



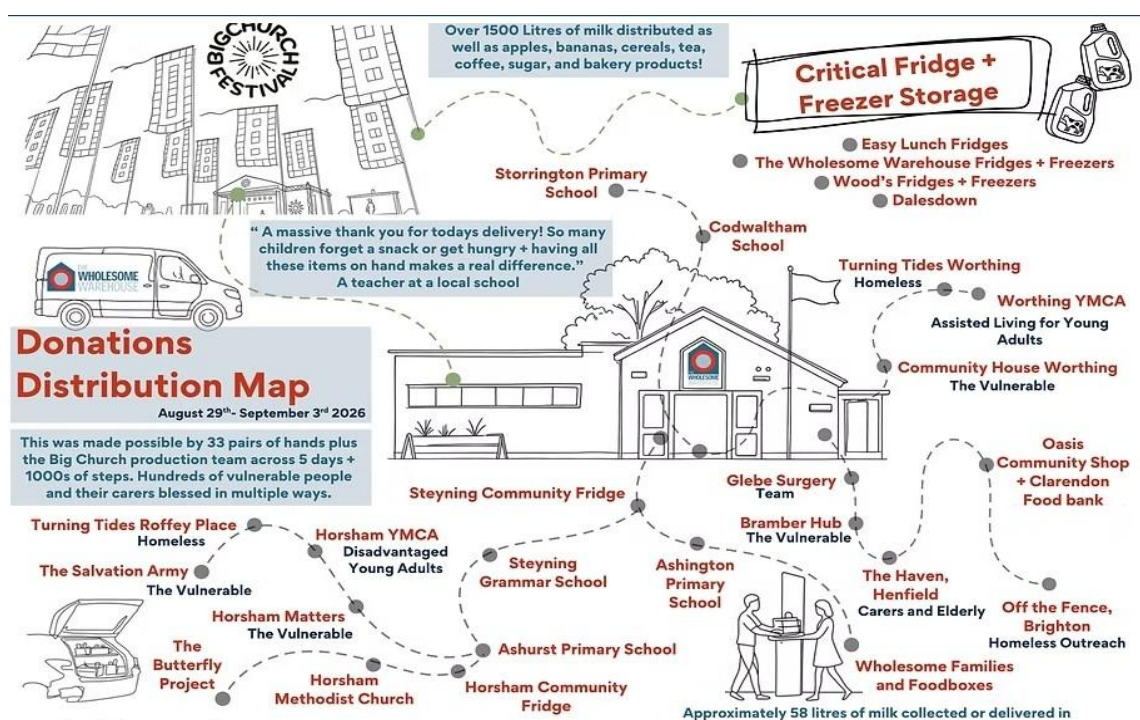
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Wednesday 7th October 2026

Wednesday Weekly

Dear Thakeham families,

Next week, we look forward to welcoming Rev. Joel Willmer to school on Tuesday 13th October to lead our Harvest Celebration. We will again be collecting donations for the Wholesome Warehouse in Storrington. They feed 140-170 mouths a week in the local area.



Please see below items that would be greatly appreciated:

Baked beans
 Black beans
 Spreads - Nutella, jam, honey
 Crumpets

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Tinned fish
Tinned meat
Butter
Tinned tomatoes
Deodorant
Shower gel
Washing powder

Please can donations be brought into school on the morning of the 13th as we will be delivering these to the Wholesome Warehouse by lunchtime. Tables with a box for each class will be in the entrance corridor.

Many thanks in advance for your support of our local communities.

Community Connections

Last week, some of our Year 3/4 children participated in a football taster, hosted by Steyning Grammar School. Mrs Devereux, who took the children, was incredibly impressed with how well the children actively participated and how well they all demonstrated our Thakeham CARE value of Respect with their polite manners and supportive teamwork. Well done to you all!



FoTS

We are still actively recruiting volunteers to support our Friends of Thakeham School PTA, so please do reach out to Mrs Vikki Byatt, our FoTS Chair, who would love to secure a few more helping hands. Please contact Vikki via our FoTS email: fots@thakehamps.co.uk

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Key Dates

Date	Event
08.10.26	Whole School Flu Vaccinations
12-14.10.26	Year 5/6 Bikeability Week
13.10.26	New Reception Parent Tour 2-3pm
19.10.26	New Reception Parent Tour 11am-12pm
22.10.26	Franklin Class trip to South Downs Planetarium, Chichester
22.10.26	Emotional Regulation Workshop – 9am in New Hall – all welcome!
26-30.10.26	October half term - school closed
02.11.26	INSET DAY - school closed.
03.11.26	School open. Children return New Reception Parent Tour 2-3pm Parents' Evening (for Wonder, Marley and Franklin classes) – info to follow
10.11.26	New Reception Parent Tour 2-3pm
12.11.26	Parents' Evening (for Beatles, Wonder, Marley and Franklin classes) – info to follow

Thank you for your continued partnership and support.

Warm regards,

Mrs. K Houston
 Executive Headteacher
 Thakeham Primary School

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