



THE STONEHENGE

SCHOOL

Weekly Newsletter

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UPCOMING DATES

JUNE

Mon 8th - Fri 12th
Yr 7 Milestone 2

Fri 12th to Sat 13th
DoE Bronze Expedition

Mon 15th - Fri 19th
Yr 8 Milestone 2

Tues 16th
Rising Mathematicians
Festival

Wed 17th
Yr 9 - Meducators
Andover College

Thurs 18th - Fri 26th
Yr 10 Milestone 2

Fri 19th
Yr 9 - Sparsholt Futures
Day

Wed 24th - Fri 26th
Yr 7 Osmington Bay Trip



VOLUNTEERS' WEEK

Celebrating Our Volunteers - National Volunteers' Week

This week we are proud to celebrate National Volunteers' Week, and I want to take a moment to recognise the incredible contribution that our volunteers make to life at The Stonehenge School.

Quite simply, we could not offer the same breadth of opportunity, support and experience to our students without them.

Across the school, volunteers give their time generously to support a wide range of areas. From Modern Foreign Languages, where students benefit from additional speaking practice and cultural insight, to Physical Education, where opportunities for sport and participation are strengthened, and through to our Duke of Edinburgh programme, where students develop resilience, independence and teamwork – their impact is significant.

What makes this support so powerful is not just the time given, but the difference it makes. Volunteers help to build confidence, raise aspiration and open doors for our young people. They enable experiences that many students would not otherwise have access to, and they enrich our school community in ways that go far beyond the classroom.

There is strong national recognition that volunteers play a key role in supporting young people's achievement and wellbeing, and we see that lived out every day in our school.

To all of our volunteers – thank you. Your commitment, kindness and willingness to give your time so selflessly is hugely appreciated by staff and students alike. You are a valued part of our school community, and we are incredibly grateful for everything you do.



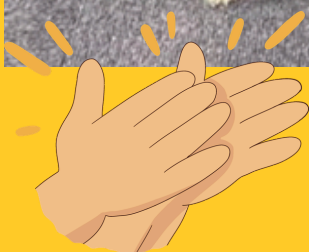
'Buddy'

Even Buddy has to take exams!!

An assessor from 'The Dog Mentor' came in to school on Tuesday and put Buddy and his handlers, Mrs Moore, Mrs Marakalou and Miss Walker through their paces.

Buddy passed his Bronze Award and Mrs Moore, Mrs Marakalou and Miss Walker also passed their Silver Award.

Lots more training ahead but everyone off to a great start.



Belong
in Wiltshire

Where military families can settle,
connect and feel **at ease.**



You'll find information and signposting here to help with life in Wiltshire by helping you find the place, services and people to help you feel at home.

Moving can be stressful, life can be hectic, but by connecting with others and support networks around, we can help you feel settled and you and your family can start living and thriving here in Wiltshire.

<https://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/belong-in-wiltshire>



STAFF VACANCIES

Further details and an application form for all our vacancies can be found on our website via the following link - <https://www.stonehenge.wilts.sch.uk/vacancies/> Informal visits to the school are welcome; please contact the Head's PA, Debra Harker on 01980 676660 or e-mail harkerd@stonehenge.wilts.sch.uk You should provide detail outlining your skills applicable to the role and reasons for applying. This should be returned to Mrs D Harker, The Headteacher's PA, The Stonehenge School, Holders Road, Amesbury, Wiltshire, SP4 7PW

Head of Computer Science

Start Date: September 2026

Salary: MPS/UPS plus TLR 2b £5, 348

Contract: Permanent Contract

Closing Date: Monday 22nd June, 9am

Head of Computer Science

You will be leading a high-performing team of dedicated professionals who are always striving to get the best for their students in a valued and popular curriculum area. You will be supported by a Senior team who have a clear consistent vision for the school and join a team of enthusiastic Middle Leaders who help to drive school improvements.

We are looking for colleagues with:

- a commitment to raising achievement
- the ability to engage and support students
- an enthusiasm and deep knowledge of the subject areas
- A commitment to help all young people and staff to achieve their best is expected of all staff.

Exam Invigilators

Scale B point 2, £12.65 per hour We require additional Exam Invigilators to work with us at The Stonehenge School. We are looking for enthusiastic and supportive individuals to work varied hours during the school day, mainly during GCSE exam periods but also covering internal and modular exams throughout the year. Must be available to work from 8.30 am to cover morning exams. Previous experience is not essential, as all training will be provided. Ideal candidates will be , reliable and flexible , have good communication skills , be confident and able to offer reassurance during exams.



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£1
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MONTHLY DRAW
LAST FRIDAY
OF EACH MONTH

Winners will be
contacted by the
school



SIGN UP TODAY!

Pay via Parent Pay and by completing form below

The Stonehenge School - 100 Club - Fill out form

Let's work together to support our school community!

**TOGETHER,
WE CAN
MAKE A
DIFFERENCE!**

GOOD LUCK - AND THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!





Total - This Week



House	Attendance	Bonus	Homework	House Points	Library	SSC	Staff Points	Tutor Challenge	<u>Total</u>
Archer	100		106	368	400		160		1134
Barrow	300		100	466	300		210		1376
Sarum	400		90	396	200		80		1166
Solstice	300		109	464	100		100		1073



Five Quick Online Safety Tips *for Busy Parents*



Simple steps to help keep your child safe and confident online.

1



Ask your child regularly what they enjoy online.

2



Use parental controls on phones, tablets and gaming consoles.

3



Keep phones out of bedrooms overnight where possible.

4



Remind children never to share passwords or personal information.

5



Encourage children to speak to a trusted adult if something online worries them.



Even short, regular conversations can make a big difference.



Open conversations build trust.
You don't have to be an expert—just be there.



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**EVENTS IN
JUNE & JULY**

YOUNG HISTORIANS WORKSHOP - Sun 7 Jun, 10am - 12 noon For 8 - 16 year olds.

INDIAN BLOCK PRINT WORKSHOPS - Sat 13 Jun

A relaxed, guided session using ancient techniques and take home your own beautiful textile creations.

YOUNG HISTORIANS WORKSHOP - Sun 5 Jul, 10am - 12 noon For 8 - 16 year olds.

BEWITCHED, BOTHERED & BEWILDERED - Thu 16 Jul, 7pm Talk by Dr Julia Phillips, about witchcraft and witches in Victorian Britain.

Support at the Family Hub

This month we are spot lighting the feedback from some of our families.

Baby Massage

Being able to confidently massage our baby means a lot to myself and baby's dad. It's a different way of caring and helps baby's wind down ready for bed.



Video feedback

Bookstart

"I've started reading to my daughter wherever she is—whether she's sitting on my lap or playing nearby—because I now understand that it still has a positive impact, no matter what she's doing. She's become much more interested in picking up books herself, and I've noticed she's a lot more chatty too. I'd definitely recommend this course to anyone with a little one."

Within My Reach

The course has helped me to recognise my own thoughts and feelings and how I can better manage these when me and my wife are arguing. This has helped me to think before I speak and to recognise the way I speak- meaning my children will no longer hear the arguments when we have them. I know now when I need to take time out to calm down

Sensory Play spaces

The freespace is quick easy and super clean! It's a calm controlled environment that assists the children with lots to do but also feels like you can breathe as a parent

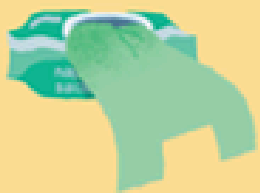
Triple P

Learning to use assertive communication rather than being emotional will help me to make better decisions when talking to my ex, talking to him has always been so hard because I am angry about things, but now I can talk to him directly without feeling angry and by being strong

Visit our website to express your interest in a course. We will contact you with upcoming sessions in your area.

[CLICK HERE](#)

Why are nappy sacks so dangerous?



They're found in almost every changing bag, but did you know that nappy sacks can kill small babies?

As nappy sacks are flimsy, they can easily cling to a baby's face as they breathe in and can tragically result in suffocation or choking.

child accident prevention trust



SECONDHAND UNIFORM SHOP


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Also find a link in the Parent
Portal on the school website



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Prom night

Family and Community Learning

Discover Opportunities - Develop Skills - Achieve Ambitions



Online Course

Supporting My Teen to Understand Their Skills

Tuesday 9 June 10am - 12pm



Book by
2 June

Support your teenager to recognise their unique contribution

- Develop communication skills that nourish your teenager
- Explore how to nurture resilience and independence
- Support your teenager to plan for their future

For bookings scan the QR code or contact: 01225 770478

familyandcommunitylearning@wiltshire.gov.uk

<https://workwiltshire.co.uk/family-and-community-learning/>



Courses are no cost to learners who meet our eligibility criteria. Learners must be aged 19+ years, have a Wiltshire postcode, and meet residency requirements. Learners must also be able to tick **one** of the following criteria: individual income less than £25,750 a year; in receipt of benefits (other than child benefit); be a care leaver, foster carer or carer; be a military family or ex-armed forces personnel; have refugee or asylum seeker status; have a learning difficulty or disability; be looking to work, now or in the future.



Wiltshire Council

Family and Community Learning

Discover Opportunities - Develop Skills - Achieve Ambitions



Online Course

Supporting My Teen with Wellbeing

Tuesday 23 June 10am - 12pm



Book by
16 June

- Understand the changes in a teenage brain
- Learn techniques to promote wellbeing
- Explore positive psychology

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Online Course

Supporting My Teen with Anxiety

Tuesday 16 June 10am - 12pm



Book by
9 June

- Understand the challenges teens face and how anxiety affects them
- Learn practical ways to boost your teen's emotional wellbeing at home
- Discover strategies to help your teen manage anxiety in everyday life

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Understanding School Anxiety

Early Signs of Emotionally Based School Avoidance

Wednesday 11 June 12:45 - 2:45pm

Booking closes Wednesday 4 June 2025



- What is Emotionally Based School Avoidance?
- Strategies to support with anxiety and worry
- Strategies to support attendance
- Advice on reasonable adjustments that schools can make
- Group discussion with education psychologist

For bookings and enquiries:

call the FaCL team on 01225 770478 or contact familyandcommunitylearning@wiltshire.gov.uk or scan the QR code



Our courses are free, if you are 19+ years old, resident in the UK/EU for over three years (some immigration status exempt), have a Wiltshire postcode and meet any of the following criteria: earn less than £25,000 pa, in receipt of benefits, military family, foster carer/care leaver/carer, have a disability.

Please see our website or contact us for more information



For families of teenagers aged 11+

Five To Thrive The Teenage Approach

Join other parent/carers where you can share ideas to develop the positive connection between you and your teenager.



Scan the code to express your interest or for more information or to book your space contact us on:

0800 970 4669

www.wiltshirefamilyhubs.org.uk

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June 2026 Timetable

All regular sessions delivered live online via zoom. 90 minutes long

£24 each or FREE with School Membership

Book online at facefamilyadvice.co.uk

Recordings available for 48 hours

Understanding Anger	1 June 10am
School Anxiety	1 June 7pm
Facing Defiance	2 June 10am
Supporting Healthy Screen Use	2 June 7pm
Anxiety Explained	8 June 10am
Cannabis & Ketamine Awareness	8 June 7pm
Introduction to OCD	9 June 10am
What is ACT?	9 June 7pm
Decreasing Depression	15 June 10am
Raising Self-Esteem	15 June 7pm
Understanding the Teenage Brain	16 June 10am
Supporting Healthy Sleep	16 June 7pm
Improving Family Communication	22 June 10am
Autism-Improving Communication	22 June 7pm
Supporting a Child with ADHD	23 June 10am
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	23 June 7pm
ADHD and Homework	25 June 7-8pm