



Southlands School

Newsletter

Week Commencing 9th June 2025

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Letter from SLT

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week, our year groups have been out enjoying the sunshine and taking part in a variety of outdoor activities. Some of our outdoor learning groups visited the open-air pool for stand-up paddleboarding — a fun and active way to enjoy the water. Meanwhile, our Primary pupils participated in their final *Pedal* session at Burley, rounding off a fantastic series of inclusive cycling experiences.

Swimming Gala – Thursday 19th June

We are now looking forward to the upcoming Swimming Gala. This year's event will have a focus on fun and inclusivity, with a variety of games and races designed for all students to join in and enjoy. It's always a highlight of the summer term and we can't wait to see everyone taking part.

Sports Day – Friday 20th June

Sports Day will be held next Friday. We are excited to welcome parents and carers to join us for this special afternoon of sport, teamwork, and celebration. Don't forget your sun hats and picnic blankets!

*Oops! Our apologies—there was an error in last week's newsletter. The dates for the Swimming Gala and Sports Day were incorrectly listed as taking place in July. Please note that **both events are scheduled for next week in June.***

Exams

GCSE exams will officially finish next week, and we want to congratulate all our students for their hard work and resilience during this exam period. We are incredibly proud of them.

Letter from SLT Continued

School Disco -

School disco invitations have now been sent out. If your child would like to attend, please contact the school office to confirm their place. It promises to be a fun and lively evening to celebrate the end of term. Southlands.Admin@cambiangroup.com.

Parent Council - **Wednesday, 26th June**

Our next Parent Council Meeting will take place on **Wednesday, 26th June**. During the meeting, we will be sharing our plans for residential trips and outdoor activity days for the next academic year. We will also be circulating a short survey to gather parent feedback on weekly communication, which we will review together during the meeting. If you would like to attend, please let the school office know Southlands.Admin@cambiangroup.com.

Onward Journeys

We are coming towards the time of year when some of our students will be moving on in their life journeys, likewise some of the staff will be moving on in their careers.

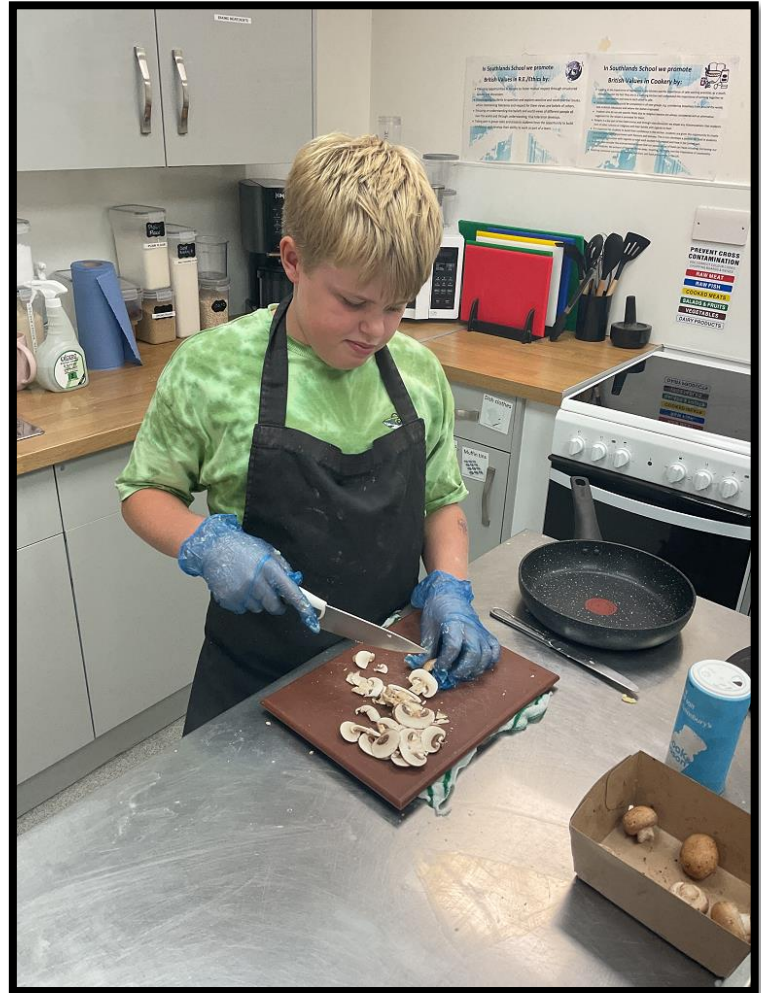
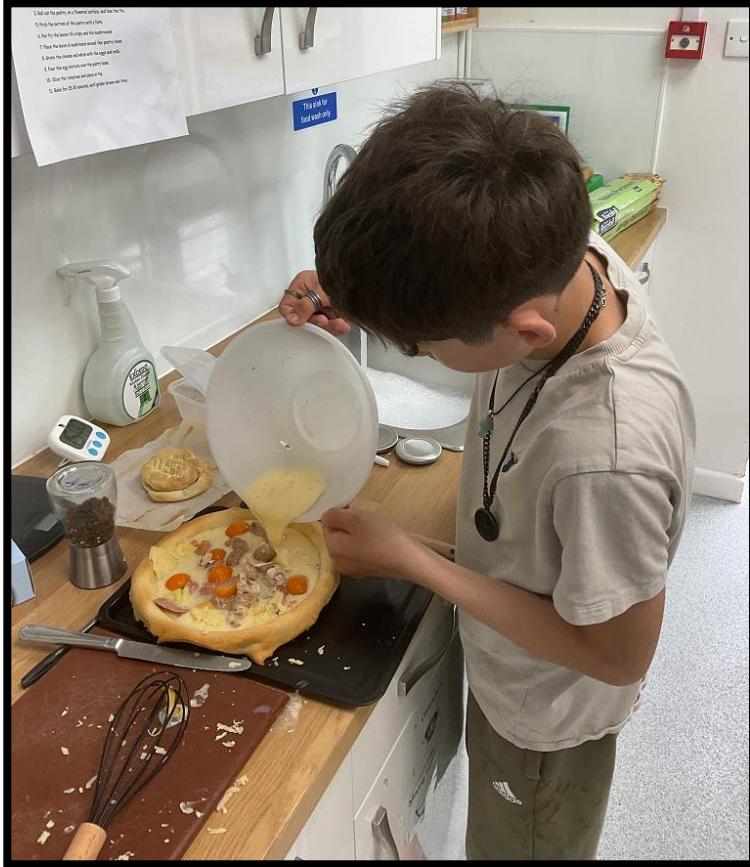
We are also bidding a fond farewell to Dan Orman, who has been a highly valued member of our team. Dan has promoted physical activity and well-being among our students through PE and Outdoor Learning. While we are sad to see him go, we are excited for the new adventures that await him *down under*! We wish Dan all the very best as he embarks on this exciting new chapter, and we thank him sincerely for his contribution to our school. Good luck, Dan—you will be greatly missed! Dan shared a Social Story with the children this week; please see this below in the newsletter.

Hannah Lundy our Assistant Psychologist will also be leaving to continue her Psychology training. Hannah will be greatly missed by staff and students alike. She has worked tirelessly to help our pupils build their confidence, social skills and enhanced their mental wellbeing. She has been huge support to our holistic approach here at Southlands. We thank her for everything she has done and wish her well on her new adventures within the industry. We are fortunate to have already recruited an assistant Psychologist who is due to start in September. We will keep you updated and share further information once employment processes have been completed. Hannah shared a Social Story with the children this week; please see this below in the newsletter.

We wish you all a wonderful weekend.

Cookery

This week in cookery, several classes focused on making quiche. The younger students used ready-made pastry but demonstrated impressive skills in preparing a variety of flavourful fillings with great care and attention to detail.



Meanwhile, the older students took on the more advanced challenge of making their own shortcrust pastry from scratch, alongside preparing delicious

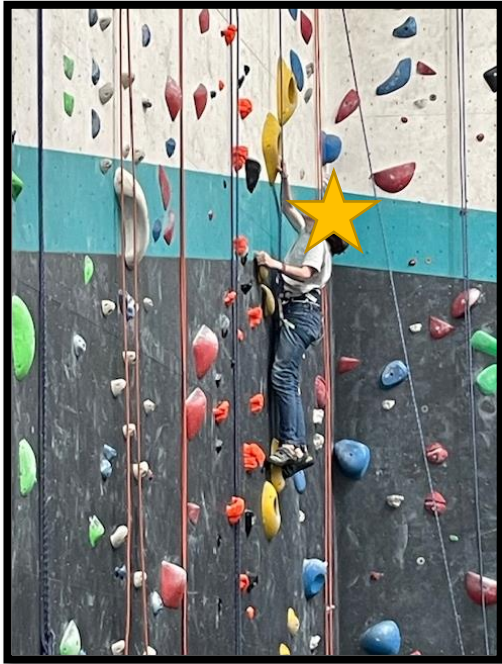
fillings to complete their quiches. The results were outstanding—each quiche looked visually appealing and smelt amazing. Well done to everyone involved for their effort and enthusiasm!



Home Trips

This week the homes had a lot of fun trips:

Coach house went to a garden centre and then finished with a sweat treat.



DT from Setthorns was able to go rock climbing and DT and NB also went to Flipout and had a great time on the trampolines!



Coach House - Longleat

Coach went to Longleat over the weekend. We went around in the safari bus where the driver told us about the history around Longleat. We were also able to see some of the monkeys jump on all the cars.



Dan Orman - Teacher

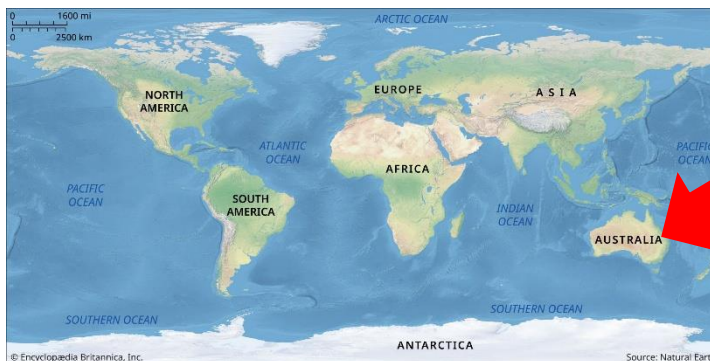
Dan is leaving Southlands School



At school Dan has been my PE teacher and running my Outdoor Learning.

Dan will be leaving Southlands on the 18th July. This is the last day of the school year on Celebration Day.

He has had a great time working here for the last 4 years and I am leaving to start a new job in Australia. He will be working in another school there and this will be an amazing opportunity for him.



Dan has really enjoyed the last 4 years getting to know you all and he would like to thank you all for every enjoyable lesson and outings throughout his time here. He will miss Southlands a lot.

If you have any questions about Dan leaving, you can ask Dan, your teachers or any other trusted adults. It is okay not to feel happy about this but also okay to feel happy for him.

Hanna Lundy - Assistant Psychologist

Dear Students,



I am **sad** to **share** that I will be **leaving Southlands** on the **18th July 2025**.

This is the **last day** of the school year, on **Celebration Day**.

This means I will **not come back** in **September**.



I am leaving to start a **new job**;

This is something that I **need** to do

to gain experience for my training to **become a psychologist**.



I have had the **best time working here** for the last 2 years

and I **will miss everyone** greatly.

I have **enjoyed** getting to **know** you all,

and I think **you are all amazing**.



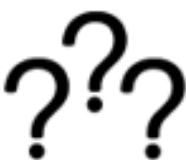
I have **learnt** a lot from **working in a school** with **young people**,

and I have **developed** a greater **understanding** of **neurodivergence**.



I **will miss Southlands** a lot.

There will be a new **Assistant Psychologist** starting in **September 2025**, After the summer holidays. We will try and **introduce** you to them as **soon** as we can.



If you have any **questions about me leaving**, I am **happy** to **answer** them.

You can come and **find me** in the **Wellbeing Hub**.

Thank you,
Hannah.

Southlands School Disco



**SOUTHLANDS SCHOOL
INVITE YOU TO OUR
SCHOOL DISCO**

Date: 3rd July 2025

Timings 18:00pm– 20:00pm

We will provide drinks and snacks

Please RSVP to let us know you will be joining us.

Your name _____

Please tick yes or no for your attendance Yes ☐ No ☐

Parental consent (Please print name and signature)

Upcoming Exams Timetable

June

16 th	AM	Triple Physics Paper 2 Combined Science – Paper 2F - Physics
25 th	All Day	CONTINGENCY DAY

Cookery – World Record Attempt



Jamie's GUINNESS WORLD RECORDS™ attempt

Be a record maker and join The Jamie Oliver Cookery School's online class! It's going to be fun, it's going to be tasty, it's going to be pasta-tively amazing!

THE ALL-IMPORTANT DETAILS:

What are we doing?

A Jamie Oliver Cookery School lesson, making tomato pasta. We need at least 15 people per group so there will lots of team work involved and also staff getting involved too.

We will then be able to enjoy the pasta at lunchtime alongside the rest of the normal menu that

When?

11am on 1 July 2025

Where?

On Zoom – This will be a one-way stream-the children and school will not be on display

What is the record we are attempting to break??

We're trying to break the record for the largest cooking lesson ever!

The current record is 6,778 participants and was achieved by the Partnership for Health in Poland, with 89 schools taking part on 6 November 2015.

Cookery – World Record Attempt

When will we find out if we are successful in breaking the record?

We are hoping to find out on the day or shortly afterwards so we will hopefully be able to update everyone in the newsletter that week

Please see the below consent form

Everyone will be invited to complete the cookery lesson but without being able to provide their name to the Guinness book of world records they would not count towards the attempt, but they would still gain valuable skills and a delicious pasta dish to try.

Please return to sarah.mcmillan@cambiangroup.com no later than 24.06.2025

Consent Form – Jamie's Pasta world record attempt cook off

Tuesday July 1st 2025 at Southlands school

I give permission for my child, _____ (student's name), to have their name shared with Guinness book of world records to confirm completion of world record attempt.

Please also tick to indicate what you would like to give permission for photos to be taken for and shared on/with (This is for this event only)

- ☐ Newsletter
- ☐ Facebook
- ☐ Company website
- ☐ Guinness world record group & Jamie Oliver's cookery school

Parent/Carer Name: _____

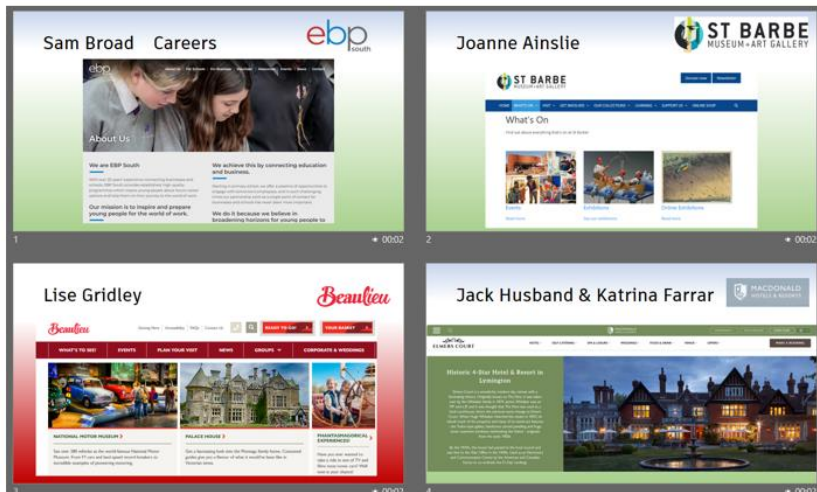
Signature: _____ Date: _____

Emergency Contact Number: _____

Upcoming Events

Business Speed Meeting Y8 & Y9

Our career speed networking event involved a range of volunteers from St Barbe Museum, Beaulieu & Elmers Court Hotel coming together to chat about their jobs to our group of Year 8 & 9 students. The aim is to introduce young people to a wide range of jobs that are available to them, broadening their horizons and encouraging them to think about work experience & careers.



SLS College Campus Visit



An ideal opportunity for you to visit Brockenhurst College and with your tutor group. You will be able to talk to teachers, tour the facilities, explore the campus and ask any questions you might have about college life.



Brock College Taster Day

An ideal opportunity for you to find out more about Brockenhurst College and what they have to offer. Discover their approach to learning and find the courses that interest you.



- 10.00 – Principals welcome
- 10.30-12.00 – Subject activities (campus wide)
- 12.00 - 12.40 – Group 1 – lunch, group 2 – student panel and choosing your subjects (main hall)
- 12.45 – 1.30 – Group 2 – lunch, group 1 – student panel and choosing your subjects (main hall)



Dates for your Diary

26th June 25 – Parent council Meeting



Southlands School Term Dates 24 - 25

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Term Dates 2024 - 2025



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School Holidays

Public Holidays

Inset Days



38 Week Residential Evening Return

38 Week Residential Leave

Southlands School Term Dates 25 - 26

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Term Dates 2025 - 2026



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Southlands Children's Home —Safeguarding Poster

Who can I report a concern to?



Jack Murphy
Registered Manager
01590 675350 / Ext 56345
Jack.Murphy2@cambianguroup.com



Lauren Stubley
Deputy Head of Care
01590 675350 / Ext 56364
Lauren.Stubley@cambianguroup.com

I can also report concerns to..



James Watson
Regional Care Lead

James.watson@cambianguroup.com



Alison Priddle
Principal & Responsible Individual
01590 675350 / Ext 56301 / 07711 765999
Alison.Priddle@cambianguroup.com

All safeguarding concerns to be reported within **1 hour**
Staff concerns ONLY to be reported to Registered Manager/Head of Care/
Principal/Regional Lead

Southlands School - (Education) Safeguarding Poster

Southlands Designated Safeguarding Leads



Holly Stevenson

Named Designated Safeguarding Lead

01590 675350 / Ext 56362

Holly.Stevenson@cambianguroup.com



Alison Priddle

Principal , Responsible Individual and DSL

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SENDCo/ Deputy HoE/DDSL

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DDSL / DBSL

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Sorina Ciorteanu

DDSL / DBSL

01590675350 / Ext 56362

Regional Lead - James Watson / James.Watson@cambianguroup.com

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