



Photos: Some crazy hair in bright sunshine today!

We've had four seasons this week, starting with heavy rain through to bright sunshine today and even snow on Wednesday! The sunshine today has certainly made non-uniform day/ crazy hair work well – though as you can see from the photo above it was so bright it was hard to smile for the photo! Thanks to all of you for the donations for the Christmas Fair – FUS busily organised everything as children arrived – this has made a great start to their preparations!

Thanks to Everyone Who Helped at the Disco

Thanks to FUS for organising the Disco after school last week. The children had lots of fun and enjoyed the occasion. Thanks also to everyone who volunteered their time to be here, including staff who gave up their evenings too, there's too many to name here but without you it couldn't have happened!

Parent Governor Election

If you are interested in applying, please email the office on adminoffice@upham.hants.sch.uk for an application form. The deadline for returning this application is 28th November.

Dates for your Diary:
Fri 28 Nov – Deadline for Return of Parent Governor application forms
Sat 6 Dec 2-4pm FUS Christmas Fair



Does Your Child Use Roblox? – You Need to be Aware of This

If your child uses Roblox you need to be aware of a pop-up that is appearing, encouraging children to download an app called pollybuzz (or pollyfuzz in some spelling cases). The app seems quite simple where children are asked questions, and it generates an Artificial Intelligence 'friend' – this starts off quite innocently but then begins to show extreme content (including suicide, self-harm and pornography). It may be helpful to remind children about not clicking on pop-ups in games and to report anything that is worrying or inappropriate to a trusted adult. Roblox has parental controls and instructions of how to prevent these pop-ups which can be accessed via this link:

<https://en.help.roblox.com/hc/en-us/articles/30428310121620-Parental-Controls-Overview>

INSET Days left for 25/26

- Mon 5 Jan
- Mon 23 Feb
- Fri 22 May

Check you haven't missed these communications this week:

None

Sports News

A team of Year 5 and 6 girls and boys took part in a table tennis tournament on Monday. They played games as individuals but their overall scores were totalled as a boys and also a girls team. They played teams from the local cluster schools, the boys did particularly well, coming third overall. The important thing though is that they all enjoyed playing the sport and supported each other brilliantly!

Thanks to Miss Leech for taking them and organising everything and to everyone who helped with transport. Well done also to Bertie who stepped in to fill a place and played against much older children so well!

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