this is forwarded to you.

# Letter from SLT Continued

All of the children has also received a letter which they will be bringing home with them today and will be displayed in tutor rooms.

Thank you all for your support for Southlands school and being part of our school community.

## Options Afternoon

It was great to see parents and students together for our Options presentation this afternoon. We will be sending out the slides to support the year 9's in their decision-making. Should you have any further questions, please contact us on [southlands.admin@cambianguroup.com](mailto:southlands.admin@cambianguroup.com), and your email will be forwarded to the relevant person to respond to your query.

## Celebration Assembly

It was great this morning to celebrate with the children their achievements over the last week. Many received postcards and these were presented along with the Head of Education Award, which is presented to a student who is recognised for the way in which they demonstrate our school values of Resilience, Kindness, Respect, Cherish and Safety.

## Red Nose Day

On Friday March 21<sup>st</sup> we will be celebrating Red Nose Day. Please see the poster enclosed in this newsletter for further information.

## Parent Council

We look forward to welcoming parents and carers to Southlands for the parent council meeting on 27<sup>th</sup> March. The council meeting will be preceded by the ICT curriculum workshop which starts at 1:30.

**Reminder** – Please let us know if you have any views or feedback you would like to share in relation to the Weekly Feedback, as we are reviewing this. You should have received an email about this last week. If for any reason you need another copy of the email sent to you please contact us on [Southlands.admin@cambianguroup.com](mailto:Southlands.admin@cambianguroup.com).

This week has continued to be a clear focus on teaching and learning. The senior team have enjoyed going into lessons as part of monitoring processes.

We continue to work to develop and enhance our provision at Southlands.

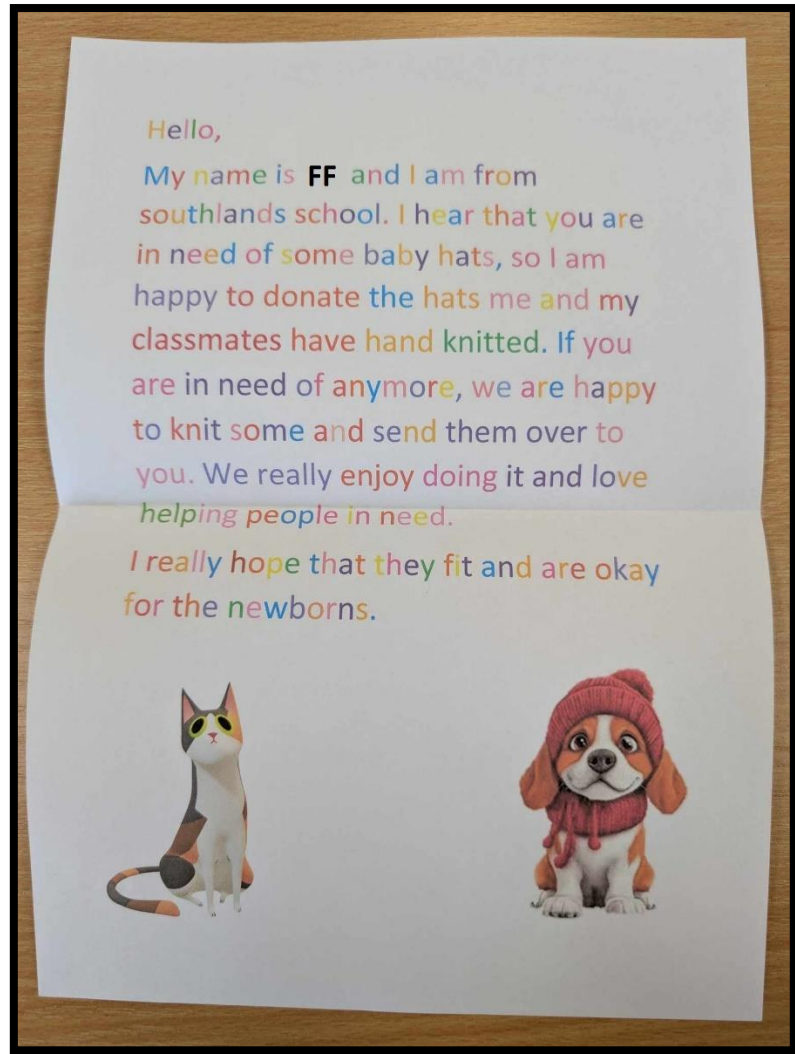
Thank you for your ongoing support. Wishing you a very lovely weekend.

From the Southlands Team



# Upper Phase Group - Hats

Upper Phase Nurture Group have been working for a long time on making these lovely woollen hats. They are going to be gifting them all to Southampton Hospital's Premature Baby ward, to help keep newborns comfortable. A very generous gift, and they will continue to make more over the coming months.



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**Children's** Hospital  
World class care and research

## Outdoor Learning - Primary

For outdoor learning this week, Primary 1 and 2 went geocaching. The children enjoyed following the directions to each geocache site and loved searching for the hidden items. We then went down onto the beach to enjoy the sunshine and search the stones; H found a fossil!





# Animal Care Trip

On Tuesday this week our Animal care group went to Liberty's Owl, Raptor & Reptile Centre. We had a walk around the centre looking at the different types of Owls and birds of prey they have and were even lucky enough to be able to see a bird show. A couple of our students were brave enough to sit on the front row! We learnt lots of interesting facts about the birds and even some of the snakes and Spiders too.



## Coach House - Dinner

On Monday 10<sup>th</sup> Coach House had a sushi night, where TRT helped staff in making it and learned how to prepare this delicious Japanese dish.





# Setthorns Dinner

This week it was the turn of our Registered Manager, Jack Murphy, to join Setthorns home for their dinner.

They had a delicious sticky chicken, with rice and broccoli, followed up with Boodles Orange Fool (which I had to look up, picture below from google).

Boodles Orange Fool is a specialty at the Boodle's Club in London, that's similar to a trifle, featuring a sponge cake base layered with a creamy, orange-flavoured mixture.



After dinner Jack was challenged many games of Connect 4.

I think we can tell from the pictures who might have won each round!



# RED NOSE DAY

Help us to  
celebrate 40  
years of Red  
Nose Day



Come to school dressed up as someone from the 1980's or wear something **Red** for a donation of £1.

There will also be a cake sale and the chance to throw wet sponges at staff.



# THE BIG 40<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY BAKE!

This year is 40 Years of Comic  
Relief

The care team are  
holding a cake sale

Date: 21<sup>st</sup> March

Location: Common Room

Time: Second half of lunchtime 12:45- 13:15

If you would like to contribute to the cake sale or help, please let us know



# Upcoming Exams Timetable

## May

12 <sup>th</sup>	AM	English Literature Paper 1 Maths FS Level 1 and 2 – Paper 1 – Non-Calculator Maths FS Level 1 and 2 – Paper 2 – Calculator
13 <sup>th</sup>	PM	Triple Biology Paper Combined Science - Paper 1F - Biology
14 <sup>th</sup>	AM	Geography Paper 1: Living with the physical environment
15 <sup>th</sup>	AM	GCSE Maths – Paper 1 – Non-Calculator
16 <sup>th</sup>	AM	English FS Level 1+2 Paper 1 – Reading
	PM	English FS Level 1+2 – Writing
19 <sup>th</sup>	AM	Triple Chemistry Paper 1 Combined Science – Paper 1F – Chemistry
20 <sup>th</sup>	AM	English Literature Paper 2
22 <sup>nd</sup>	AM	Triple Physics Paper 1 Combined Science – Paper 1F – Physics
23 <sup>rd</sup>	AM	English Language Paper 1
31 <sup>st</sup>		<b>GCSE Art and Design and Photography submission</b>

## June

4 <sup>th</sup>	AM	GCSE Maths Paper 2 – Calculator
6 <sup>th</sup>	AM	English Language Paper 2
	PM	Geography Paper 2 – Challenges in the human environment
9 <sup>th</sup>	AM	Triple Biology Paper 2 Combined Science – Paper 2F – Biology
11 <sup>th</sup>	AM	GCSE Maths Paper 3 – Calculator
11 <sup>th</sup>	PM	<b>CONTINGENCY DAY</b>
12 <sup>th</sup>	AM	Geography Paper 3 – Geographical Applications
13 <sup>th</sup>	AM	Triple Chemistry Paper 2 Combined Science – Paper 2F – Chemistry
16 <sup>th</sup>	AM	Triple Physics Paper 2 Combined Science – Paper 2F - Physics
25 <sup>th</sup>	All Day	<b>CONTINGENCY DAY</b>



# Southlands School Term Dates 24 - 25

## Southlands School

Term Dates 2024 - 2025



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- School Holidays
- Public Holidays
- Inset Days

- # 38 Week Residential Evening Return
- \* 38 Week Residential Leave

# EMBRACING AUTISM

**Three days that focus on skills and strategies**, for parents, carers and professionals supporting an autistic young person. Hampshire CAMHS Colleagues will be hosting these days alongside parents / carers with lived experience.

Supporting your autistic child to thrive - adapting to meet the needs of the autistic YP and practical strategies. Led by Dr Catherine Robson - Hampshire CAMHS.

Support for SEN in education & what to do if it's not working. Led by Gayle Moir, SENDIASS Services Manager. (not on 14 March)

Understanding autistic burnout, what it is, why it happens, why it's different to depression, recovery, safe spaces, and prevention. Led by Viv Dawes - Advocate/trainer/author.

**9.30am - 3.30pm**

**Friday, 14 March, 2025**

Proteus Creation Space,  
Council Road, Basingstoke  
RG21 3DH



**Wednesday, 9 July, 2025**

Waterlooville Community  
Centre, 10 Maurepas Way,  
Waterlooville, PO7 7AY

**Friday, 14 November, 2025**

St Peter Church Conference  
Centre, Jewry Street,  
Winchester, SO23 8RY

**Tickets £20**  
Tea and coffee  
included



For more information and to book a place go to  
[www.hampshirecamhs.nhs.uk/events/](http://www.hampshirecamhs.nhs.uk/events/)



# Southlands Children's Home —Safeguarding Poster

## Who can I report a concern to?



Jack Murphy  
Registered Manager  
01590 675350 / Ext 56345  
Jack.Murphy2@cambiagroup.com



Lauren Stubley  
Deputy Head of Care  
01590 675350 / Ext 56364  
Lauren.Stubley@cambiagroup.com

## I can also report concerns to..



James Watson  
Regional Care Lead

James.watson@cambiagroup.com



Alison Priddle  
Principal & Responsible Individual  
01590 675350 / Ext 56301 / 07711 765999  
Alison.Priddle@cambiagroup.com

All safeguarding concerns to be reported within **1 hour**  
Staff concerns ONLY to be reported to Registered Manager/Head of Care/  
Principal/Regional Lead

# Southlands School - (Education) Safeguarding Poster

## Southlands Designated Safeguarding Leads



**Holly Stevenson**

Named Designated Safeguarding Lead

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Holly.Stevenson@cambianguroup.com



**Alison Priddle**

Principal, Responsible Individual and DSL

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Alison.Priddle@cambianguroup.com

## Southlands Deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads



**Jess Holloway**

Co- Head of Education

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**Holly Jeffery**

DDSL / DBSL

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**Sorina Ciorteanu**

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Regional Lead - James Watson / James.Watson@cambianguroup.com

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