

Weekly Newsletter Upcoming Dates

October

16th Year 3 visit to Westlands Dairy Farm, St Peter
18th PTA Second hand uniform sale, 9.00-11.00, School Foyer
20th Year 2 visit to La Collette Recycling Centre
20th Parent Teacher Consulations, 17.00-19.00
22nd Year 1G visit to Le Don Sinkins Woods
23rd Parent Teacher Consulations, 15.00-18.00
24th Pumpkin Competition
27th-31st Half term - school closed

November

3rd Back to school
7th PTA Crazy Hair Day
10th-14th Music Eisteddfod
13th Choir Eisteddfod, St Helier Methodist Church
13th Reception Vision Screening
14th Children in Need
17th Reception Vision Screening
20th Year 5 Assembly, 14.00, Hall

December

3rd Reception Nativity, 13.30, Hall
4th Reception Nativity, 9.15, Hall
5th Year 3 Swimming Gala, 13.15, Langford
9th Key Stage 2 Carol Service, 18.00, Methodist Church
10th Year 4 Swimming Gala, 13.15, Langford
12th Year 2 Production, 9.00 & 13.30, Hall
16th Year 1 Christmas Singing, 9.00 & 13.30, Hall
18th Christmas Party Day
18th Last day of term

To help working parents we have added the dates for the school year to our website.

^{*}Date change

Headteacher's Message

Thank you to everyone who has already contributed to our annual Tinathon collection – your generosity is truly appreciated and makes such a difference to those in need within our community. Our first Mustard Seed shoeboxes have also started to arrive with Mrs Milon – what a brilliant start! Please do keep them coming in over the next few weeks.

After the overwhelming success of last year, we are delighted to announce the return of our **Pumpkin Carving Competition!** Information has already gone home with your child, but please contact your class teacher if you need any more details. We cannot wait to see this year's creative and spooky designs.

It has been another wonderfully busy week of learning and exploration. Our Year 1 children have been out and about enjoying their Woodland Wander at Hamptonne Woods, while Year 2 have gone early with the glitter in their fantastic fish creations! Years 4 and 5 have been impressing everyone with their clay work, producing remarkable replicas of Stonehenge and some beautifully designed Victorian tiles.

We end the week with great excitement as the children prepare to put on their dancing shoes for the **PTA disco this evening**. A huge thank you to our wonderful PTA for organising such a fun event – we are all looking forward to seeing some excellent moves on the dance floor!

Mrs Precious

School Notices



DUEToday Update to Image Consent for Your Child

We are currently updating our image consent records across the school. We kindly ask that you carefully read the information contained within the form below and complete it regarding your permission for the use of your child's image.

Please could we receive your completed form by Friday 10th October.



https://forms.office.com/e/ndiSUbE8We

Parent Teacher Meetings

Parent Teacher Consultations are being held on **Monday 20th October** and **Thursday 23rd October**. Appointments are still available to book until midnight on Thursday 16th October. These meetings will be held in your child's classroom with your child's class teacher.

If you haven't booked yet please go to https://www.parents-booking.co.uk/jcp to make your appointment.

The meetings are intended for parents only and children should not attend these. There will be childcare, in the Hall, for any children who need looking after while their parents are at their meeting. Children must be signed in and out by a parent or guardian. If you will need childcare, please book in advance (via link below) so that we know how many children to expect and can plan accordingly.

https://forms.office.com/e/Q0w8u8L8eH



School Photographs

School photographs are now online and available to order with free delivery to school if you order by **Thursday 16th October**.

Please see the ticket your child brought home on the day the photos were taken with the information you need to order.

Should you not have your child's ticket, please contact the photographer, Bentley Photographic, directly

https://orders.online.bentleypics.com
email support@bentleyphoto.com



Scholastic Book Club



Your child should have brought home their Scholastic Book Club magazine. Please click here to browse the latest books and order online. Please note we only accept online purchases so please do not send orders into school.

For every £1 you spend on this month's Book Club, our school will earn 20p in Scholastic Rewards which will go towards keeping our library up to date with all the latest releases.

Please place your order online by **Saturday 18th October**.





Jersey Marathon

Well done to Miss Shingles, Mrs Vibert, Mrs Christopher, Mrs Millon and Mrs Morrison for completing the 20th Standard Chartered Jersey Marathon Relay Race as the JCP Rockets! Great teamwork!





Ice Cream Sale



Ice creams pots will be on sale for £2 by JCG House Captains raising funds for Diabetes Jersey at the top waiting circle on **Friday 17th October.**

School Council Network Meeting

This week our Year 5 and 6 School Council representatives attended the first School Council Network Meeting at Highlands College.

We networked with other schools and met their council representatives, and listened to government representatives talk about healthy habits when working online. We had a chance to discuss and share our own ideas and also enjoyed some yummy pastries!





18 Woodland Walk





This week 1S went on an Autumnal Woodland Walk to Le Don Sinkins Wood. We met our guide Erin who showed us how to identify different leaves and seeds from Oak and Sycamore trees, and then made our own nature bracelets from our discoveries. We also spotted a heron, some sheep, and found some mushrooms which glow in the dark!





Mustard Seed Jersey Shoebox Appeal for Christmas 2025

Please consider getting involved and supporting this year's Mustard Seed Jersey Shoebox Appeal. Further information can be found in the link below. Please bring all shoeboxes to school by **Wednesday 22nd October**. All completed boxes should be delivered to Mrs Milon in Year 2

<u>Mustard Seed Jersey Appeal Letter</u>







Pumpkin Competition



Due to the overwhelming response last year, the pumpkins are back!

The year 6 Art Leaders invite all children to draw, design and enter a pumpkin carving competition. Children should create their design on the sheet provided by their class teacher. Please could we ask that adults carve the pumpkins!

Dementia
We kindly suggest a £1
Jersey donation/entry for our school
charity, Dementia Jersey. We ask that any donations
be handed to class teachers.

Please bring into school on Wednesday 22nd October- not before. Place pumpkins on top of the design sheet on the tables outside the hall and in the foyer. Pumpkins will be judged, and a winner from Key Stage 1 and 2 will be announced in assembly on Friday 24th October. Pumpkins must be taken home on this day.

We look forward to seeing your creations...



S Clubs



Monday

Year 3 & 4 Football Club	12.30-12.55	Hall
Year 6 Netball Club	15.00-16.15	Netball Court

Tuesday

Year 2 Just Dance Group 1	12.00-12.30	Hall

Wednesday

Year 3 & 4 Multi Sports Club	12.00-12.30	Hall
Year 5 & 6 Football Club Group 1	15.00-16.15	Heathfield
Year 5 & 6 Hockey Club	15.00-16.15	Claremont Astro

Thursday

Year 2 Football Club	12.00-12.30	Hall
Year 5 Netball Club Group 1	15.00-16.15	Netball Court











Year 6 Netball

🎉 LET'S GO, JCP! 🎉

COME AND SUPPORT OUR YEAR 6 NETBALL TEAMS!

Join us for an exciting afternoon of netball as our

Year 6 A and B Teams take on Ravenscourt Park Prep

School!

📆 Wednesday 15th October

TOP Netball Court (Langford Sportshall if weather is bad)

- **S** A TEAM MATCH
- ₱ 2:00 PM − 2:50 PM
- **SOLUTION** B TEAM MATCH
- □ 3:00 PM 3:50 PM

Let's show our teams some JCP spirit – your support makes all the difference!











Year 6 Netball

JCP C vs First Tower

JCP's Year 6 C team put in a strong performance in a close match, narrowly losing by just one goal to First Tower.

There was some excellent attacking play and great ball movement, but chances couldn't always be converted in the shooting circle. Defensively, JCP found it tough to stop First Tower's confident shooters, who ultimately edged the game.

A great effort from all players – the team is showing clear progress every week. Well done, JCP!

Final score: First Tower 4-3 JCP C

Player of the Match: Alice R







Music Clubs



Monday

Ukulele Club	15.00-16.00	Garden Chalet

Tuesday

String Ensemble	12.30-12.55	Music Room
Senior Choir	15.00-16.00	School Hall

Wednesday

Junior Choir (Year 3 & 4)	12.30-12.55	Music Room	
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Thursday

Signing Choir	8.00-8.30	Music Room
Wind Ensemble	12.30-12.55	Music Room

Friday

JCP Orchestra	8.00-8.45	Music Room	
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We have a limited spaces available at Little Leopards on Wednesday and Thursday as well as on a Friday. s. If you are interested, please email littleleopards@jcgfoundation.com



Holiday camp

Our next Creative Minds Camp is taking place from Monday 27th to Friday 31st October from 09:00 to 17:00.

We will be visiting the pumpkin Patch, working on some seasonal crafts and getting dressed up for a creepy carnival! Join us for some spooky thrills!



£365 (£310 for Little Leopards)

Follow this link to book!

Easy Fundraising

With easyfundraising, your online shopping turns into free cashback for JCG Foundation! Sign up and your favourite retailers will donate every time you shop - at no extra cost to you. Join before midnight 12th October and we could win one of ten £100 donations - Follow this link to support us with your purchase



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Follow us on social media for regular updates about the Foundation activities









NEW FOR 2025 – SPORTS ACCESS PROGRAMME!

The Sports Access Programme is a brand-new initiative launched by Jersey Sport for 2025. The programme has £40,000 to support young islanders who have financial barriers to access sport and physical activity.

Its mission? To eliminate the challenges and worries of costs that prevent children residing in Jersey, getting involved in local sport! Thanks to seed funding from the Philip Gower Foundation and Barry Burns Foundation, this programme helps new, returning and existing participants get and stay active in Jersey.

WHAT CAN BE FUNDED?

The funding associated with the Sports Access Programme supports children and young people to access sport, who would otherwise not be able to due to the associated costs of participation. The funding can help with costs such as membership or participation fees, as well as necessary kit or equipment.

WHICH ISLANDERS ARE ELIGIBLE?

To be eligible to receive funding from the Sports Access Programme, participants must:

- be aged 0 to 17 years old and resident in Jersey
- demonstrate financial barriers that prevent access to sport and physical activity, and
- be new to the sport, returning to the sport or having challenges maintaining existing activity within sport.

For more details please see: https://jerseysport.je/sports-access-programme/