



WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

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'Growing thoughtful learners and independent thinkers'



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Thank you everyone for making our Sports Day 2017 such a success. The children were all super stars and showed great sportsmanship and participation. Congratulations to Emerald House for winning the cup!



volunteering morning

*Do you enjoy the outdoors?
Has your child shared their Forest School experiences and you'd like to know more?
Do you have a few hours that you could come in and help?*

If you are interested in volunteering at Forest School we are running another volunteer training session on TUESDAY 11th JULY from 9am. We will run through the Forest School ethos, tool use, key skills and safety. You might know a friend or relative who would be interested so please pass on this information. No previous experience necessary!

Please call the school office to book a place. You will need to come wearing suitable outdoor clothing for the weather and bring a mug - the kettle is always on!

We currently have two amazing parent volunteers who support us on our adventures and I am sure they will be able to answer any questions you may have about the benefits of volunteering. We look forward to seeing you!

Week beginning 26th June:

National School Sports Week
Mon 12th: Year 4 Swimming
Thurs 29th: TLA Vulnerable Pupil transition morning
1.15pm Sleep Clinic
Fri 30th: FOSS non-uniform day
Year 5 and 6 Top-up swimming

Week beginning 3rd July:

Whole school themed fortnight 'Inventions and Innovators'
Mon 3rd: Year 4 Swimming
Wed 5th: Transition Day Year R to 5
TLA Transition Day 1
Thurs 6th: TLA Transition Day 2
2.30pm EYFS to Year 1 Transition Meeting for parents
5pm Football Fundraiser
Fri 7th: Year 5 and 6 top-up swimming
4.30pm FOSS Summer Fair



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.





Teaching Staff

You will already be aware that Mr Fauvel and Mr Cox have both gained well-deserved promotions and will be leaving at the end of this term. We wish them every success in their new posts. Miss Gunn is also leaving at the end of this term and we wish her every happiness in her new school. We will also be saying goodbye to Ms Kim Mirceta (better known to the children as Ms Kim and by staff as Kim the Gym!) Kim has had a long association with the school as a specialist PE teacher and will be greatly missed. Miss Lentz is reducing her full time hours to part time next year and will be job-sharing with Ms Gerring, and then Mrs Hawkins (whom returns from maternity leave in October). Ms Gerring will also be covering PPA and leadership time. We are also very pleased that Mrs Refoy is going to be staying on in September to cover the remainder of Mrs Howard's maternity leave. Mrs Strong will be non-class based next year and will be driving Outdoor Learning (including Forest School) forward across the school; building on the successes of this year. On Wednesday 5th July it is transition day and children will spend the day with their new class teacher/s. A separate letter will follow in due course, detailing the staffing structure for next academic year and the arrangements for the day.

Violin Lessons for Year 2 to 6 in 2017/2018

Mrs Will, our visiting Violin Teacher, will have spaces for new pupils to start group or individual lessons in September. Further details about cost and instrument hire can be found on the West Sussex Music website: www.westsussexmusic.co.uk and an application should be made online. Please apply as soon as possible in order to secure a place.



Takeaway Friday!

On Friday 21st July 2017, all pupils will be eating their lunch on the school field (weather permitting). Chartwells have very kindly agreed to do the hot school lunches in a takeaway box on that Friday (either Fish and Chips or a Free Range Omelette). Please find attached menu flyer. If you would like to book a hot school lunch for Friday 21st July please book by SUNDAY 9TH JULY 2017 on the Chartwells website www.mealselector.co.uk All pupils will be eating their lunch on the school field that day whether it is a hot school lunch in a takeaway box or a packed lunch from home. Universal Infant Free School Meals have been booked for all pupils in Reception, Years 1 and 2.



Sleep Clinic – book your place now!

We still have a few places left at our previously advertised Sleep Clinic, this Thursday 29th June at 1.15pm.

Please book a place by contacting the office – it is free to attend and really worth coming along to. We look forward to seeing you!



Non-uniform Days

On non-uniform days (our next one is this Friday!) your child should come to school dressed in age appropriate clothing and clothing/footwear that is practical for a typical school day. They should also have a waterproof coat, as usual. Thank you.

Please complete our extended schools survey!

A reminder to please complete the extended schools survey via our website:

www.summerlea.w-sussex.sch.uk

Our School > School Improvement > Surveys > Extended Schools Survey

We are looking to review After School Care Club provision and are also exploring the feasibility of a breakfast club and would really appreciate your feedback. Thank you!



Bikes and Scooters



A reminder that bikes and scooters must be dismantled prior to entering the school premises and must not be ridden in the school grounds in the interest of everyone's safety. We also ask that bikes and scooters are left in the park at the front of the school and not by the gate on Worthing Road as this area is a learning space. If you have left a bike or scooter and it is no longer there, it has probably been taken to the front office.

Over the coming weeks we will be making some improvements to the front of the school in preparation for the installation of the long awaited for new play equipment and hope these will include a new bike shelter and scooter stands.



A reminder for Upper Key Stage 2

With the warmer weather recently, we have noticed children in Upper Key Stage 2 have been arriving at school very early. Please remember school opens at 8.15am and children should not arrive at school unaccompanied before this time, unless attending a morning club. Thank you.



Cleaner Vacancy

We are currently looking to recruit cleaners to join our premises team and maintain the high standards of cleanliness in our school.

This is an important role to ensure a desirable learning and working environment for children, staff and visitors.

Contract: Grade 2, permanent, part-time, 10 hours per week 3.30pm – 5.30pm, 52 weeks per year (including agreed hours during school holidays).

Start date: As Soon As Possible

The successful candidates will:

- Have high expectations of themselves and the quality of their work.
- Take a pride in the school and contribute to the overall ethos.
- Be a team player and also be prepared to carry out certain tasks without close supervision.

This job requires a general awareness of Health and Safety and COSHH regulations. Some work during school holidays will be required to allow for deep cleaning. Holidays will not be permitted during term-time.

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.

Relevant criminal convictions and other associated information will be discussed at the interview in order to assess job-related risks. 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. Candidates selected for interview will be expected to bring the completed Shortlisted Candidate Information Form. Candidates will also be expected to bring Proof of Right to Work in the UK and their certificates for any qualifications listed as essential or desirable.

Please contact the school office on 01903 856783 for school visits or enquiries and download the application pack and complete an application and safer recruitment form apply and email them to sbm@summerleaschool.co.uk or post to Summerlea CP School, Windsor Drive, Rustington, West Sussex BN16 3SW. Further information about our school is also available via our school website. Please visit: www.summerlea.w-sussex.sch.uk Following the shortlisting process communication will only be made with the applicants invited for interview.

Closing date: Thursday 6th July (12 noon)

Summer Takeaway

Friday 21st July

Fish & Chips
OR
Free Range Omelette

Baked Beans

Oat Cookie

Order by
Sunday 9th July



CHICHESTER
POLICE STATION

OPEN DAY

Saturday 15 July
10.30am - 3pm

Chichester Police Station,
Kingsham Road, Chichester PO19 8AD



**FREE
ENTRY**

Featuring

- Classic police cars
- Bouncy castles
- Face painting
- Police Support Unit and Method of Entry Team
- West Sussex Fire and Rescue and much, much more



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and Dementia
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