

MRJS News

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Mill Rythe Junior School

Headteacher – Mrs D Maxwell

Headteacher's Message

Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome to this week's newsletter.

Cheeky Chums

It was great to welcome our new year 3 cohort again this week as part of the cheeky chums event. We are looking forward to welcoming them back on Monday afternoon and Tuesday for their transition days.

Transition Days

On Monday afternoon and all day Tuesday, children in Year 3, 4 and 5 will be meeting their new class teachers for the academic year. I know that their new class teachers have been busy preparing for this and are very much looking forward to meeting their new class. Teachers have created class lists this year with the best interests of the pupils' learning and wellbeing at the forefront. We have used our in depth and well-rounded knowledge of the children across the year group, alongside our professionalism and experience, to sculpt classes that are balanced, happy and allow all children to achieve their very best. We appreciate your trust and confidence in our professional decisions and thank you in advance for your support.

Smart phone Free

Just a reminder we are a smart phone free school. Children should not be bringing their smart phones in to school - please ensure you check their bags before they come in to school as any smartphones will be confiscated if found and a parent/carer will need to come in and collect. Thank you for our support with this.

SCARF Curriculum RSE workshops

It was wonderful to welcome Julia from Coram Life Education on Monday and Tuesday of this week. The sessions are always interesting and informative. Your child may wish to talk to you about this at home.

Congratulations – Hayling Horticultural Summer Show

Well done to our gardening club who achieve great success at the Hayling Horticulture Summer show on Saturday 27th June. This was hugely successful. We are very grateful to our Hayling Horticultural Society volunteers and Mrs Blake who support our children with the Growing Together Project.

In the children's classes we placed:

- First and third for pot of marigolds.
- First prize for photograph of a cosmos flower.
- Second place for tray of produce.

In the adult classes, we placed:

- First for a display of 3 flowers and 3 vegetables.
- First for broad beans.
- First for carrots.
- First for potatoes.
- First for radishes.
- Second place for a big lettuce.
- Third place for 1 flower and 1 vegetable.
- We were highly commended for our tray of produce.

Friday 3rd July

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Summer Term

06.07.26 Transition Afternoon
07.07.26 Transition Day
08.07.26 Y6 Paulton's Park Trip
13.07.26 Y5 & Y6 Sports Morning
15.07.26 Y3 & Y4 Sports Morning
14.07.26 Y6 Bikeability
17.07.26 Year 6 Enterprise Day
21.07.26 Y6 Leavers Party
22.07.26 Y6 Leavers Assembly

AWESOME ATTENDANCE
Class: 4B

INSET DAYS

1st September 2026

23rd October 2026

4th January 2027

12th February 2027

7th June 2027

House Points For the week

Hardy:	523
Nelson:	875
Trafalgar:	590
Victory:	777

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Book Recommendation

Please see below this week's book recommendation we have received from a Year 6 child.



Title: Percy Jackson & the Lightning Thief Author: Rick Riordan
Date started: 23/6/26 Date finished: 2/07/26

What was the book about?

It was about a modern day demigod (a son of a mortal & a Greek god) he goes to a camp where he meets other demigods, but Zeus thinks he stole his lightning bolt (which he hasn't) so he is told to go on a quest & retrieve it.

What did you like about the book?

I liked the action/adventure, how the author included humour in some of the darkest battles. I also liked how he slowly gives out how to use the powers from his god-parent. I also liked how they made it so the main character has ADHD and autism.

Were there any parts you didn't like? Discuss.

I actually liked the whole book. Some bits were a bit strange but you can get through that. Overall I would definitely recommend it - the books Rick Riordan writes are my new favourites.



Parking

A gentle reminder about considerate parking. I have been made aware that cars have been parked blocking local residents driveways at collection time. Please may I respectfully request that you refrain from doing this and use the Lidl car park instead.

Attendance by class for this week

3C: 95.6%	3S: 95.6%	
4B: 100%	4H: 97.7%	4W: 95.9%
5B: 99.6%	5F: 91%	5MW: 99.1%
6C: 93.5%	6G: 95.9%	

Well Done 4B!

Have a wonderful weekend and I look forward to seeing you all on Monday.

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