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'Growing thoughtful learners and independent thinkers'



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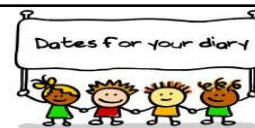
Please complete the extended schools survey via our website:

www.summerlea.w-sussex.sch.uk

Our School > School Improvement > Surveys > Extended Schools Survey

Fantastic Fundraising Fiesta!

Our annual Fundraising Fiesta proved to be just as successful as previous years, raising £1013.95 for some incredibly worthwhile charities, including Great Ormond Street Hospital, Ferring Country Centre, Dogs Trust and the MS Society. Fundraising stalls and activities included tasty treats for cats and dogs, a vast selection of delicious cakes and biscuits (these stalls were particularly popular with members of staff!), Lolly Pop Pick, Pick-a-Carrot and Tin Can Alley. Visitors to the stall were serenaded by Ellie and Megan on their ukuleles, raising money for Cancer Research. The unpredictable British weather did not put off the plucky fundraisers who set up their stalls on our Key Stage One playground so that visitors could enjoy 'Penalty Shoot Out' and 'Get a Hole in One'. We were also thrilled to have two special visitors attend the Fiesta – Max and his hearing dog Chloe visited Max's sister Teagan, who was raising money for Hearing Dogs for Deaf People. Organised and run by our Pupil Council, this year's Fundraising Fiesta demonstrated just how caring and generous our pupils and their families are. We would like to pass on our heartfelt thanks to all fundraisers and those who donated so generously to these worthy causes.



Week beginning 12th June:

KS1 Phonics screening check week

Mon 12th: Year 4 Swimming

1-3pm Angmering vulnerable pupil transition afternoon

Tue 13th: Welcome meeting for new parents

Thur 15th: National Clean Air Day

Fri 16th: Year 5 and 6 top-up swimming

7pm Year 6 production fundraising event

Week beginning 19th June:

Mon 19th: Year 4 Swimming

1-3pm Angmering vulnerable pupil transition afternoon

Wed 21st: Sports Day

Fri 23rd: Sports Day (reserve)

Year 5 and 6 top-up swimming



Please see the previously issued calendar for key dates and events this summer term.

Please also see our website calendar, as well as separate letters, for more information.



Advice to Schools

Following the sad events in Manchester and the incident in London recently, the Local Authority have provided advice and support to schools about managing the situation.

The government UK terror threat is severe and it was reinforced that this is a national move, not specific to West Sussex. The key message is that we need to stay alert but calm and treat the threat carefully by thoroughly reviewing all of our Risk Assessments and focusing on the basics of safety.

Everyone has been reminded to be extra vigilant to anything unusual on the school premises and all unknown visitors to the school are being asked to present appropriate ID to our reception staff. Please do not be offended if we do not recognise you or a family member/friend – we are adopting a challenge culture in the interests of the safety of everyone.

Thank you for your continued support.



FOSS News

We are delighted that the long-awaited for black out curtains and blinds for the hall have been fitted and they look fantastic! All of the school community will benefit from these and as well as looking much smarter than the old fabric, they will allow performances in the hall to have a more professional feel and should also help keep the room a bit cooler. A huge thank you to FOSS and the FOSS marathon runners and sponsors.

Thank you also to everyone who supported the FOSS non-uniform day on Friday 26th May - £210.40 was raised.

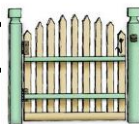
We are now saving up for resources and equipment to improve outdoor provision so watch this space!

The next big event in the FOSS calendar is the Summer Fair. This will take place on Friday 7th July from 4.30pm to 7pm.

It is always very popular and our biggest fundraising event of the year. Fingers crossed for some good weather! We look forward to seeing you there.

Sun Protection

Now the summer term is well underway, please remember to apply sunscreen to your child before school. We also encourage the children to wear sun hats and non-glass UV protective sunglasses when outside in the sun (both should be clearly labelled). Thank you for your support.



A polite request

As you will probably already be aware, our school gates are currently opened at 2.45pm ready for parents to collect children at the end of the day. If, when you arrive for pick up, there are still children using the playground and/or field i.e. for PE, we kindly ask that you wait by the gates until the children have gone inside. Thank you for your co-operation.



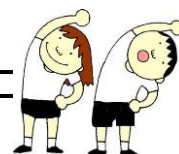
Sleep Clinic – book your place now!

On Thursday 29th June Evelyn Stewart (Senior Paediatric Sleep Practitioner in the NHS) is running a sleep clinic at Summerlea from 1.15pm until 3pm in the hall.

The topics that Evelyn covers are:

- How to get children to go to bed
- How to make them stay there
- How to get them to sleep
- Dealing with night terrors and sleep walking
- How much sleep children of various ages need
- How lack of sleep impacts on learning
- The impact of using computer screens, phones and TVs

Please book a place by contacting the office – it is free to attend and really worth coming along to.



Spare PE Kit

Do you have any PE kit at home that your child has grown out of and/or you no longer want? If so, please do send it into school via the office. If you have a school PE kit at home please return this to the school office. Thank you.

*FOR SIBLINGS OF
SUMMERLEA SCHOOL*

Songbirds

Suitable from
6 months old



£3.00 per family
50p going
to FOSS

*An exciting and stimulating interactive music
group for children and their carers.*

Mondays between 8:30 and 9:30

Tuesdays between 2:00 and 3:00

Term time only

COME AND JOIN THE FUN

Spaces are limited, please call to book.

Helen 07879 827180

Summerlea School

The Importance of Sleep

29th June 1.15-3pm

My Name is Evelyn Stewart and I am a Paediatric Sleep Practitioner and I work in one of only a handful of NHS Paediatric Sleep Centres in the UK. I also have my own private practice and I teach parents and professional on the subject of sleep.



I have been invited to come along to Summerlea School and talk to parents about sleep and sleep problems in younger children, as well as the link between sleep and learning. During the session I will talk about normal sleep patterns and what we can realistically expect from our children. We will discuss the impact of sleep deprivation on the child who is having difficulties and the family of that child. We will look at the link between behaviour and sleep, as well as looking at common sleep problems such as settling issues at bedtime, night time waking, early risers and we will also talk about night terrors, night mares, sleep walking and snoring. We will also discuss some of the latest research into memory consolidation, learning and sleep.

At the end of the afternoon I will be available to those wishing to chat one to one.

If your child is having sleep problems or you just want to learn more about how sleep affects every aspect of your child's life, including their education, then I hope you will be able to come along.

The Importance of Sleep.

A workshop for parents

VENUE **Summerlea Primary School**

DATE **29th June 2017**

TIME **1.15-3.00pm**

COST **Free**

If you are having sleep difficulties with your child, or if you just want to understand why sleep is so important to your child's learning, you may like to attend this workshop.

This is a 2 hour afternoon workshop in which we will look at common problems and we also look at the role of sleep on memory, development and learning.

The session will be led by Evelyn Stewart Senior Paediatric Sleep Practitioner.

To book a place please either contact the School Office:-
email: office@summerleaschool.co.uk or tel: 01903 856783





Year 6 Fundraiser

Join us for another fun-filled evening to help raise vital funds for the Year 6 production of...



The band (Joel, Jack, Brett, Dobby and Mr Fauvel) are back to play through more favourite hits from across the decades!

Make sure you get your ticket early to avoid missing out!

Tickets go on sale on Monday 1st May and can be purchased from the school office.

Friday 16th June

7-10pm

(Tickets can be purchased from the school office)

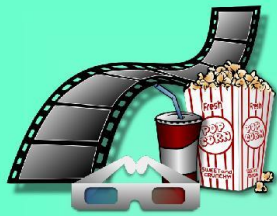
£10

per ticket

**Ticket includes dinner
made by Chef Strong**

Bring A Bottle!





Film Night



Join Miss Rhoades for a fun-packed
film night in Aspen Class!

POPCORN

SOFT DRINKS

BEAN BAGS!

Friday 16th June

7-10pm

(Tickets can be purchased from the school office)

£2

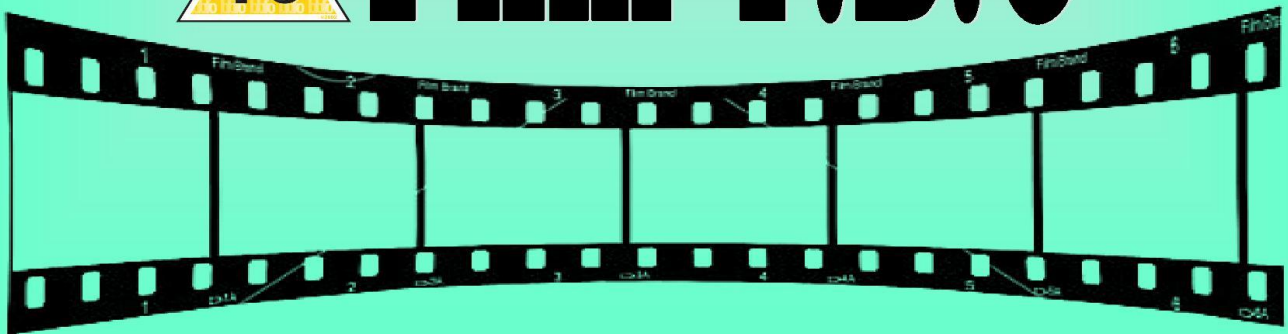
per ticket

or £1 if an adult is
attending the Music
& Paella Night

...same time as the adult's Music & Paella Night!



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Schools' Art

10th June - 30th June

Based on 'Wonder'
by R. J. Palacio

Our 14th Annual
exhibition
by local schools

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

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**Littlehampton
Museum**

FAMILY FUN DAY

FREE ENTRY

22nd July 2017

11AM TO 5PM



- LIVE MUSIC - ENTERTAINMENT - ROCKABUBZ - BINGO -
- TUG OF WAR - BABY COMPETITION - PET SHOW -BAKE OFF -
- CHARACTER WALKABOUTS - OWLS - REPTILES - ARCHERY -
- ZORBALL - FIRE ENGINE - KIT KAR CHALLENGE - FLASH MOB -
- BOUNCY CASTLE - SLIDE - SOFT PLAY - RIDES - TRAMPOLINES -
- STORYTIME & SINGING WITH ELSA - POPCORN - CANDYFLOSS -
- ICE CREAM -SWEET CART - FOOD STALLS -
- RAFFLE - TOMBOLAS - STALLS - BAR -



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