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'Growing thoughtful learners and independent thinkers'



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Our film and function night in aid of the Year 6 production raised an amazing £572.78 profit!

Thank you to staff and parents for supporting this event.

Railway Art Competition

Our school has joined up with Georgian Gardens and Rustington Schools to mark the birthday of Angmering Railway Station. Children in Key Stage 2 were invited to design postcards that celebrated the 170th birthday of Angmering Station. Each school then selected three winners and ours were as follows:

1st prize: Abbie Vickery (Year 6)

Joint 2nd prize: Chloe Hayes (Year 6) and Leah Butcher (Year 5).

Each 1st prizewinner has had their design printed as a professional postcard and all three winners received free rail passes. Congratulations to all three girls and thank you to everyone who took part in the competition – there really were some great designs and it was very hard to choose our favourites!

Thank you to Mrs McConnochie for organising our school's entries and assisting in the mounting and displaying of work. All entries can be viewed at Angmering Station and look out for the printed postcards too.



Week beginning 6th June:

Mon 6th: INSET – school closed

Thurs 9th – 6pm Welcome meeting for new parents (September 2016 intake)

Fri 10th – Queens 90th birthday celebrations – wear red, white and blue or other royal attire for a £1 donation
3pm Fundraising Fiesta

Week beginning 13th June:

Year 1 & 2 Phonics screening checks all week

Mon 13th June – 10am Y5/6 Top Up Swimming

Thurs 16th June – 6pm Assessment information meeting for parents/carers

Please also see the previously published term dates for the academic year and key events on our website calendar, as well as separate letters for more information.





Staffing and governor update

We would like to let you know of some forthcoming changes to our staffing and governing body. Firstly, congratulations to Miss Sonya Johnston (Year 1 Class Teacher) who has gained a position as class teacher at Walberton and Binsted School as from September 2016. Miss Johnston has been at Summerlea for nearly 13 years and will certainly be missed. However we are pleased that she is going to have the opportunity to broaden her experience in another school.

We are delighted to have made two excellent appointments for full time class teachers as from September 2016. Miss Emma Lentz (currently Year 4 class teacher, 3 days per week) and Miss Mary Walker. Congratulations to them both, they are wonderful additions to our teaching team.

We are currently restructuring Learning Supporting Assistants across the school in order to better meet the needs of our children and ensure we have a sustainable model for the future. Further information about the new structure and class organisation will follow. Children will find out their class teacher for next academic year on transition day (6th July) and spend the day getting to know them.

Mrs Niki Barnes (Receptionist) is also sadly leaving us at the end of this week. Mrs Barnes previously worked for Thomas Cook and has decided to return to this company now that her children are older. We are very sorry to see Mrs Barnes go but are also pleased that she is going back to a job she enjoyed and that will suit her so well. Whilst we seek to replace Mrs Barnes (not an easy task!) the office will be under-staffed and we thank you in advance for your patience at busy times. We are very grateful that during the interim Mrs Moore's daughter has kindly agreed to help us out when she can.

And finally, Mr Martin Charters (Co-Chair of the governing body) is also standing down at the end of the academic year. Mr Charters has a long association with the school and is a very well respected and well-liked member of the governing body, who has brought a wealth of financial experience to the school. Mr Charters has always played an active part in the wider school community, including regularly attending School Pupil Council Meetings. As such he will be missed as much by the children



More fantastic fundraising!

The Scholastic Book Fair which was held in school during the week beginning 25th April earned us £682 worth of free books!

The week of 16th May was Walk to School Week and the Tuesday was Happy Shoesday when children and staff were invited to wear shoes that make their feet smile. It was great fun to see everyone wearing different footwear and in the process we raised £161.60 for the charity Living Streets.

Thank you for all of your contributions on non-uniform day on Friday 27th May, towards the tombola at the FOSS summer fair. If you forgot to bring in a non-tin and non-packet item it's not too late - please drop your donations off at the office. Many thanks for your continued support.

Are your contact details up to date?

Please ensure your contact details (address, telephone number/s and email) are up to date on our system at school. If you move house, change your telephone number or alter your email address please pop into the office to let us know. We want to ensure we have the most current contact details for you in case we should need to get in touch with you in an emergency. Thank you for your assistance.

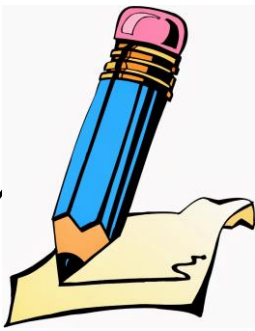


Toilets at home time

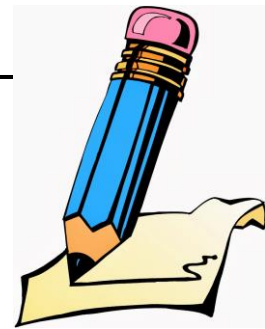
If, when you come to pick up your child at home time, they or their sibling needs to use the toilet, please bring them round to use the disabled toilet at the front of school. Please do not accompany your child into the year group toilets. Thank you for your co-operation.

Headteacher:

Helen Morris



The 100-word challenge
Week beginning: 9th May



EYFS/Key Stage 1 winner

Hello. I'm Bernard the tree. I'm just going to tell you a story of when birds nest. My favourite was the Woodcocks always keeping me company. Oh the worst is the... Woodpeckers! This is the reason I'm old and battered. It kept doing this: BANG, PECK, KNOCK! It felt like they were sawing me down. They were banging and pecking. My next bird is Mr and Mrs Robin, singing to the lovely songs, tweeting along. Ah, the songs they sang. Finally, the wild bat – always shaking me around. How much pain it brought as I'm old and don't have enough water. I don't have any more memories. Sadly it is some disappointment and hopeless time to go. See you soon. I will really miss you.

Written by Zac (Cedar Class, Year 2)

The challenge was a real competition found by Mrs Strong and set by The Woodland Trust:

**Write about your
favourite tree in 500
words**



Key Stage 2 winner

My favourite tree is in Centre Parcs, it has two holes for people to sit in. Whenever I go I always go and sit on it with my sister, but the real reason it's my favourite is because when I was little me and my friend, Grace, were in a lodge next to the tree and we always sat on it. And a few years ago we went again and remembered the tree from when we were three. It has always been a special tree to me and Grace right up 'till now. I don't know what kind of tree it is but I know this: it's always the same shape and we can still sit on it (even though it's a bit small now). We don't just sit on it either, we climb it, jump on it and run around it. And, as you can see, it's more than just a tree. It's much more. But the weird thing is it's never busy. Why? We're ALWAYS going on it, it's so fun but nobody else thinks it is.

Maybe you've been to Centre Parcs, have you? Have you seen the tree? But you probably just thought it was a regular tree. But the problem is that it's better than any other tree. It's a climbing frame, a toy, a chair oh and a tree I guess. And I guess it's a bit silly to have a tree as a friend but don't judge me for having a favourite tree.

Written by Jessica (Juniper Class, Year 5)

Time to read and reflect

We hope you have enjoyed reading these pieces of writing. It would be lovely if you could spend some time sharing and discussing them with your child. Below are some suggestions of things you could think and talk about together.

Zac has written from the perspective of a tree. How do we know this?

Jessica has thought about all the things a tree can be. How many uses can you think of for a tree?



This fantastic short story was selected as the entry to be submitted on behalf of our school.

Winners will be announced at the end of June. We could win an iPad for our school!

The Secret Door

Long ago, lived a brother and sister called Lucy and Luke. They were staying with their grandma, who spent most of her day sleeping, for the summer break. They spent their days exploring in bushes, trees, parks and the town, pretending they were rainforest explorers. In the middle of the park was a beautiful, tall tree with shiny green and gold leaves and a chocolate coloured brown long stalk, with lovely branches and a little bird nest on them. It smelt of fresh flowers and on the tree was a well carved little door that was fake, or was it? Everyone said there was a secret about that little door on the tree but Lucy and Luke knew it wasn't true! Was it?

That night was cold, dark and windy and Lucy and Luke couldn't sleep. They started to talk about the little door and how it couldn't be true. At last, they were fast asleep and as soon as it struck midnight a bright, gold light shone through the curtains. Luke woke up with a fright. A summer breeze came through the window and broke the glass. Luke let out a scream that woke Lucy up.

"What's going on?" shouted Lucy faintly.

"Something's outside!" explained Luke with a fright.

Lucy walked to the gap, that used to be a window, and replied "What a sight!"



The tree in the park was glowing. Glowing so bright that it could blind someone. Some of the leaves went off and were flying around the tree. Lucy and Luke snuck out of the house and ran as quick as lightning to the tree. They hid in a bush and were spying on the tree. The stalk grew wider and taller. Toadstools and daisies grew around it. A yellow light came through the carved door then...A massive firework came down from the sky and exploded! It was all dark and smoky. As soon as the smoke went away the little door looked like a real door painted dark red and a polished gold door handle. A leaf fell off in front of the door and...SNAP, CRACKLE, POP! The door opened creakkkkkkkkkkk.

Lucy and Luke peered through the door and slowly entered. Inside was a never ending windy staircase. Finally, they got to the end. They went into a room full of treasures - gold, silver, pearls, jewellery, gems, crystals, diamonds, emeralds, coins, pound notes, candy, trophies, medals, rubies, toys, bronze and so much more.

"This is amazing!" said Luke with excitement.

"Yeah!" shouted Lucy. "We are rich."

Suddenly, they heard a bang. They heaved their bags of treasures back up the staircase. When they got up to the top they found out what happened. They were...TRAPPED!

A deep voice said very loudly "How did you find this?"

"OH NO!" said Lucy "I don't know!"

"THINK THINK!" whispered Luke. "Oh yes! There was a bright gold light."

Suddenly, a massive red puff of smoke appeared. They were free and could visit whenever they wanted.



Written by Jessica (Elm Class, Year 4)

VACANCIES

Mid Day Meals Supervisors (MDMS)

Grade 2 £7.19 - £7.43 per hour

5 hours per week, 1 hour daily Monday-Friday

The successful candidates 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 our MDMS to have a sense of belonging to an important team of staff. The MDMS are responsible for supervising the children, ensuring that they have a calm and positive lunchtime experience that is sociable and fun.

All MDMS are expected to supervise and engage the children in play on the playground before/after lunch has been eaten and liaise with the staff about pupils' individual needs.

Summerlea School is an equal opportunities employer and the posts are subject to enhanced DBS clearance. We expect all candidates to share a commitment to safeguarding our pupils.

Visits to our school are most welcome.

Please download and complete an application and safer recruitment form from our website under **Our School > Staff Vacancies** and email them to sbm@summerleaschool.co.uk or post to Summerlea CP School, Windsor Drive, Rustington, West Sussex, BN16 3SW.
Enquiries 01903 856783

"It's All About You" Event Your Time To "Shine"

Thursday 9th June 2016

12.30-2.30pm

@ Littlehampton Children & Family Centre
(The Wickbourne Centre)

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substance misuse, mental illness, extreme
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Key Speakers:-

Lynne Healy, Life Coach
Julie Budge, My Sisters' House

You can book

1:1 session with Lynne Healy
& "Shine" tasters session

Please contact Event Organisers :

Kay on 07849613456
Sophie on 07731841313



Lynne Healy—Life Coach



Julie Budge—Charity Founder

Organisations attending:-

My Sisters' House
Arun Wellbeing/Get Wise
Freedom Leisure
Sussex Recovery College
West Sussex County Council Libraries
SAMA/Karate & Kung Fu
Safe in Sussex
& more to be confirmed.....



Arun East Children & Family Centres



VOLUNTEERS' WEEK
The Big Celebration

SCHOOLS' ART

Out and About!



Our 13th Annual Exhibition produced by local schoolchildren

Open Mon - Fri 9.00 - 4.30, Sat 10.30 - 4.30
Admission FREE!

Manor House, Church Street, Littlehampton.
West Sussex. BN17 5EW.

Tel: 01903 738100

E: museum@littlehampton-tc.gov.uk

W: littlehamptonmuseum.co.uk



As you are aware the Euro football tournament is fast approaching, and to promote this within our store, we would like to invite your children to design some posters for a display at the front of our store. Within these posters we would like the children to include the Sainsbury's clothing brand TU and to use the colours and designs of the clothing range from the pictures attached. This is a competition and there will be a prize of £20 on a Sainsbury's gift card! If all entries could be made by Saturday the 11th of June we will confirm the winner with you by Monday the 13th. If you have any further queries don't hesitate to contact me!

Kind Regards

Nick Stanley

Nick Stanley| PR Ambassador | Rustington

Sainsbury's Supermarkets Ltd | New Road, Rustington | BN16 3RT

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RUSTINGTON

FREE EVENT FOR LOCAL PEOPLE

**Saturday
18th June 2016**

10am - 4pm

**CHARITY
STALLS**

**CHILDREN'S
FUN
FAIR**

**STREET
ENTERTAINMENT**

MUSIC
on the
Main Stage &
Churchill Court

**PUNCH
& JUDY**

**ARTS &
CRAFTS
STALLS**

**VINTAGE
VICTORIAN
CARRY ON
HISTORY DAY**

with **Dressing-Up,**
Children's Events
and
Tea & Biscuits

at the
Rustington Museum

in the Methodist Church Hall
with **FREE** Workshops

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RUSTINGTON



A joint venture organised by the Littlehampton
District Lions Club and the Rustington Chamber of
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Street Fayre

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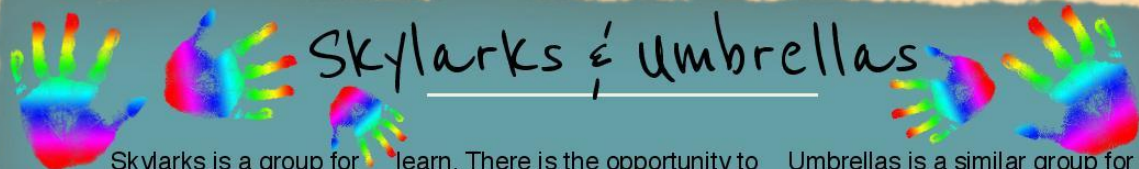
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Parent Volunteer Placements

The Parent Volunteer Programme is now up and running with placements available at the Look & Sea Centre, local schools, hairdressers, charity shops and libraries. You can also support a pottery or cookery class. This programme offers parents the opportunity to explore volunteering as a means to help them fulfil their goal of returning to the work place and/or education and training and aims to encourage, support and improve parent's aspirations, personal skills, self-confidence, employability and economic wellbeing. If you are interested in any of the above roles please contact Kim or Heather on 01903 276840 or email heatherandersson@westsussex.gov.uk or kim.seex@westsussex.gov.uk



Skylarks is a group for babies and children up to age 5, specially designed for children with additional needs and families that have concerns about their child's learning and development who are looking for further help and support. The sessions are free and are centred around sensory play and

learn. There is the opportunity to speak to support professionals and also sign posting to local services. Skylarks is based at the East Preston Children & Family Centre on Tuesdays from 1pm-2.30pm during term time. For more information contact Faye Barbary and Natasha Ortiz on 01903 270470.

Umbrellas is a similar group for children with SEND/SEN who are in mainstream school. Children don't need a diagnosis to attend, and siblings are welcome with a carer. Umbrella's starts on Thursday 19th May 12:45-2:45pm at Littlehampton children & family centre.



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The things you do every day that help your child's growing brain.

www.westsussex.gov.uk/fivetothrive



10TH FUN DAY ANNIVERSARY!



FAMILY FUN DAY

23rd July 2016

LINDEN PARK, LITTLEHAMPTON, BN17 7BJ

- BAR ▪ HOG ROAST ▪ FOOD OUTLETS ▪ STALLS ▪ BABY COMPETITION ▪
- LIVE MUSIC ▪ DANCE PERFORMANCES ▪ PUNCH & JUDY ▪ REPTILE ZOO ▪
- ARCHERY ▪ ZORBALL ▪ ZORB RAMP ▪ BOUNCY CASTLES ▪ SOFT PLAY ▪
- GO KARTS ▪ FIRE ENGINE ▪ FACE PAINTING ▪ BALLOON MODELLING ▪
- FAIRGROUND RIDES ▪ CHARACTER WALKABOUTS ▪ RAFFLES ▪ TOMBOLAS ▪

Free Entry

11am - 6pm



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23rd July 2016

PROGRAMME

11:00 – 18:00	STALLS & RIDES	13:30 – 15:00	BALLOON MODELLING
11:30	SEA CADETS BAND	13:45	CELEBRATION SAMBA
12:00 – 13:00	BALLOON MODELLING	14:00	OUTLAW ALLSTARS
12:00	ROCKABUBZ	14:15	TUG OF WAR
12:30	BABY COMPETITION	14:30	LIVE MUSIC
12:45	SEA CADETS BAND	15:00	PUNCH & JUDY
13:00	PUNCH & JUDY	15:30	LIVE MUSIC
13:30	SUSSEX TORNADOES	16:30	WINNERS ANNOUNCED

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Sussex Mobiles www.sussexmobilephone.co.uk

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