

Fair Oak



Junior  
School

## Important Dates:

(All dates are  
subject to change)

### Autumn 1

W/b October 27-  
Half term

### Autumn 2

#### 3 November- INSET DAY

6 November-  
Y5 Winchester  
Science Museum  
Trip.

11 November -  
4pm-7pm Parents  
Evening.

12 November -  
4pm-6pm Parents  
Evening.

(Further  
information to  
follow nearer the  
time)

12 November-  
Flu jabs

# OAK BITES

No 07

21 October 2025



## Dear Parents/Guardians

Oak Bites is our weekly bulletin which aims to give parents and guardians useful information and key dates to make a note of. These dates will be added to/amended throughout the year.

**Some items stay on if they are still current.** In addition, each Friday Miss Loosemoore will share her Newsletter.

### Year 3

There is no news specific to Year 3

### Year 4

There is no news specific to Year 4

### Year 5

There is no news specific to Year 5

### Year 6

#### **Year 6 Leavers Hoodies-important information**

Please click here for more information [Year 6 Leavers hoodies](#)

#### **Year 6 DT Cooking**

Please click here for more information [Year 6 DT cooking](#)



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## PSA News

We've now sent home the children's Christmas card designs, and we hope you love them as much as we do! Instructions on how to place an order can be found on the order card. A percentage of the money raised will go to our PSA to support school projects and activities. Please note that all orders must be placed by Tuesday 29th October.

**Secret Santa—please use the link to find out how to book and pay**



FAIR OAK JUNIOR SCHOOL

# Secret Santa

SHOPPING EVENT

15<sup>TH</sup> / 16<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER

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### GENERAL INFORMATION-ALL YEAR GROUPS

#### **Breakfast Club—Key Changes, important information.**

As a reminder of the important changes that are taking place after half term. Please use the link here:

[Breakfast Club Changes](#)

#### **Lost Property**



**Lost  
property**

As a reminder, we will be placing a table with all of our lost property near to the main Y3 and 6 gate at the end of the day this Friday (24th). We will aim to do this on the last Friday before each half term going forward. Please have a look and take anything that you think may belong to your child(ren). Thank you

#### **Morning drop off**

A huge thank you to those parents who have been saying goodbye to their children at the gate in the mornings and to those who are trying to work towards this. It is much appreciated.

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### **Parking on site—important message**

Please can we remind all parents and guardians that unless you have a parking permit, there is

**NO PARKING ON THE SCHOOL SITE AT ANY TIME.**

This includes for any school events, performances, sporting events and parents evenings.

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COME AND JOIN US AT THE LIBRARY

# HALLOWEEN

Simple themed crafts for children



On Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2025

From 2.15 – 4.00pm

# meet in grief café

Saturday 8th November

Saturday 13th December

2:00 – 3:30pm

The Fountain Café,  
Shorts Road, Fair Oak

Research shows that we heal better in groups. Would you like to share your grief or just sit and be with others in a safe space? Maybe you have lost someone who has died or have experienced the breakdown of a relationship. Your relational grief is welcome here.

£4 and bring money for your refreshments.

We will be in the private meeting room.

For more information contact Kelly  
via email: [griefcafe@yahoo.com](mailto:griefcafe@yahoo.com)



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## GENERAL INFORMATION-ALL YEAR GROUPS



### You Are Not Alone - Free Parent Online Drop-In

Parenting an autistic child can feel amazing, confusing, and overwhelming, sometimes all in the same day. That's why we host our **no-cost monthly online drop-in sessions for parents and carers.**

**First Tuesday of every month**  
7pm - 8.30pm  
Platform: Zoom



Erik Wagter - host of the drop-in

#### What these sessions are all about

We've created a safe, non-judgemental space where parents can bring their questions, share worries and connect with others who 'get it'.

#### Topics often included:

- Understanding and responding to challenging behaviour
- Making sense of autism on a deeper level
- The ups and downs of family relationships and dynamics
- Working with schools and professionals
- Meeting like-minded parents and realising you are not alone



#### What parents say:

*'Thank you so much for the group this evening. I can't tell you how grateful I feel, and I really do feel less alone and more validated. **My hope is back**'*

#### Who runs the sessions?

I'm Erik Wagter, co-founder of Autism Family Support Service. Alongside being a social worker, trainer and Solution Focused family coach, I also bring over two decades of personal lived family experience of autism. Sometimes my wife Sally will join in as well.

**If you would like to join please send an email to [sallywagter@gmail.com](mailto:sallywagter@gmail.com) and we will send you the Zoom link.**

Autism Family Support Service  
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