

THE WHITEKNIGHTS ARROW



1st May 2026—Issue No: 29

NEXT WEEK

Monday, 4th May	BANK HOLIDAY—School closed for Staff and Pupils
Tuesday, 5th May	
Wednesday, 6th May	Year 1 SPLAT 14:00 Start in the School Hall Phonics Screening Presentation
Thursday, 7th May	
Friday, 8th May	Non Uniform Day—Earth Day—David Attenburgh’s 100th Birthday

ON THE MENU

Available daily: Freshly Baked Bread, Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings, Salad Selection, Fresh Fruit, Yoghurt

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

Macaroni Cheese with Garlic & Herb Bread
Oven Baked Falafel Bites with Tomato Salsa & Rice
Carrots / Peas
Vanilla Shortbread with Yoghurt

Pork Sausages with Mashed Potato & Onion Gravy
Vegetable Sausages with Mashed Potato & Onion Gravy
Glazed Carrots / Peas
Lemon Sponge Cake & Custard

Chicken Pie with Potato Wedges
Vegetable Pie with Potato Wedges
Green Beans / Carrots
Cinnamon Swirl Traybake

Beef Bolognese with Spaghetti
Quorn Bolognese with Spaghetti
Broccoli / Sweetcorn
Strawberry Jelly with Fresh Fruit Slices

Battered Fish Fillet with Chips & Tomato Ketchup
Cornish Style Vegetable Pasty with Chips & Tomato Sauce
Peas / Baked Beans
Vanilla Ice Cream with Fresh Fruit Slices

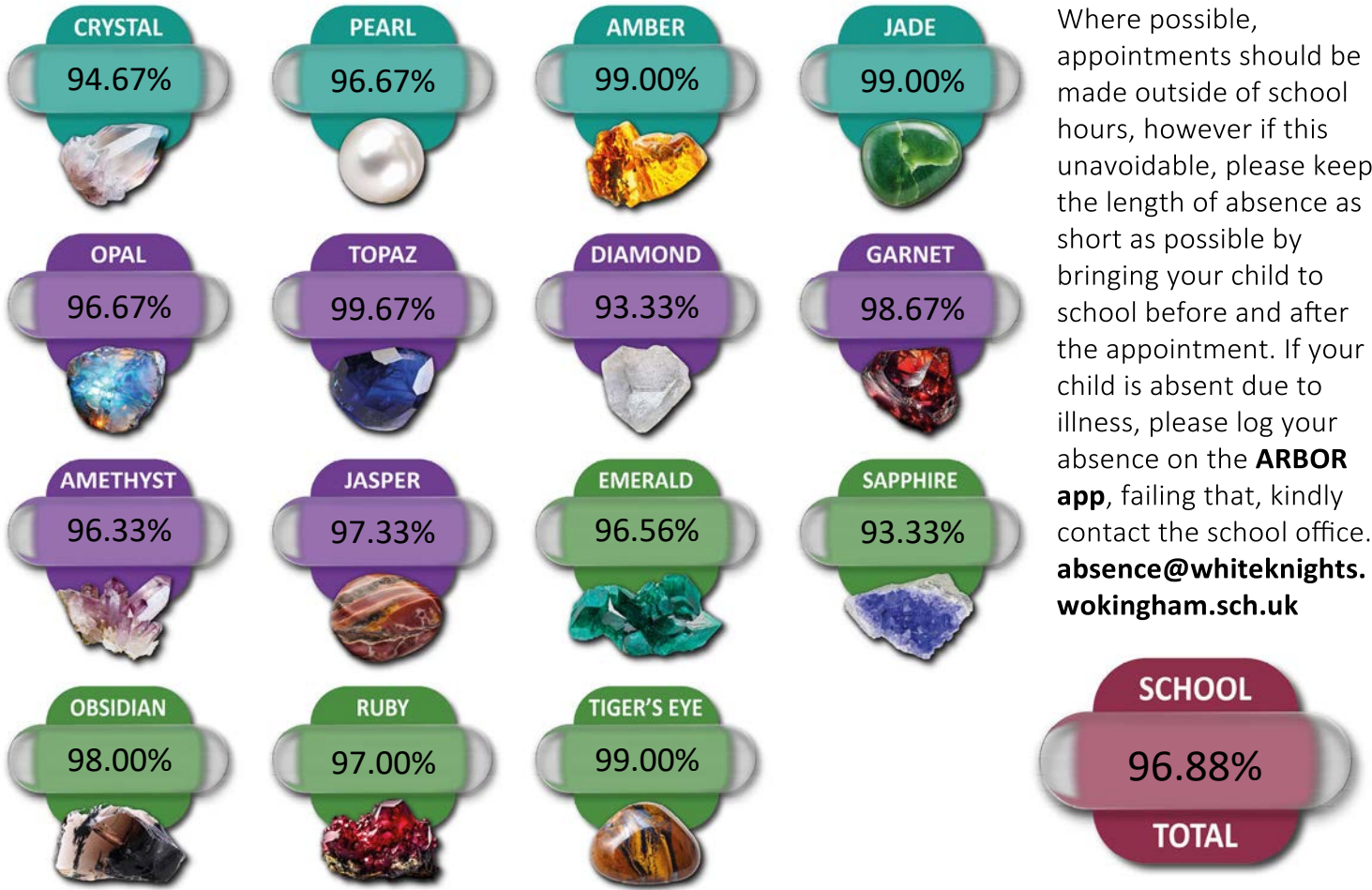


By embracing challenge, nurturing wonder and aspiring to new heights, we **“Grow in Greatness”**.

ATTENDANCE MATTERS!

✓ EVERY CHILD
✓ IN SCHOOL

✓ ON TIME
✓ EVERY DAY



Where possible, appointments should be made outside of school hours, however if this unavoidable, please keep the length of absence as short as possible by bringing your child to school before and after the appointment. If your child is absent due to illness, please log your absence on the **ARBOR app**, failing that, kindly contact the school office. **absence@whiteknights.wokingham.sch.uk**

When you're not in school you miss out on...



Learning new skills



Good assessment results



Support and help



Time with friends



Best chance to succeed

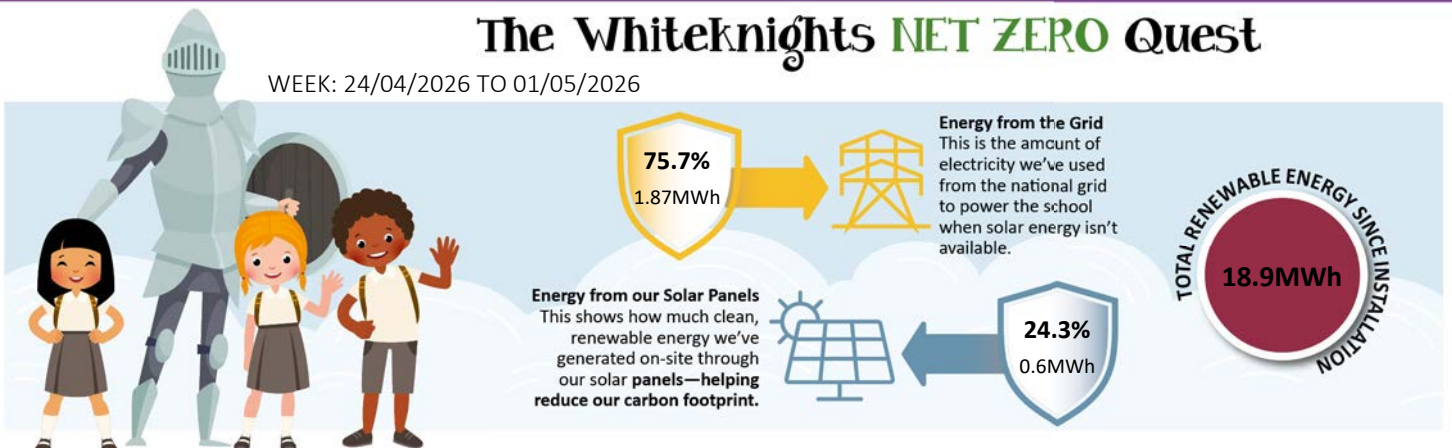


School activities



The Whiteknights NET ZERO Quest

WEEK: 24/04/2026 TO 01/05/2026





BRIGADE MAY BANK HOLIDAY PROMOTION

Brigade are pleased to announce their upcoming May Day promotion:

Date: Saturday 2nd—Monday 4th May

Code: Enter BANKHOL10 at the checkout

Visit: <http://www.brigade.uk.com/>



WBC MY JOURNEY

Earth Day is a global annual event held on every year on 22 April and is dedicated to raising awareness on environmental issues such as pollution, climate change, biodiversity loss, and sustainability.

To celebrate Earth Day we launched our primary schools' competition inviting pupils to create a futurist mode of transportation.

[Earth Day—22nd April 2026](#)



SUMMER FAIR PACKED LUNCHES

If you would like to order a school packed lunch for the Summer Fair, on Friday 22nd May, please place the order by completing the Google Form in the link below. There will no other school lunch options for this day!

Unfortunately you are unable to order a school packed lunch for the Summer Fair via your Arbor account, and all lunch orders placed via Arbor will be removed.

The deadline for ordering a lunch is Friday 8th May 2026.

[School Packed Lunch Order for Summer Fair—Friday 22nd May 2026](#)

LOST PROPERTY

The lost property bin (located outside the school office) is constantly overflowing. We regularly empty it, and return named items to the correct pupils/classrooms, but it still grows at an alarming rate.

On Monday 18th and Tuesday 19th May, all lost property will be laid out on tables outside the school office for you to look at and reclaim items.

Anything remaining after Tuesday will be donated to our clothes bank!

We implore you to name your child items in the future.

CAMHS West Mental Health Support Team (MHST)

For Primary Schools



Issue 1 (Summer 2026)

Welcome to the CAMHS West Mental Health Support Team (MHST) Newsletter!

We are pleased to offer you our first termly newsletter designed to keep parents, carers and young people of MHST schools connected with the latest developments in our services.

ISSUE 1

CAMHS West Getting Help Services

Including the Primary Mental Health Team 4 Youth, the GP based services and the Mental Health Support Teams



Issue 2 (Summer 2026)

Welcome to the CAMHS West Getting Help Services Newsletter!

We are pleased to offer you our latest termly newsletter designed to keep professionals across the sector informed and connected with the latest developments in our Getting Help services.

ISSUE 2



JOIN TODAY!

WRAP AROUND CARE AT WHITEKNIGHTS!

Join the **Treasure Trove Club** at Whiteknights – where every day is full of fun, friendship and discovery. Flexible sessions. Nutritious food. A place to belong.

Breakfast Care

Monday-Friday 7.30am to 8.45am

£6.70, includes a nutritional breakfast of healthy cereals, fruit and yoghurt daily

After School Care

Early Session Monday-Friday 3.30pm to 4.30pm

£7, includes a healthy light snack

Late Session Monday-Friday 4.30pm to 6pm

£10, includes a light tea, served at 4.45pm

Evening Session Monday-Friday 3.30pm to 6pm

£14,50 includes a healthy light snack and light tea served at 4.45pm

Open to all children who attend Whiteknights Primary School from Nursery to Year 6

We are an Ofsted Early Years Childcare Provider and accept Childcare Vouchers



Bookings via Arbor
For more info

visit our website
(See *Beyond the Classroom* >
Extended Care)





WHAT'S ON THE MENU

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Cornflakes, Weetabix, Rice Crispies or Multigrain Hoops	Cornflakes, Weetabix, Rice Crispies or Multigrain Hoops	Cornflakes, Weetabix, Rice Crispies or Multigrain Hoops	Cornflakes, Weetabix, Rice Crispies or Multigrain Hoops	Cornflakes, Weetabix, Rice Crispies or Multigrain Hoops
50/50 Bread Toasted with Low Sugar Jam, Marmite or Honey	Warm Pancakes with Fruit & Yoghurt	Toasted Bagels with Cheese Spread or Marmite	Breakfast Waffles with Fruit & Yoghurt	Toasted Muffin with Low Sugar Jam, Marmite or Honey
Fruit of the Day & Yoghurts	Fruit of the Day & Yoghurts	Fruit of the Day & Yoghurts	Fruit of the Day & Yoghurts	Fruit of the Day & Yoghurts
Water or Milk	Water or Milk	Water or Milk	Water or Milk	Water or Milk

BREAKFAST CARE



WHAT'S ON THE MENU

		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK 1	SNACK 3.20pm-4.30pm	Cheese & Crackers, Ham & Crackers, Chicken & Crackers, Rice Cakes, Cucumber and Cheese Triangle, Fruit, Milk, Water, Sugar Free Squash				
	MEAL 4.30pm-6pm	Beef Burger in a Roll with Lettuce, Cheese & Ketchup Veggie Burger with Cheese & Ketchup	Tomato Pasta with Chicken & Cheese Tomato Pasta with Veg & Cheese	Beans or Cheese on Toast	Pepperoni Pizza & Sweetcorn Margarita Pizza & Sweetcorn	Panini's with Various Fillings
WEEK 2	SNACK 3.20pm-4.30pm	Cheese & Crackers, Ham & Crackers, Chicken & Crackers, Rice Cakes, Cucumber and Cheese Triangle, Fruit, Milk, Water, Sugar Free Squash				
	MEAL 4.30pm-6pm	Chicken Burger with Lettuce & option of Mayo Veggie Burger with the option of Mayo	Chicken Noodles Vegetable Noodles	Spaghetti, Ravioli and/or Cheese on Toast	Fish Finger Wraps with Lettuce with the option of Mayo Veg Finger Wraps with Lettuce with the option of Mayo	Meat Hotdogs with Ketchup Vegetarian Hotdogs with Ketchup
WEEK 3	SNACK 3.20pm-4.30pm	Cheese & Crackers, Ham & Crackers, Chicken & Crackers, Rice Cakes, Cucumber and Cheese Triangle, Fruit, Milk, Water, Sugar Free Squash				
	MEAL 4.30pm-6pm	Sausage Rolls with Veggie Sticks Quorn Rolls with Veggie Sticks	Fish Cakes with Peas & Carrots Veggie Cakes with Peas and Carrots	Potato Waffles with Beans and/or Cheese	Italian Style Tomato Pasta with Meatballs or Veg Topped with Cheese Italian Style Tomato Pasta with Veg Topped with Cheese	Panini's with Various Fillings

AFTER SCHOOL CARE

CLASS NOTICES



NURSERY LITTLE GEMS

KNOWLEDGE ORGANISER
Please click on the thumbnail to view the knowledge organizer showing what your child will be learning about in class over the next two weeks.



SPLAT REMINDER

MONDAY 11th May 2pm

PE DAYS

W/C 5th May
W/C 12th May
W/C 19th May

KEEPING SAFE ON BIKES AND SCOOTERS

Safety is our top priority, so we kindly ask that children hop off their bikes and scooters before entering the school car park. To keep everyone safe and avoid accidents, please make sure your little ones walk their wheels all the way to the gate.



RECEPTION CRYSTAL & PEARL

KNOWLEDGE ORGANISER
Please click on the thumbnail to view the knowledge organizer showing what your child will be learning about in class for the next week.



YEAR 2 OPAL & TOPAZ

Maths home learning will go out as shown in the table and will be due in on the following Monday.

Homework due date	Pages to complete
20 th April	71 – 73
27 th April	75 – 77
4 th May	78 - 80
11 th May	81 - 85
18 th May	87 - 89



YEAR 6 OBSIDIAN, RUBY & TIGER'S EYE

YEAR 6 SATS BREAKFASTS

Year 6 pupils are invited to attend the free SATS Breakfast Club running from **Monday 11th May through to Thursday 14th May 2026** which will be run by the Year 6 team. Children need to be in school at 8:00am to start breakfast soon after.

Please note that if your child is already booked to attend the Treasure Trove Breakfast Club from 07:40 the normal charge will still apply. Your child will be given the option to transfer to the SATS Breakfast Club at 8.00am each morning.

A variety of cereals, brioche buns and fruit will be provided by the school. Children should bring a plastic cup, plastic bowl and plastic spoon to use for the week. It is entirely optional, but we do encourage it - makes for a lovely calm start to the day and fuels them up!

YEAR 6 LEAVERS HOODIES

Your child will be ending their association with Whiteknights at the end of this term, and we are pleased to be able to offer you the option of buying a Whiteknights Leavers Hoodie as one of the things they take with them to remind them of their time here. Please view the letter and details of how to order below:



Hoodie Order Letter to Parents



UPCOMING EVENTS



Note:
Dates highlighted in yellow show where amendments have been made or additional dates have been added.

Summer 1 Term

Mon, 4th May	MAY BANK HOLIDAY—School Closed
Wed, 6th May	Year 1 SPLAT 14:00 Start in the School Hall Phonics Screening Presentation
Fri, 8th May	Non Uniform Day—David Attenburgh’s 100th Birthday—Explorer Theme
Mon, 11th May	Nursery SPLAT 14:00 Start in the School Hall SATS Week Monday—Thursday
Thu, 14th May	Year 1 Library Trip—Amber Class REInspired Visit to Both Reception Classes
Fri, 15th May	Year 6 Maya Day Year 1 Library Trip—Jade Class WPCA Ice Cream Sale (after school) Last Day for Dropping off Summer Fair Donations to the School Office
Mon, 18th May	SEND Parent Meetings
Tue, 19th May	Reception Child Measurement Programme Year 4 Library Trip—Amethyst Class
Wed, 20th May	Year 6 Trip to Leighton Park School for Peter Pan Production (within school hours)
Thu, 21st May	Year 4 Library Trip—Jasper Class Year 5 Visit to University of Reading—Bug Houses
Fri, 22nd May	Sports Day and Summer Fair LAST DAY OF TERM. STAFF AND PUPILS RETURN TO SCHOOL MONDAY 1ST JUNE



Spread the word! Our School Facilities Are Available to Hire!

perfect for clubs, classes, events, and community groups.



Sports Hall for events, classes



Classrooms & Meeting Spaces



Outdoor Playground, Field and Sports Areas

Evenings | Weekends | School Holidays

View availability & book online: visit our
WEBSITE - Space Hire



CELEBRATING WHITEKNIGHTS

WPS SHOWCASE: SCHOOL LIFE, NEWS AND LEARNING ACHIEVEMENTS

Discover the latest school news, including classroom highlights, sporting events, school trips and more.

YEAR 3 LOST SHEEP—REINSPIRED VISIT

Little Gems were visited by REInspired last Monday afternoon. They learnt all about the story of 'The Lost Sheep' and created their own 'sheep' to retell the story!



LETS GET SYLAR TO THE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS!

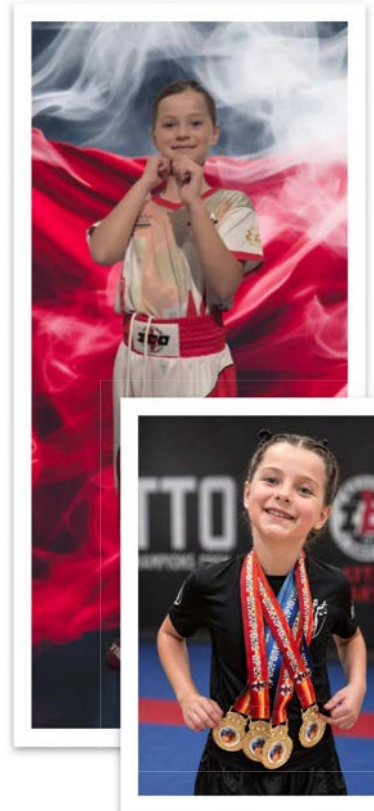
Skylar (Year 5) has been training and competing with Nemesis Martial Arts for the past two years, showing incredible dedication, discipline, and passion for her sport.

Last year, she proudly represented England at the ICO World Championships in Wales, where she achieved an outstanding result—bringing home 3rd place in two categories.

This year marks an even bigger milestone. Skylar has qualified in four categories, giving her the opportunity to compete for the title of 4x World Champion at the **WMAC World Championships** in Austria this September.

Throughout the year, Skylar competes regularly with her fight team across multiple events, constantly pushing herself to improve. However, this upcoming championship will be her biggest challenge yet—and her greatest opportunity.

[Donate to Skylar](#)



87% **£1,131 raised** of **£1.3K**
22 donations

Donate now

Share

WPCA TLC MORNING AT WHITEKNIGHTS

On Saturday 25th April, more than 35 children, parents and staff came together for the WPCA's TLC (Tender Loving Care) Morning.

A range of tasks were tackled across the morning. Volunteers cleaned the Early Years toys, organised play boxes, shredded branches, weeded outdoor areas, and refreshed the mud and sand pits.

It was great to see children from Little Gems through to Year 6 getting involved—their enthusiasm really stood out, and all who took part earned a credit in their *Knighthood Programme Books*. The morning showed what can be achieved when our school community works together, with clear improvements to our outdoor spaces and a strong sense of teamwork.

We are already looking ahead to the next TLC Morning, which will focus on developing and caring for our Wild Area. Thank you to everyone who gave their time to support the event, and a special mention to Mr Rapson, who changed his plans to be there.



PUPIL SPOTLIGHT: CELEBRATING PUPIL ACHIEVEMENTS BEYOND THE CLASSROOM



GYMNASTICS ACCOMPLISHMENT

Lorna (Year 6) achieved her best score so far in the Southern Regional Gymnastics competition!

Congratulations Lorna, you look amazing!

INTERNATIONAL DANCE DAY CELEBRATIONS

Hasya (Year 6) took part in the **Inter-nation Dance Day** celebrations in Reading.

She performed Indian Semi-Classical and Bollywood style dances.

Well done Hasya, love the colourful outfits!

CELEBRATING ACHIEVEMENTS BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

Does your child take part in an exciting extra-curricular activity, sport, or club outside of school? We would love to hear about their achievements! Whether it's a sporting milestone, a musical performance, or a personal accomplishment, we want to celebrate the wonderful talents and interests of our pupils as part of our Whiteknights community.

If you have something to share, please get in touch with us so we can include it in a future newsletter.

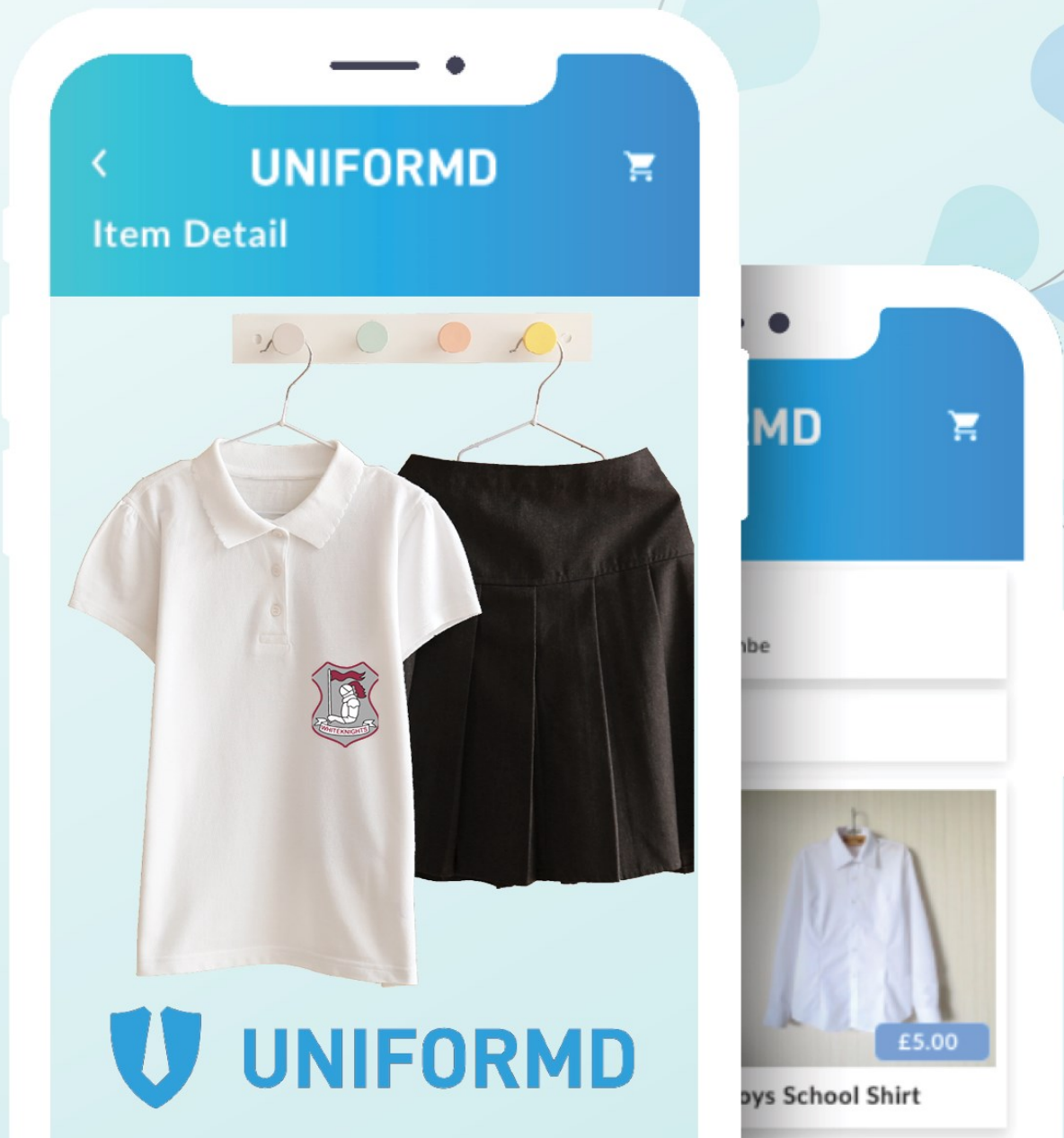
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www.uniformd.co.uk/whiteknights-primary
email enquiries to: whiteknightspca@gmail.com



For further information, and in stock items, please click link below:

<https://app.uniformd.co.uk/items/whiteknights-primary-school>



SUMMER FAIR TOKENS NOW ON SALE!



[WPCA EVENTS PAGE LINK](#)

Tokens

Tokens are now available to pre-order via PTA Events (available via the **QR code**). **£5.50 for ten tokens.**

Tokens can be used at all WPCA-run stalls, including: games; food stalls; second-hand uniform; books; and canteen treats.

Please pre-order your tokens in advance to avoid long queues on the day.

Raffle Tickets

Raffle tickets will be sent home on **Friday 8th May**.

There's a competition to see which class can sell the most - good luck! Please return all sold and unsold tickets, along with any money, to the school office by **Thursday 21st May**.

We have lots of exciting prizes up for grabs! More details to follow soon.

General

Volunteers Needed

To help the day run smoothly, we are looking for volunteers. If you can spare half an hour or more to help run a stall, set up, or pack down, your support would be hugely appreciated. Please use the QR code to join the WPCA volunteer whatsapp group or contact the school office to offer your help.

External Vendors

There will also be external stalls and food vendors accepting card or cash payments.



SUMMER FAIR: 22 MAY

EVENTS COMING UP



APRIL



Saturday 25th

****NEW for 2026****

TLC Day



Earn a Knighthood Merit

MAY

Friday 8th

World Earth Day
Non-uniform Day



Friday 15th

Ice Cream Sale after school



Friday 22nd

Sports Day & Summer Fair

JUNE

Friday 12th

World Culture Day



JULY

Friday 3rd

Disco - R, Y1 & Y2
Disco - Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6



Thursday 16th

Y6 Leavers Colour Run



Discover all our events
pta-events.co.uk/wpca



NEED SOME SPACE IN THE HOUSE?

SOFT TOYS BOOKS GAMES

ALL DONATIONS FOR THE SUMMER FAIR
DROP INTO THE OFFICE BY 15 MAY



All items to be in a good condition and complete



CELEBRATE THE OPENING OF THE WORLD CUP 2026

WORLD CULTURE DAY

COME TO SCHOOL IN TRADITIONAL DRESS
TO REPRESENT YOUR COUNTRY



Clothing in national colours, patterns or fabrics
A national costume

e.g. sari, football team, flamenco dress

A famous landmark on a T-shirt



Accessories like flags, scarves, flowers or traditional headwear

FRIDAY 12 JUNE

Parents: Do you have something that you could make, show, bring in? More details on how to get involved to be shared soon



WE ARE
CELEBRATING

WORLD EARTH DAY FRIDAY 8 MAY

WITH A
NON UNIFORM DAY



CELEBRATE MY
100TH BIRTHDAY

Come dressed in
something inspired
by Sir David
Attenborough

DONATIONS FOR
THE SUMMER FAIR
TOMBOLA

NURSERY - £1

RECEPTION - STATIONERY

Y1 & Y2 - WRAPPED SWEETS

Y3 & Y4 - BOTTLES (FOR PRIZES)

Y5 - SAVOURY SNACKS

Y6 - STATIONERY

Anything from
nature, animals,
Eco or green!

