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## Message from Michael

The last fortnight has seen students continue to grow in confidence and apply staff feedback positively within their work. Recently, I have seen some excellent examples of extended writing across both classes, alongside students challenging themselves by stepping outside of their comfort zones in a range of situations.

Our KS2/3 group recently completed a train journey, which for some students was their first experience travelling by train - a fantastic achievement.

Meanwhile, the KS4 BBQ team have been producing some delicious food for everyone to enjoy, while also completing detailed annotations and evaluations to strengthen their project portfolios.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. We are incredibly proud of the progress, resilience and achievements the students continue to show each week.

## Student Special Mention

**Levi** - for the resilience he has shown over the past few weeks. We are very proud of his determination and positive attitude.

**Violet** - for the courage she has shown in choosing to transition to a full-time timetable at school.

## KS2/3

As part of their Life Skills topic this half term, KS2/3 visited Farnham and enjoyed a return train journey from Farnham to Alton.

During the trip, students used their learning and independence skills to purchase their own train tickets, travel together as a group, and identify the correct platforms for their trains.

Despite some delays earlier that morning, the students showed great resilience and teamwork, making the trip a very successful and enjoyable experience for all.

## May the 4<sup>th</sup> be with you



## Diary Dates

Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> May	No SaLT
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> May	Sailability ( <i>selected students only</i> )
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May	LAST DAY OF TERM
	Equine
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> - Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> May	Half Term
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> June	INSET DAY - School closed to pupils
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Back to school
	School visit to Farnham Library
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> June	Sailability ( <i>selected students only</i> )
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	Equine

## KS4

KS4 have continued developing their cooking skills this term through their Options learning, with a focus on BBQ food.

Using the skills they have been practising, students visited the local butcher to order a range of ingredients for their BBQ, including lamb kebabs and freshly made burgers.

Working together as a team, the students prepared the food and showed great perseverance when there were a few challenges lighting the BBQ. Once it was up and running, they cooked the food beautifully, producing some delicious results.

It was fantastic to see their teamwork, confidence, and independence continue to grow.

Please find below a link to a website that signposts guides for parents and carers on popular apps children and young people may be using.

<https://hwb.gov.wales/keeping-safe-online/in-the-know/>

Farnham Wellbeing & Sustainability  
Festival 2026

## Farnham Wellbeing and Sustainability Festival 2026



Organised by  
Farnham Community Farm  
& Farnham Town Council



17<sup>th</sup> of May 2026  
11am to 4pm  
Gostrey Meadow

### New this year Children's Mental Health and Wellbeing Zone

- Children's Activities
- Information on help and support

Come on down and get involved its free. Below are just some of the organisations that will be represented



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