

Honesty Respect Responsibility Kindness



Hello

We love having more opportunities for our older children to support our younger ones – these supportive relationships are at the heart of our school. Earlier this week our Year 5 and 6 children set up and ran lunchtime games for our Key Stage 1 children. We were so proud of their fantastic leadership skills and of how kind and encouraging they were to the younger children.

We have also been thrilled with the success of our Key Stage 2 gymnasts (see below!) and with the way our Key Stage 2 children responded to their exciting virtual visit from author, Maz Evans this afternoon.



School Photographer

Our school photographer, Cardwell and Simons, will be in school on the afternoon of **Thursday November the 24th**. The photographer will take individual photos of the children, as well as photographing any siblings.

Families will receive proofs and logon details so that you can order copies of photos in time for Christmas, if you would like to.

If you would like to have a photograph of all your children (including younger children who do not yet attend school, or older children at secondary school) **you are welcome to come in at the end of the school day**. The photographer will work on a first come first served basis, so please be prepared to wait!



Remembrance

This morning just before 11.00, children and staff gathered beside the memorial plaque outside the Village Hall for our

traditional remembrance ceremony.

We thought about the men from our small village whose names are on the plaque and who fought for our country many years ago and we expressed our gratitude for all the men and women who have defended our country ever since.

Our oldest and youngest children, **Daisy - Year 6** and **Emily - Year R**, laid a wreath on behalf of our school community.

Indy – Year 6 read her very thoughtful reflection and **Bethany – Year 5** read the beautiful prayer she had written.

We were so proud of the respectful way all our children observed the two minutes' silence.



Parent Survey

We are seeking your views about how we communicate with families and you should shortly receive an email containing a link to a survey we have put together.

Working in close partnership with families is fundamental to the success of our children and something we revisit regularly to try to ensure we are getting things right.

Our survey includes a question about whether, moving forward, you would prefer parents' evenings to be held virtually or in person. It also seeks your views on other forms of communication such as our website (which we are planning to improve next term).

There is an opportunity to add comments after most questions if you wish to and we would be very interested to read any comments you may have. However, if you are short of time, it should only take a few minutes to click on the answers which are right for you.

There are separate surveys for Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 families. The only difference is that the Key Stage 1 survey has some questions about our induction process.

If you have children in both key stages, we would really appreciate you completing the Key Stage 1 survey. (Although you are welcome to complete both surveys if you wish!)

We will use the results of the surveys to help us further improve our partnership with you. Many thanks for your precious time.

Key Stage 1 survey:

<https://forms.gle/9WNYSoTSzWk1FZsJA>

Key Stage 2 survey:

<https://forms.gle/aUfANoAade4XKVSVA>

Fossils Workshop for Oak Class



Mrs Cunningham and Mr Toomer were very impressed by the way our Year 5 and 6 children responded to some exciting learning on Thursday afternoon.

"Oak Class had a fantastic workshop on Thursday with St Barbe's Museum. We learnt so much about Fossils, different types of rocks and adaptation.

Verity, who led the session, was super and involved us all in lots of fun activities - we even got to role play being dead

dinosaurs, strange creatures who had to learn to adapt and various types of rocks.

At the end of the session we investigated a range of fossils, designed our own evolving animals and looked at how changing habitats had affected the survival of animals."



Maths Week Competition

A message from Mrs Cunningham, our maths lead:

"We're celebrating Maths Week England by taking part in a friendly times tables (and division) competition. We would love children from Year 2 to Year 6 to take part.

The competition runs from 07:30 GMT Monday 14th November to 19:30 GMT Wednesday 16th November. It's all done online via play.ttrockstars.com.

Children can play in any game mode with every correct answer to a multiplication or division question, earning themselves, their class and the school a point.

The Times Tables Rock Stars platform will calculate the class average (the number of correct answers per pupil in the class who play during the competition hours, subject to a daily 60-minute limit (see below)). Winning classes in the school and in the competition as a whole will be the ones with the highest average.

To support player wellbeing, there is a daily time limit of 60-minutes per player. In other words, each player can earn competition points for up to 60-minutes between 07:30 GMT and 19:30 GMT from 07:30 GMT Monday 14th November to 19:30 GMT Wednesday 16th November. Once the player goes beyond 60-minutes of play on that day, they will still earn coins but will no longer earn points towards the competition.

In the spirit of the competition, please don't play on your child's behalf but by all means encourage and support them to the extent that it doesn't cause high stress levels or impact on family plans.

Thank you."



Parent/Headteacher Meeting

Our next meeting will be on **Thursday 24th November at 9.00 pm.** (we are trying a different time!)

The meeting will be an opportunity to hear about changes which are taking place in school with children's reading as well as to discover why children are putting up their hands less in class!

It is also an opportunity to ask any questions or make any suggestions.

As you know, we never discuss individual children or members of staff.

ALL parents and carers are very welcome, whether you want to ask a question, make a suggestion or just listen. Please come along if you can.


After School Club



After School Club
Beaulieu Village Primary School

After School Clubs
Monday - Friday
3.15 - 6.00
Includes healthy evening snack

www.activeforall.co.uk



Activity Club

Active For All deliver a wide range of fun activity clubs run by qualified and experienced coaches at your school

Beaulieu Village Primary School

Autumn Term 2: 3.15pm - 4.15pm

Monday - Football Boys & Girls Years R-6
Tuesday - Multi-skills R-6
Wednesday - Arts & Crafts Years R-6
Thursday - Dodgeball Years R-6
Friday - Invasion Games R-6

For more details or to book go to our website

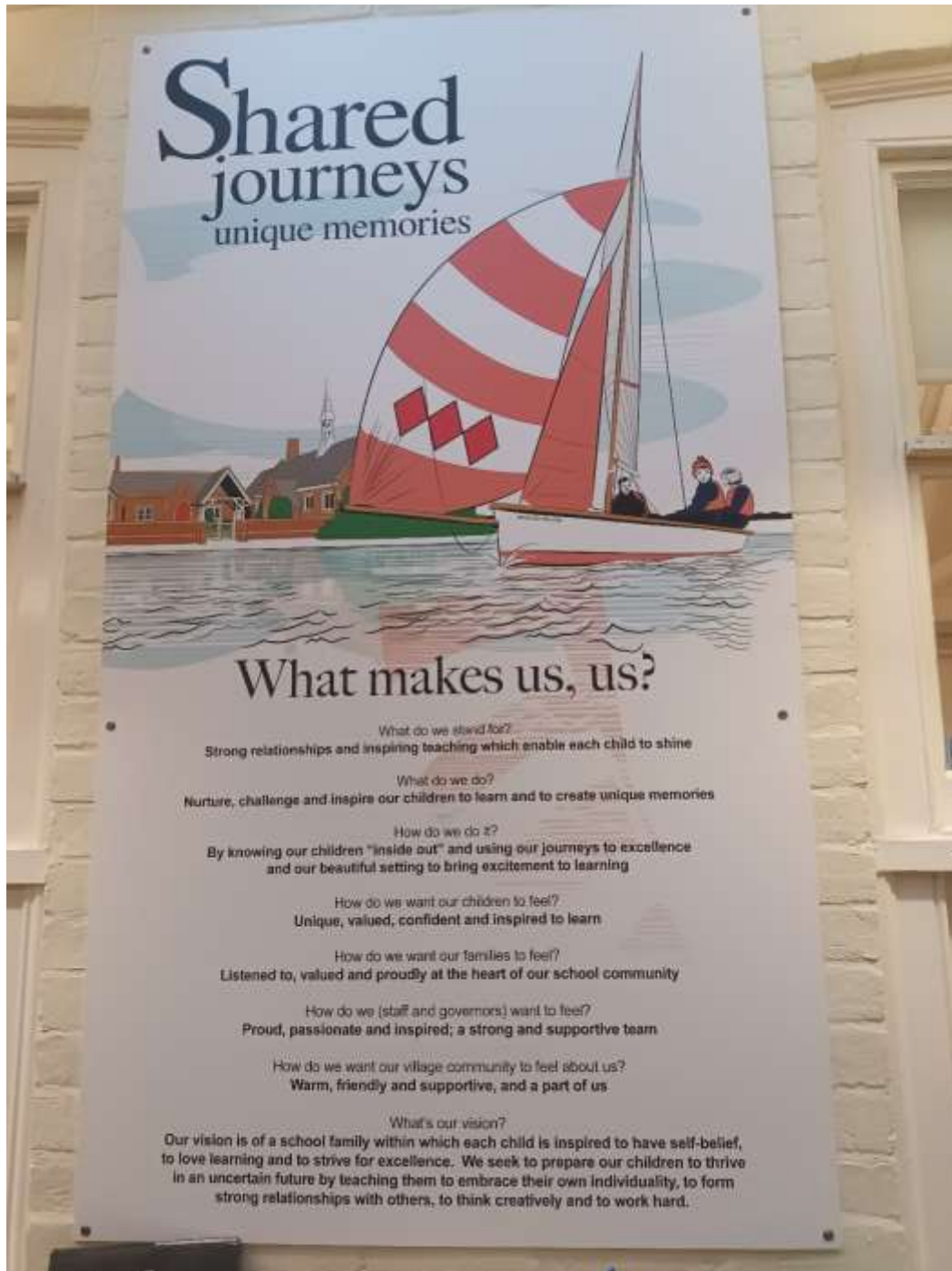
Call: 02381 260 404
Website: www.activeforall.co.uk

Please consider trying our fabulous After School Club if you haven't already done so. Mr Singh would love to see more children coming along. The activities are lots of fun (some of the staff are queuing up to play Invasion Games on a Friday!) and we have particularly noticed some of our quieter children flourishing in this group.

A full session (up to 6.00 pm) costs £8 and a short session (up to 4.15 pm) costs £4.

We would really appreciate your on-going support for this high quality, reasonably priced childcare.

Our School Vision



Last term we revisited our school vision. We consulted with children (through assemblies and the school council), with parents (through the parent/headteacher meeting), with staff and with governors.

The thread that ran through everybody's thinking was that our school is a family where everybody knows and cares about each other and that this gives our children the confidence to shine.

Our vision drives everything we do and is an important reference point for us when making decisions about the future.

The new board for our entrance area arrived last week. (It looks very like the old board but the wording is subtly different!) We are very excited about our vision and pleased to have it in such a central place.

We hope you share our thinking; we're always grateful for any feedback about how we're putting our vision into practice.



Pressures on the Farming Community

We are very proud to have members of the farming community as part of our school family and wider village community. We know that the current economic situation and the terrible war in Ukraine is impacting farmers particularly badly. At the bottom of this newsletter is some information which has recently been shared with schools. It includes contact details for organisations which can offer support to members of this community.



Can you help us welcome more families?!

In the current economic climate, ensuring we have enough children in each year group is more important than ever for a small school like ours.

Despite the huge pressures on our funding, we are determined to maintain the high standards of teaching and learning we have set ourselves and to continue to provide the nurturing, family approach we all value.

To do this effectively we need to maintain our pupil numbers (and to build our numbers in year groups which are smaller).



A very warm welcome awaits you at
Beaulieu Village Primary School

Open Day

Come and see our highly successful, family-friendly
school in its beautiful and historic location

Tuesday 29th November 2022
10.30am or 6pm

Please contact the school office to book your place
or to visit us by appointment please call
01590 612255

www.beaulieuschool.org.uk
Twitter - @BeaulieuVillSch

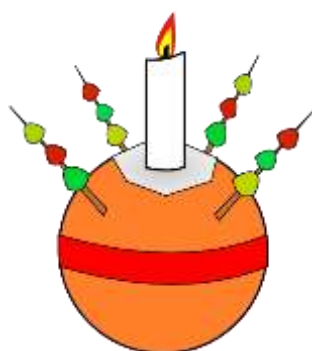
Shared Journeys, Unique Memories



Applications are now open for families wanting a Year R place for September. We would really appreciate you mentioning our school to local families, particularly those wanting a Year R space or a Year 3 space for September 2022. (We know families often assume they won't get in to Beaulieu if they live outside the village.)

On **Tuesday 29th November** we are having a second **open day**, with sessions at 10.30 am and 6.00 pm. This is an opportunity for families with children of primary school age, in any year group, to find out more about our school.

If you have access to a relevant social media site we would be so grateful for your help in promoting this event.



Can you help make Christingles?

If you are able to help us decorate the children's Christingle Oranges for our service at the Abbey Church we would LOVE to hear from you!

We need a few lovely helpers to come to the village hall on the morning of **Wednesday 14th December** to form a production line. Please let Jenny (chair of FOBS) or Lisa in the office know if you are able to help out. Thank you.

Amazing Gymnasts

Mrs Buckmaster was thrilled with her Year 3 and 4 gymnasts who not only behaved beautifully in their recent competition but who also came back to school with **team gold medals**. Miss Hayes (who was there in spirit) was extremely proud of them too!



Bella – Year 3 " We had a great time and my favourite activity was the trampoline because we got to bounce so high."

Monty – Year 3 "The vault was my favourite as I had to do a handstand and flip off."

Stephanie – Year 3 "Everyone tried their hardest."



Izzy – Year 4 " I had butterflies in my tummy because I was so excited about the activities. It was the best."

Mollie – Year 4 " At the start of learning our routine we were nervous; as the weeks went on we got more confident."

Lily – Year 4 " When we did the balance routine I was so nervous because we thought we were going to mess it up.

Just one week later, our Year 5 gymnasts competed in their inter-school competition and... once again... **Beaulieu were the winners!** Mrs Buckmaster and Miss Hayes are walking on air!! A huge well done to the team.



Josh "It was fun!"

Skylar "It was hard work but paid off in the end."

Sophie "We all tried our best."

Neve "It was exhilarating and my favourite was the vault."

Ruby "We did really good team work and the balancing and jumping on the air track was fun."

Harriet "We tried our best in the two routines, my heart was racing when they said the scores."



National Anti-bullying Week

Next week we will be discussing anti-bullying in school. We will be watching a very short film which can be viewed by visiting the anti-bullying website, anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk

We will be exploring how we can reach out to others who may be in danger of being bullied and how we can reach out if we are being bullied ourselves.

We will discuss the safe people we can reach out to... parents, family, teachers, friends and talk particularly about adults the children can speak to in school including their teachers, me, or Mrs Thorne.

We will also explore how having a heartsart school where people are kind to one another, challenge unkind behaviour, and check in with each other helps prevent bullying.

If you have any questions, or if you ever suspect your child or any other child may be being bullied, please don't hesitate to talk to us.

National Sleep Helpline

Many children and families experience problems with sleep which can cause a great deal of stress. It is always helpful for us to be aware of any sleep issues your child is experiencing so that we can help to support them. This information about the national sleep helpline may be helpful to some families.



the national sleep helpline

Does your child suffer with sleep issues?

Do you struggle with your child's bedtime?

Will your child not sleep in their own bed?

WE CAN HELP

03303 530 541

Sunday - Tuesday & Thursday 7pm - 9pm
Wednesday 9am - 11am



the national sleep helpline

50%

Around 50% of children will have a sleep issue at some point*

WHAT IS THE NATIONAL SLEEP HELPLINE?

In partnership with Furniture Village, The Sleep Charity has launched a brand new National Sleep Helpline to ensure that everyone has access to high quality, evidence-based advice.

HOW CAN THE NATIONAL SLEEP HELPLINE HELP YOU?

- Run by a team of specialist trained sleep advisors
- Offer you some practical strategies and recommend services that could help
- Ensuring you understand how sleep plays an important part in your child's mental health and wellbeing
- Listen without judgement and help you decide what next steps are right for you
- Empower you with sleep knowledge so you can understand why your child might not be sleeping well and how that can change

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the sleep charity

Furniture Village

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*Survey of 2,000 adults in the UK, Aug 2021



Headteacher Stickers

Max – Year R For impressing all the adults by using his phonic knowledge to write words independently
Freddie H and Audrey – Year 1 For excellent writing
Preston and Jack – Year 1 For carefully un-muddling muddled up sentences independently
Theodore – Year 1 (2 in one day!) For applying all his skills to write one lovely letter at home and one super letter at school
Alexa – Year 2 For outstanding effort and presentation in R.E.
Reggie – Year 2 For showing super independence in maths
Jarnail – Year 3 For generosity
Sophie – Year 3 For selecting beautiful vocabulary and demonstrating exceptional handwriting in her published piece of work
Eli – Year 3 (2!) For joining in so enthusiastically in his handball lesson and explaining the rules to others, for composing a beautiful piece of descriptive writing
Freddie and Zach – Year 6 For breath-taking improvement in their handwriting!
All children in Oak Class – Years 5 and 6 For being such fantastic role models and showing outstanding respect during our Remembrance Ceremony, despite the wasp which kept bothering them!

I hope you and your family have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes,



Katherine Jones

Headteacher



Diary Dates

Please keep these dates for your diary.

New dates will appear in red

Day/Time	Event	Notes
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Tuesday 15 th November at 2.15 pm	Key Stage 2 Dance Performance in the Village Hall	The children from Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 (Chestnut, Maple and Oak classes) will be performing the dances they have created in their PE lessons for the younger children to see, Families are very welcome to come along if they would like to.
Thursday 17 th November	Celebration Assembly	2.30 in the Village Hall Involving children in years 1–6 Families welcome
Friday 18 th November	Children in Need Day	Please wear something spotty (e.g. badge, headband, clothing or face paint) in exchange for a donation Sensible clothing and footwear, please!
Thursday 24 th November	9.00 am Parent/Headteacher meeting Pm School photographer to take individual photos of the children	All welcome – please come along to find out more about what’s happening in school or to ask any questions/make any suggestions. Families will receive proofs and a login and may purchase photos if wished. If you would like to have a photo taken of all the children in your family, including children who are not at Beaulieu, please come in after school and be prepared to wait!
Thursday 1 st December	Celebration Assembly	2.30 in the Village Hall Involving children in years 1 – 6 Families welcome
Monday 5 th December, Tuesday 6 th December and Thursday 8 th December	Key Stage 2 (Chestnut, Maple and Oak) children share work	Families welcome to come into class and look at their children’s books together
Thursday 8 th December 2.50 pm	Key Stage 1 children (Years 1 and 2) share work	Families welcome to come into the classroom
Wednesday 14 th December	Please help with our Christingles if you can and you’re not going to the dress rehearsal! Christingle Services in the Abbey Church	In the Village Hall All children involved, all families welcome – further details to follow.

	10.00 am (dress rehearsal) and 6.00 pm	
Thursday 15 th December	Whole School Christmas Lunch	Staff and children eat and pull crackers together in the village hall (includes children bringing packed lunches)
Friday 16 th December	Break up for Christmas	
Tuesday 3 rd January	INSET day	
Wednesday 4 th January	Return to school	
Monday 13 th – Friday 17 th February	HALF TERM	
Wednesday 15 th March	Parents' Evening	For parents/carers of children in all year groups – details to follow
Wednesday 22 nd March	Parents' Evening	For parents/carers not attending on the 15 th March
Friday 31 st March	Break up for Easter	
Monday 17 th April	Return to school	
Monday 29 th May – Friday 2 nd June	HALF TERM	
Monday 5 th June	INSET day	
Tuesday 20 th June	Sports Day	Whole school picnic followed by traditional races – families welcome. Details to follow
Friday 23 rd June	Sports Day Reserve	In case it rains on the 20 th !
Friday 21 st July	Break up for the summer holiday	



Festive #3k Dash

SATURDAY 3RD DECEMBER
AT 9AM



FESTIVE
MEDAL!

Support your Air
Ambulance, grab your
tinsel and Santa hats
and join us for our 3k
Festive Dash!



HAMPSHIRE AND ISLE OF WIGHT*
AIR AMBULANCE

Where: The National
Motor Museum, Beaulieu,
SO42 7ZN

When: Saturday 3rd
December, 9am

PLUS participants receive
discounted entry to the Beaulieu
attraction on the day

Beaulieu

Participants Entry

Adult £10
Child £5

How to get your tickets

Scan me
and **sign up**



Or go to our website
hiowaa.org



Bring the whole family and
Keep us flying and saving lives



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Rural Wellbeing and Farming Support Contacts Directory



A list of useful contacts for rural wellbeing voluntary advice and support agencies, and regulatory bodies.

Industry Helplines

The Farming Community Network Helpline

Open 7am to 11pm every day of the year. Whether the issue is personal or business-related, FCN is here for you. Volunteers provide free, confidential, pastoral and practical support. They partner with The Addington Fund and Forage Aid to deliver Farming Help - a partnership to provide farming support when times get tough.

Call: 03000 111 999 Email: help@fcn.org Web: fcn.org.uk

Royal Agricultural Benevolent Institution (RABI)

Provides support to the farming community across England and Wales. Support is provided to those who are currently working in agriculture and those who are no longer working due to illness, injury, disability or age.

Call: 0800 188 4444 Email: help@rabi.org.uk Web: rabi.org.uk

YANA

Provides rural mental health support and runs a confidential helpline.

Call: 0300 323 0400 Email: helpline@yanahelp.org Web: yanahelp.org

Gamekeepers Welfare Trust

Support for gamekeepers, stalkers and ghillies.

Call: 0300 123 3086 Email: enquiries@thegamekeeperswelfaretrust.com
Web: thegamekeeperswelfaretrust.com

National Farmers Union (NFU)

Member organisation/industry association for farmers in England and Wales. It is the largest farmers' organisation in the country.

Call: 024 7685 8500 Web: nfuonline.co.uk

Online Industry Support Resources

FarmWell An FCN initiative offering a range of information to support your personal resilience including mental and physical health. Watch the wellbeing webinar series: farmwell.org.uk/ahdb-mental-wellbeing-webinars. Also covers business resilience issues such as succession planning, diversification and contingency plans. farmwell.org.uk

The Royal Agricultural Benevolent Institution (RABI) has funded free, safe and anonymous online mental wellbeing support for all ages and online counselling from mental health organisation Kooth. explore.kooth.com/rabi

Fit for Farming

Men's guide issuu.com/menshealthforum/docs/fit_for_farming_2015_hr and women's guide menshealthforum.org.uk/fit-farming-women both have sections about mental wellbeing as well as physical health.

Yellow Wellies The Farm Safety Foundation has a free resource, the 'Little Book of Minding Your Head' alongside a range of farm safety advice. yellowwellies.org/resources

National Federation of Young Farmers' Clubs Rural+ mental wellbeing training for 10-28 year old YFC members and agricultural college students. nlyfc.org.uk/ruralplusCurve

The Prince's Countryside Fund has developed a national directory of farm and rural support groups. princescountrysidefund.org.uk/how-we-help/farm-support-groups

Focussed Farmers Aims to help farmers apply psychology of success to achieve goals. Free 12-part video series. focussedfarmers.com

Local Industry Networks

Hampshire Young Farmers' Clubs

For those aged 10-26 with an interest in the outdoors (not just for farmers).

Call: 01962 776 270 Email: hampshireyfc.office@gmail.com

Web: hampshireyfc.org

Hampshire Farmers' Club

Promoting excellence and friendship in Hampshire farming.

Call: 07831 388304 Email: hampshirefarmersclub@agribusiness.uk.com

Web: hampshirefarmersclub.com

Hampshire Growmore Clubs

There are 10 Growmore Clubs across Hampshire. Activities include inter-club skittles, quizzes and individual club activities - talks, farm walks, ploughing matches, crop competitions, dinners and more. Contact Secretary Teresa Brown for details on your nearest club.

Call: 01730 828003 Email: teresa.mbrown2011@gmail.com

Hampshire Rural Forum

Works to raise awareness and understanding of rural issues and find solutions.

hants.gov.uk/community/rural-communities/rural-forum

New Forest Commoners Defence Association

Works in support of commoners and their animals grazing on the open Forest.

realnewforest.org

One Foot In Furrow

A social meet-up for like-minded country people with a light lunch and chance to chat. Meets monthly at Tiptoe YFC Hall, Tiptow SO41 6FT.

Call John and Caroline Korbey: 07947 331002

Hampshire Farm Women's Club (part of Country Women Country Wide)

A friendly group of farming-minded ladies that meet monthly during the day.

Contact Cath Austin. Call: 07799 833072 Email: cathyaustin.ca@gmail.com

or Sally Silvester. Call: 02392 632549 Email: gliddenfarm@hotmail.co.uk

National Support Organisations

Samaritans offer confidential emotional support.

Call for free 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

Call: 116 123 Email: jo@samaritans.org.uk Web: samaritans.org

Campaign Against Living Miserably (CALM) offer webchat or 5pm-midnight, 365 days a year helpline.

Call: 0800 58 58 58 Web: thecalzone.net

Mind mental health advice and support charity for those experiencing, or supporting someone with, a mental health problem. mind.org.uk

Bereavement support When you lose someone close to you, it's normal to feel angry, sad, depressed or worried. Everyone reacts in their own way. There is a range of support available to help you through this process: connecttosupporthampshire.org.uk/directories (from the categories tab select specific needs then bereavement).

Cruse bereavement support

Call: 01264 336006 (North Hampshire) or 0844 879 3448 (South Hampshire).

They offer a webchat at cruse.org.uk

Better Health Our physical health impacts how we feel. Easy steps to make changes that fit your lifestyle to kickstart your health. They list a range of NHS approved free apps to support you. nhs.uk/better-health

Business in the Community Employer wellbeing toolkit

bitc.org.uk/toolkit/mental-health-for-employers-toolkit

Wider local support

Hampshire Rural Police Report a rural crime.

hampshire.police.uk/advice/advice-and-information/rc/rural-crime

Citizen's Advice Hampshire Advice on consumer rights, witness support, and financial guidance. Find your nearest branch. citahants.org

Men's Activity Network A network of men's groups across Hampshire mensactivitynetwork.org.uk

Mental Wellbeing Hampshire lists all local mental wellbeing support, from children, to money and mental health, to crisis support

hants.gov.uk/mentalwellbeinghampshire

Wellbeing Service Three local Mind organisations (Solent / Havant and East Hants / Andover) run the Hampshire Wellbeing Service, including wellbeing centres across Hampshire to provide short-term, outcome-focused support. The service provides workshops, courses and other support on many mental health issues. Contact your nearest centre to find out more about their programme. You can self-refer.

Farnborough, Andover, Basingstoke and Romsey

Call: 01264 332297 Web: andovermind.org.uk

Eastleigh, Fareham, Gosport, New Forest and Winchester

Call: 023 8202 7810 Web: solentmind.org.uk

East Hampshire and Havant. Call: 02392 498916 Web: easthantsmind.org

connecttosupporthampshire.org.uk/mentalhealth (select wellbeing centres)