



Upton Junior School

Growing Together, Learning Together, Achieving Together



4th April 2025

Newsletter

Dear Parents,

This is my last newsletter. It was just under four years ago that I joined Upton Junior School . At the time the school was in challenging circumstances, having failed Ofsted inspections for about eight years. The staff have worked incredibly hard since then to ensure that the school is flourishing and the next step for the school is the amalgamation with the infant school under the direction of Mr Churchill.

During the four years there have been some fabulous memories. The Jubilee celebrations on the Rec with the Infant school, the Summer music concerts, Christmas and summer fairs, World book day, Dr Bike, the wonderful flowers in the playground, sports days and Year 6 leavers events. All of these were made wonderful by the amazing children, staff and parents within our community. Thank you for all the support you have given. I wish you all well and look forward to hearing about the future successes of the school.

Many thanks,

Tony



We held a leavers assembly for Mr Collins this morning.

The children and staff wish him all the best for the future.



Save the Date!



Get ready to feel the summer vibes!
Join us for an unforgettable Summer Concert on
Thursday 10th July.

Mark your calendars – you won't want to miss it!



Stay tuned for more details.



This year there have already been a number of devastating outdoor fires in Dorset, including Moors Valley Country Park this week. With the school holidays soon to start, and lovely weather forecasted, we wanted to remind everyone of how to stay safe when enjoying the outdoors.

If you see a fire in the outdoors, do not try to tackle the fire:

- Get to a safe place;
- Note the fire location (apps such as What3Words can help if you're not sure);
- Call 999;
- If there is an adult present, meet the Fire & Rescue Service at the access point, if it is safe to do so.

Avoid having open fires or using barbecues in the countryside. Disposable barbecues and campfires are actually banned in many parts of Dorset. #BringAPicnicNotABarbecue

If you're at the beach, don't set off flares, have campfires or light barbecues as these can easily lead to gorse and foliage on the cliffs catching fire.

Extinguish smoking materials properly, and don't throw cigarette ends on the ground or out of car windows.

Take your litter home.

Most children do not play with fire, but please keep matches and lighters out of reach and talk to your children about the danger of playing with fire.

For further advice please visit [Dorset & Wiltshire Fire Service](#) | [Amber wildfire alert extended](#).

Thank you
Dorset & Wiltshire Fire and Rescue Service

OPEN GOOD FRIDAY!

EASTER EGGSTRAVAGANZA HOLIDAY CLUB

Monday 7th - Friday 18th April
Lytchett Minster School



Multi-Activity Holiday Club for children aged 4-13 with activities such as - Football, Dance, Gymnastics, Inflatable Fun, Dodgeball, Arts & Crafts, Nerf Wars, Tennis, Cricket and many many more!

08:00-16:00 DAILY

LIMITED HAF SPACES AVAILABLE!

PAID SPACES AVAILABLE JUST £20 PER DAY!

Venue: Lytchett Minster School, BH16 6JD

Contact: kirsty@starscorporateltd.co.uk
to book your spot



py&cf
the young live life
Purbeck Youth & Community Foundation

family FUN DAY

FREE WITH HAF CODE

A GREAT WAY TO MAKE NEW FRIENDS!

AT THE PURBECK YOUTH & COMMUNITY CENTRE
WORGRET ROAD, WAREHAM, BH20 4PH

Wednesday 16th April

food included for children & young people

11AM - 3PM
Nature crafts, facepainting, bouncycastle, indoor & outdoor games, sumo wrestling and much more!

Please call 01929 552934 or email office@pycf.org.uk

FREE for Under 3s and adults
£3 for under 8s
£5 for over 8s

Easter in Dorset

Funded by
Department for Education

Dorset Council



Lytchett United
Royal British Legion
Club

NEW MEMBERS WELCOME

Everyone is welcome at the Club and membership is open for all to join, no services / forces connection is required. Collect a membership form from the club.

REGULAR EVENTS

- REGULAR BAND / MUSIC NIGHTS
- FAMILY FRIENDLY QUIZ NIGHTS
- FAMILY FRIENDLY KARAOKE
- SUNDAY NIGHT BINGO

KIDS EVENTS

- 19TH APRIL - EASTER PARTY
- 1ST NOVEMBER - HALLOWEEN PARTY
- 20TH DECEMBER - CHRISTMAS PARTY

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Dorchester Road, Upton, BH16 5NW



AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS!

 Upton Junior School

 Easter- May HT
5 Weeks

 Mugga

 Pick up at 4.15pm
at the school gate

CLUBS

Thursday

Football - Y3-6



FOOTBALL CAMP



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Easter
in Dorset

360 DORSET CAMPS

CHILDCARE
VOUCHERS
ACCEPTED

MULTI SPORT & FOOTBALL HOLIDAY CAMP



7-17TH APRIL

WIMBORNE

MERLEY

POOLE

AGES 5-12

DORSET & BCP HAF SPACES

Paid Places

Ofsted
Registered

Dorset
Council

BCP

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360° FOOTBALL CAMPS

 - Merley First School

 - Easter Break- 3 Days

 - 10 - 2pm



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Come and join us to celebrate Easter

Good Friday - 3-4pm at St Dunstan's in
Upton (BH16 5JA) - come and make and
decorate your own Easter biscuits!

4-5pm A fun and interactive family Easter
Service with music from our kids band.

**JESUS
is risen!**

Easter Sunday - 10am at
Lytchett Minster Parish Church
(BH16 6JE) - All age Easter
Celebration followed by an
Easter egg hunt!

Children are really welcome at all our services, but
these ones have been planned with all ages in
mind!

Lytchett Minster Parish Church
and St Dunstan's Upton



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THIS MONTH

Saturday 19th April - 2pm - 4pm

**Kids Easter Party - £3 per child (please
pre-book) Entertainment from Mini Maz
Childrens Entertainment.**

For a full list of events please visit our website.

 www.lurbl.co.uk

 **Dorchester Road, Upton, BH16 5NW**

ARTZ+SPORTZ+XTRA MAY 25

**3 x 3hr Sessions
for £26.77**

(with 20% discount for those
receiving universal credit)

AGE 5 - 17
FOR CHILDREN
WHO ARE DISABLED
OR AWAITING DIAGNOSIS.
1:1 SUPPORT AVAILABLE

SATURDAY CAMP

3.10.17 MAY 2025 9.30 - 12.30 P.M.

SAT 3RD MAY SOFT PLAY, SENSORY ROOM & GARDEN. GAMES
SAT 10 MAY SOFT PLAY, SENSORY ROOM & GARDEN GAMES
SAT 17 MAY CLIMBING, TUNNELING & SOFT PLAY WITH THE WOEC TEAM.

**W.O.E.C. KNIGHTSDALE RD.
WEYMOUTH
DT4 0HS**

Contact
leisureWDWP@dorsetcouncil.gov.uk
to request a place.

Closing date: 16 April 25
Confirmation emails by 17 April 25



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