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**Welcome back to school after the half-term break.
We look forward to seeing you at Parent/Carer consultation meetings
over the next two weeks.**

Follow us on Twitter @Summerleaharts



We are very excited that you can now follow us on Twitter!

Our aim is to use Twitter as a way of keeping families, staff, governors, our community and visitors up to date with the latest news and events at our school.

We have called our account name Summerleaharts because we felt this reflected our values and also our love for life and learning, which we will be sharing with you via our regular Tweets.

If you are not a Twitter user you can also see our posts on the homepage of our website.



Week beginning 27th February:

Mon 27th: INSET day – school closed

Tues 28th: Year 2 Forest School starts

Thurs 2nd March: World Book Day – dress up as a favourite book character

3.15-6pm Parent/carers consultation meetings
(no Teacher Led Clubs running today)

Week beginning 6th March:

Mon 6th: 2pm Year 5 assembly

Tues 7th: 3.15-6pm Parent/carers consultation meetings (no Teacher Led Clubs running today)

Weds 8th: 4-7pm Parent/carers consultation meetings (no Teacher Led Clubs running today)

Thurs 9th: FOSS Sponsored Bounce

Fri 10th: Year 3 trip to Butser Farm

Please see the previously issued calendar for key dates and events this spring term. Please also see our website calendar, as well as separate letters, for more information.

Sainsbury's Active Kids

We are collecting Sainsbury's Active Kids vouchers again this year. Our collection box is in the main entrance. Vouchers can be exchanged for sports and cookery equipment for the school. Thank you for your support.

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Staffing News

We are delighted to welcome Mrs Tedbury (formally Miss Turner) back to Summerlea following her maternity leave. Mrs Tedbury is returning for three days per week and resuming her role as Senior Leader. She will be Key Stage Two Leader for the remainder of this academic year; taking over from Mrs Levantine (interim Lower Key Stage 2 Leader) and also Mrs Howard (Upper Key Stage 2 Leader) in the summer term. Mrs Tedbury's role entails her supporting teaching, learning and curriculum design. She is non-class based working across Key Stage 2 with a particular focus on Year 6 in the first instance.

We are also very pleased that we have been fortunate in attracting an excellent candidate to cover Mrs Howard's maternity leave in Year 6, from after Easter. Mr Anderson, currently teaching in Torquay and re-locating to East Preston, will be a fantastic addition to our teaching team and we look forward to working with him.

We are pleased to announce that Mrs Hawkins (Year 1 class teacher) gave birth to a beautiful baby boy named Billy on Valentine's Day! Congratulations to Mrs Hawkins and her family – we can't wait to meet the new arrival.

And finally, congratulations to Mr Fauvel (Year 6 class teacher) who has successfully gained a promotion and will be leaving Summerlea at the end of this academic year. Mr Fauvel will be overseeing the transition from Year 5 to 6 at Goring-By-Sea CofE Primary School, Worthing. It will also come as no surprise to you that Mr Fauvel will be leading music! Although we are sad that we'll be saying goodbye to Mr Fauvel, we are also very proud and privileged to have been part of his career progression and professional journey.



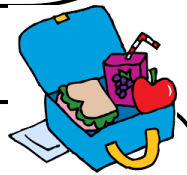
New Uniform Supplier

Please accept our apologies for the delay in being able to give you a 'launch' date for our second uniform supplier. We are working closely with YourSchoolUniform.com, finalizing garments and contracts. In the meantime, logoed uniform is available from Uniforms Direct, or non logoed uniform from a range of superstores, as usual. Thank you for your patience.



Healthy Schools

We are proud to be a school that actively encourages and promotes healthy lifestyles. This is a reminder to please provide your child/ren with healthy snacks in their lunch boxes rather than sweets, crisps and chocolate. Thank you for your support.



Flu Vaccinations in schools programme 2016/17

We have received a letter of thanks from the Sussex Community NHS Trust for participating in the schools flu programme and helping them achieve their targets. Our school managed to get a 65% uptake and we have been congratulated for this. We will be embarking on this programme again this coming September and will be vaccinating Years 1 to 4. We will be informed later in the year of dates regarding this programme.

Swapping Cards in Year 6

Year 6 children are currently enjoying playing with Pokémon swapping cards at break and lunch times. Whilst we are currently happy for Year 6 children to bring these into school, this is a reminder that they are their responsibility and should they begin to cause upset on the playground and/or a distraction in the classroom we will no longer be able to condone these (as has been the case previously). Please talk to your child about this at home to reinforce our expectations.



FOSS News

Thank you to everyone who attended the FOSS meeting on Friday 10th February. Sander Beek (previously elected Chair in the autumn term) has had to stand down due to other commitments. We are pleased to confirm that our named committee members are as follows: Charlotte Edwards (Chair), Emma Green (Vice Chair), Kat Wright (Treasurer), Angela Honeywood (Secretary)

Thank you for supporting our Valentine themed non-uniform day on the last day of half-term – the children looked fantastic dressed in red, hearts and flowers and raised £285.20. This year, FOSS are raising funds for blackout blinds and curtains in the school hall and new resources for the Key Stage 2 outdoor area. These are both projects the whole school will benefit from and will make a huge difference to the school environment and experience. Our next event is the sponsored bounce - please show your support and collect as much sponsorship as you can. Thank you!

Marathon News

Ria Larkins and Matt Wadey, who both have children (Jack and Freya) in Year 1, are running (and possibly walking a little!) the Brighton Marathon on Sunday 9th April and we are delighted that they have joined together to raise some much-needed money for FOSS. Ria has been running as a hobby for a few years. Having never attempted a marathon before, she has decided to challenge herself to training and completing this marathon. Ria wanted to do it for a small charity which meant something to her and her family and, after a chat on the playground one morning, it was established that this was also Matt's intention too and they decided to join forces!

Matt started running 2 years ago after losing 5 stone. He is currently training 5 days a week for the marathon and will be happy to just complete it!!! This will also be Matt's first marathon.

If anyone would like to sponsor Ria and Matt and help raise some money for FOSS then you can do this by visiting:

<http://www.crowdfunder.co.uk/fundraising-for-summerlea-community-primary-school?tk=7c23e585ccfdcdf2900dec0a86298bba7149a3dd>

Thank you for your support and thank you to Ria and Matt for choosing to raise money for FOSS.



VACANCY

Individual Needs Mid Day Meals Supervisors (MDMS) Grade 3 £8.04 - £8.39 per hour

TEMPORARY

5 hours per week, 1 hour daily Monday-Friday

Overall Purpose of the Job

- To meet the needs of an individual pupil, with SEND, in your care at lunchtimes under the direction of the Senior Leadership Team, Inclusion Team and Senior Midday Meals Supervisor.

Duties and Responsibilities

- Taking over supervision of a child with special educational needs at the agreed time.
- Supervising the child through transitions such as queueing, moving about the school and using cloakrooms, ensuring hygiene and appropriate behaviour at all times.
- Reinforcing the school's positive behaviour policy, Summerlea Seven Values and rules in accordance with individual behaviour plans.
- Maintaining clear communication with the Inclusion Team, class teacher and other staff who work directly with an individual child.
- Assisting with record keeping.
- Following the Child Protection Policy.
- Participating in any training courses that are relevant to this post as requested.

The successful candidate will be able to engage with children, support and care for them and ensure that their school experience is a positive, safe and happy one.

We encourage all of our MDMS to have a sense of belonging to an important team of staff. Summerlea School is an equal opportunities employer. We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and this post is subject to DBS and pre-employment checks. West Sussex County Council meets the requirements in respect of exempted questions under the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974. Please note, because of the nature of this job, if you are successful in your application you will be subject to an Enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check. This will be done by means of applying for an "Enhanced Disclosure". Disclosures include details of cautions, reprimands or final warnings as well as convictions, spent or unspent.

Candidates invited to interview should be informed in writing that relevant criminal convictions and other associated information will be discussed at the interview in order to assess job-related risks. They should also be informed that this information would only be used to assess suitability for employment in so far as it is relevant to the job to which they have applied. Having a criminal conviction will not necessarily bar someone from employment, this will depend on the circumstances and background to the offence.

Visits to our school are most welcome.

Please download and complete an application and safer recruitment form and email them to sbm@summerleaschool.co.uk or post to Summerlea CP School, Windsor Drive, Rustington, West Sussex, BN16 3SW. Enquiries 01903 856783



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SUMMERLEA AFTER SCHOOL CARE CLUB

The After School Care Club is run exclusively for Summerlea children and is run by Summerlea staff. We work extremely hard aiming to create a safe, caring and friendly environment in which your children can have a great time. During sessions we offer a range of planned activities and free –play to the children inside the hall and on the Key Stage 1 playground (weather permitting).

The After School Club operates Monday to Friday, 3pm to 5.30pm, term time only. We do not operate on inset training days or the last day of a full term. The fee is £3.25 per hour. Healthy snacks and drinks are provided.

Should you require a place for your child either on a regular basis or on an ad hoc basis, please telephone After School Care Club direct on 07981 350306.

Our Staff members:



Mrs L Palmer, Manager



Mrs S Barton, Assistant Manager



Mrs L Ray



Mrs S Hills



Miss F Parsons





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CHILD CONTACT CENTRES

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Term time only

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Helen 07879 827180