



DITCHAM PARK SCHOOL AUTUMN TERM 2017

AUGUST

Wed	16 th	10:30-3:00pm	In House Uniform Shop open
Thu	17 th	10.00am	FSMQ Maths results available in school
Thu	24 th	10:00am	GCSE results available in school
Fri	25 th	11:00-13:00	Senior Leadership Team Meeting
Thu	31 st	All Day	Whole School INSET

SEPTEMBER

Fri	1 st	All Day	Whole School INSET
		10:30-3:00	In House Uniform Shop open
Mon	4th	8:45am	AUTUMN TERM BEGINS
		8:55am	Whole School Assembly (MPB)

Tue	5 th	All Day	Form 5 Careers Interviews
Wed	6 th	All Day	Junior Welcome Back Activity
		7:00pm	Start of Academic Year Talk from Headmaster (for all Form 2 parents and Form 3 parents), SDH
Thu	7 th	All Day	Junior Welcome Back Activity
		9:30am	Prep Swimming week 1/6
		7:00pm	New Parents Evening
		7:00pm	FDPS AGM
Fri	8 th	All Day	Form 5 Careers Interviews

CATs test for Transition, Middles, Forms 1 & 3 this week

actual days to be confirmed

Mon	11 th	09:00am	Whole School House Assembly
		All Day	Form 5 Careers Interviews
		3:45pm	U12 & U13 Hockey v Alton Convent School (H)
		4:00pm	U8 Football v Meoncross School (A)
		4:00-7:00pm	Form 4 First Aid SDH
		4:00pm	BSC meeting
Tue	12 th	All Day	Form 5 Careers Interviews
		from 12:00pm	U15 Football Tournament at DPS, using all fields (H)
		2:45pm	U14 Hockey v Alton Convent School (A)
		3:00pm	U15 Netball v Meoncross School (H)
		6:00-8:30pm	F4 Stepping up to GCSE and F1 Curriculum information evening, SDH and Small Hall followed by Joint Headmaster's Speech
Wed	13 th	All Day	Juniors' Roald Dahl Day
		from 12:00pm	U13 Football Tournament at DPS, Using all fields (H)
		-	U10 Netball v Dunhurst (tbc).
		1:00- 4:00pm	U11 Netball Tournament at Mayville School (A)
		-	U11 Football v Dunhurst school (A) (tbc)

SEPTEMBER Cont/..

		4:00-5:30pm	Marketing Meeting
		6:00-8:30pm	Careers and FE Information Evening for Form 5 parents, Solent Suite
Thu	14 th	9:30am	Prep Swimming week 2/6
		3:15pm	U12 Football v Meoncross School (H)
		3:30pm	U12 & U13 Netball v Mayville School (A)
		6:45-8:15pm	Juniors' Curriculum Evening
Fri	15 th	12:00pm	U11 Football Tournament at DPS (H)
Sat	16 th	2:00pm to 11:00am	Sunday: FDPS Ditcham Campover
Sun	17 th	10:00	Butser Hill Challenge
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Mon	18 th	9:30am	Governors' Finance Sub-Committee Meeting
		10.00-5.00pm	Form 5 Leadership Training, SDH
		4:00-7:00pm	Form 4 First Aid, SDH
Tue	19 th	9:00-1:30pm	Form 3 Geography field trip to Southsea
		2:30pm	U14 and U15 Football League v Morehouse School (H)
		2:35pm	U14 Hockey v Boundary Oak School (H)
Wed	20 th	3:00pm	Official Opening of Junior classrooms by guest of honour Clive Myrie
		-	U10 & U11 Netball v Sherborne House School (H)(tbc)-
			U11 Football v Prebendal School (H)(tbc)
Thu	21 st	9:30am	Prep Swimming week 3/6
		2:30pm	U12 & U13 Football league v Morehouse School (H)
		3:45pm	U15 Girls Hockey v Alton Convent School (H)
		4:15pm	U12 & U13 Netball v The Royal School (A)
		7:00-9:00pm	FDPS Committee meeting
Fri	22 nd	2:00-3:00pm	Inter House Tug of War
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Mon	25 th	All Day	School Photography, Sally Grace
		2:45pm	U8 & U9 High 5 Netball v Meoncross (A)
		4:30pm	U9 Football v Meoncross School (H)
Tue	26 th	All Day	School Photography, Sally Grace
		11:00am	Form 2 HPV vaccination
Wed	27 th	9:30am	Harvest Festival for whole school (followed by tea and coffee for parents), MPB
		2:30pm	U11 & U10 Netball v Prince's Mead School (A)
		-	U13 & U14 Football Tournament at Dunhurst (A)
		-	U11 Football v Sherborne House School (A)
		4:30pm	U12 & U13 Girls Hockey v St John's School (HMS Temeraire)(A)
		4:00pm	AMT meeting
			Governors' Academic Sub-Committee (tbc)
Thu	28 th	All Day	Mufti Day for Languages
		9:30am	Prep Swimming week 4/6
		3:00pm	U12 & U13 Netball v Frensham Heights School (A)
		3:45pm	U11 Football v Bordon School (H)

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		-	<i>U12 & U13 Football League v The Royal School (A)</i>
Fri	29 th	4:30pm	<i>U13 Football v Meoncross School (A)</i>
Sat	30 th		Everest Cycle Challenge

OCTOBER

Mon	2 nd	All Day	Reserve day for school photography
		4:30pm	<i>U12 & U13 Hockey v Alton Convent School (A)</i>
Tue	3 rd	All Day	Reserve day for school photography
		2:00pm	<i>U15 Girls Hockey v St John's College (A)</i>
		2:30pm	<i>U14 & U15 Football v Frensham Heights School (H)</i>
		2:30pm	<i>U14 Girls Hockey v Bedales School (H)</i>
Wed	4 th	7:00pm	FDPS Sub- committee meeting
		2:30pm	<i>U10 & U11 Netball v Portsmouth High School (H)</i>
		3:15pm	<i>U11 Football v Meoncross School</i>
		3:15pm	<i>U11 Football v Boundary Oak School (H)</i>
		4:30pm	<i>U14 Girls Hockey v Bedales School (A)</i>
Thu	5 th	9:30am	Prep Swimming week 5/6
			Visiting Speaker from "Dreams Come True" Charity;
		10:30am	Junior Assembly
		11:10am	Senior Assembly
		2:30pm	<i>U12 & U13 Football v Frensham Heights School (H)</i>
		-	<i>U12 & U13 Netball v St Swithun's School (tbc)</i>
Fri	6 th	8:45-10:00am	Junior Heads Drop-In Morning
		2:45pm	<i>U16 Netball v Meoncross School (A)</i>
		2:45pm	<i>U16 Football v Meoncross School(A)</i>
Sat	7 th	10:00-1:00pm	OPEN MORNING

Mon	9 th	4:30pm	<i>U12 & U13 Netball v St Swithun's School (A)</i>
		-	<i>U8 & U9 Football v Meoncross School (A)(tbc)</i>
Tue	10 th	1:00pm	Lunchtime recital at St Peter's Church
		3:00pm	<i>U14 & U15 Netball v Frensham Heights School (A)</i>
		-	<i>U14 & U15 Football league v The Royal School (A)</i>
Wed	11 th	9:00am	Forms 1 & 2 residential activities trip to Calshot (return Friday)
		3:00pm	<i>U10 & U11 Netball v Meoncross School (A)</i>
		4:00pm	<i>U9 Football v Dunhurst School (H)</i>
		-	<i>U11 Football v St Johns College (A) (tbc)</i>
		-	<i>ISFA Football Tournament (tbc)</i>
Thu	12 th	9:30am	Prep Swimming week 6/6
		9:00-3:45pm	Middle Juniors trip to Winchester Science Centre
			<i>U8 & U9 High 5 Netball v The Royal School (tbc)</i>
Fri	13 th	from 6:00pm	DofE Instructor training at DPS – camping for 2 nights ends lunchtime on Sunday
Sun	15 th		<u>Form's 2,3 and 4 Salamanca Residential Trip until 20th October</u>

			<u>Upper Juniors residential trip to Hooke Court all week</u>
Mon	16 th	1:00pm	Flu vaccine for Reception, Pre Prep, Prep, Transition and Lower Juniors
		2:30pm	<i>U8 & U9 Netball v Churcher's College (A)</i>

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		4:30pm	U12 Netball v Alton Convent School (A)
		6:30pm	Governors' Council Meeting
Tue	17 th	2:45pm	U15 Football v Boundary Oak School (H)
		3:45pm	U14 & U15 Netball v Portsmouth High School (A)
Wed	18 th	2:30pm	U11 Netball v Amesbury School (H)
Thu	19 th	3:30pm	U8 & U9 Football v Boundary Oak (H)
		4:20pm	U12 & U13 Netball v Portsmouth High School (H)
		4:00-6:00pm	FDPS Hallowe'en Party for Juniors
Fri	20 th	All Day	MUFTI Day for Dreams Come True Charity
		2:00-3:00pm	House Spelling Bee
		3:15	Middle Juniors Assembly to parents
		3:45pm	School breaks up for Half-Term

Half Term 23rd October – 3rd November (2 weeks)

(Mon 30th Oct All Day Coasteering Dorset F1-F5)

NOVEMBER

Mon	6 th	All Day	Upper Juniors' Taster Day in Seniors
		All Day	<u>No SCHOOL FOR JUNIOR PUPILS EXCEPT UPPER JUNIORS</u>
		-	Junior Staff INSET Day
		7:30pm	Meeting for Upper Junior Parents re "Moving Up to Seniors", Small Hall
Tue	7 th	All Day	Pre-Prep trip to Birdworld
		11:00-3:00pm	U15 Hockey Tournament at Ashford Hockey Club (A)(tbc)
		2:30pm	U15 Netball v Frensham Heights School (H)
		2:30pm	U14 & U15 Football league v. KEW (H)
		2:45pm	U14 Hockey v Boundary Oak School (A)
Wed	8 th	2:30pm	U10 & U11 Netball v Mayville School (H)
		3:15pm	U10 Football v Meoncross School (H)
		3:45pm	U12 & U13 Football league v KEW (A)
		4:00-6:00pm	Scuba diving (DPS)
		6:30pm	Guitar Concert, Theatre
Thu	9 th	09:30am	Lower Juniors Swimming week 1/6
		3:00pm	U12 & U13 Netball v Meoncross School (H)
		6:00-9:00pm	Form 5 Parents Evening, MPB
		7:00-9:00pm	FDPS Committee Meeting
Fri	10 th	10:45am	Whole School Armistice Assembly, MPB (followed by tea & coffee for parents)
		-	U14 Girls Hockey Trophy (tbc)
Sat	11 th	12:00-3:00pm	Bronze DofE Training Day at DPS
Mon	13 th	8:30am	Governors' Finance Sub-Committee Meeting
		7:30pm	Awards Evening & Presentation of GCSE certificates
Tue	14 th	2:30pm	U15 Girls Hockey v Bedales School (H)
		3:15pm	U14 Football v Meoncross School (A)
		6:00-8:30pm	Junior Parents' Evening, SDH
NOVEMBER Cont/..			
Wed	15 th		Great Ormond Street Charity Assembly (tbc);
		10:30am	Junior Assembly

		11:00am	Senior Assembly
		-	<i>U10 & U11 Netball v Kingscourt School (H)</i>
		-	<i>U13 Football league v Dunhurst School (tbc)</i>
		-	<i>U11 Football v Alton Convent School (tbc) (A)</i>
		5:00pm	DofE Awards Presentation at TPS
		6:00-9:00pm	Form 1 Parents' Evening, SDH
Thu	16 th	9:30am	<i>Lower Juniors Swimming week 2/6</i>
		3:00pm	<i>U13 Football v Meoncross School (H)</i>
		4:00pm	<i>U8 & U9 High 5 Netball v CCJS (A)</i>
		-	<i>U16 Girls Hockey Trophy (tbc)</i>
		6:00-8:30pm	Junior Parents' Evening, SDH
Fri	17 th	2:00-3:00pm	House Event
		5:30pm	Choir performing at Stansted Park Christmas Fair
Sat	18 th	10:00-3:00pm	Interviews for prospective F1 pupils with the Headmaster and Deputy Head of Seniors

Mon	20 th	7:00pm	The Shakespeare School Festival 'The Tempest' Capitol Theatre, Horsham
Tue	21 st	2:30pm	<i>U14 & U15 Netball v St Edmunds School (H)</i>
		-	<i>U11 & U13 In2 Hockey Tournament (tbc)</i>
		-	FDPS Sub Committee Meeting
Wed	22 nd	2:30pm	<i>U11 Football v Churcher's College (H)</i>
		4:00pm	<i>U10 & U11 Netball v Dunhurst School (H)</i>
		4:00pm	<i>U12 & U13 Netball v Bedales School (H)</i>
		-	<i>U9 Football Tournament at Dunhurst School (A)(tbc)</i>
		4:00pm	AMT meeting
Thu	23 rd	-	Social Media Parents' Evening (tbc)
		9:30am	<i>Lower Juniors Swimming week 3/6</i>
		2:30pm	<i>U12 & U13 Netball v Frensham Heights School (H)</i>
		3:30pm	<i>U8 & U9 Football v Boundary Oak School (A)</i>
Fri	24 th	8:45-10:00	Junior Head's Drop-In Morning

Form 5 Mock GCSE Exams week 1, SDH

Mon	27 th	6:30pm	Governors' Meeting
Tue	28 th	3:15pm	<i>U15 Football v Meoncross School (H)</i>
		4:15pm	<i>U14 & U15 Netball v The Royal School (A)</i>
Wed	29 th		Advent Assembly, Reverend Hughes
		10:30am	Junior Assembly
		11:10am	Senior Assembly
		2:15pm	<i>U10 to U13 Cross Country at St Edmunds School (A)</i>
		3:45pm	<i>U13 Football v Boundary Oak School (H)</i>
		4:30pm	<i>U15 & U16 Girls Hockey v Bedales School (A)</i>
Thu	30 th		Christmas Fayre Collection Day
		9:30am	<i>Lower Juniors Swimming week 4/6</i>
		2:15pm	<i>U8 & U9 Cross Country at St Edmunds School (A)</i>
		3:30pm	<i>U8 & U9 Netball v Churchers College (H)</i>
		4:15pm	<i>U12 & U13 Netball v The Royal School (A)</i>

DECEMBER

Fri	1 st	7:30pm	Joint Petersfield Schools' "Save the Children" Concert at Churcher's College
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Sat 2nd 12:00-3:30pm **FDPS Christmas Fair**

Form 5 Mock GCSE Exams week 2, SDH & Associated Board Music Exams

Tue 5th **4:00pm** **Junior Carols in the Quad**
2:30pm *U14 & U15 Netball v St Edmunds School (A)*

Wed 6th 4:30pm *U14 & U15 Netball v St Swithuns School (A)*

Thu 7th 9:30am *Lower Juniors Swimming week 5/6*
3:00pm *U12 & U13 Girls Hockey v Mayville School (H)*

Fri 8th **All Day** **Infant Nativity Play, Theatre**
2:00pm **Whole School Mufti Day for Great Ormond Street**
Infant Nativity Play, Theatre
6:30pm **Christmas Concert, MPB**

Mon 11th 9:30-11:30 Carol Service Rehearsal

Tue 12th 12:30pm **Seniors' Christmas Lunch**
pm Junior Christmas Parties

Wed 13th 12:00noon **Juniors' Christmas Lunch**
2:00-3:45pm Seniors' Disco

Thu 14th - **Last day in school before the holidays for pupils in Reception, Pre-Prep, Prep and Transition**
9:30am *Lower Juniors Swimming week 6/6*
10:00am Trip to Olympia Horse Show
2:00-3:45pm House Singing Competition

Fri 15th 2:15pm **Carol Service at St James Church Emsworth following which term ends**

We have included all the fixtures that were known up until the time of going to print. Inevitably further fixtures will be added and/or cancelled as the term progresses

The In-House Uniform Shop is open every Wednesday afternoon from 1:30 pm until the end of the school day

HOCKEY

Hockey Club will commence on Monday 12th September
Lower & Middle Juniors 4:00-5:00pm. Seniors 5:15-6:45pm

JUDO

Judo Club will continue on Thursdays from 8th September:
Pre-Prep, Prep and Transition 4:00-5:00pm
Lower, Middle & Upper Juniors + Seniors 5:00-6:00pm

MTB CYCLE CLUB

On site after-school on Thursdays 4:00-5:30pm
up until half-term

FENCING ACTIVITY

Juniors and Seniors – Thursday lunchtime

DITCHAM ROAD CYCLING CLUB

The Ditcham Road Cycling Club will meet every Sunday Morning 9.30am
from March to October.

For pupils aged 12+ with Bikeability level 2

STAFF RESPONSIBLE FOR WINTER GAMES

Mr G Vaudrey (Head of Dept)

Miss S Mayell

Mr M Heffernan

Miss H Batten

Mr P Symonds, Hockey Coach

Mrs S Blackman, Fencing Coach

Mr P Hamilton, Judo Coach

HEAD BOY AND GIRL:

Luca Davidson & Freya Solly

DEPUTY HEAD BOY AND GIRL:

Matt Bryan & Izzy Bryan

SENIOR HOUSE CAPTAINS :

**Abbie Beaumont, James Curry,
Emilia Curtis, Ellie Farrow, Alex Neave
Alice Payne, Alex Tatner &
Josh Turnbull**

SPORTS CAPTAINS:

Ben Isachsen & Ella Saunders

MUSIC CAPTAINS:

Sophie Fifield & Arthur Dinham-Peren

DRAMA CAPTAIN:

Niamh Robinson

ART CAPTAIN:

Madeline Walker-Moffitt

SPRING TERM begins on: Tuesday 9th January 2017

HALF TERM: 12th-16th February 2017

SPRING TERM ends on: Friday 23rd March 2017
