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'Growing thoughtful learners and independent thinkers'



NEWSLETTER 4 : 21 October 2019

We are looking forward to our Harvest Assemblies on Wednesday and to our FOSS autumn discos on Thursday this week!
We also wish everyone a happy half term holiday.



Eco Tips

1. Trees are our best defence against climate change.
Change your search engine to Ecosia; it's free to download and you use it the same way you use Google, except they use their profit from all the searches to plant trees. So, every 45 searches you do they plant a tree! It is super simple to download in the App Store and such an easy free way to help the environment.
2. Swap to a renewable energy supplier.
Renewable energy is better for the environment compared to fossil fuels, fossil fuel energy from coal, natural gas, oil and power plants as they release carbon emissions that worsen global warming and air quality. If you use renewable energy it comes from things like wind turbines and hydroelectricity. There are many great renewable energy suppliers now, so do your research and see how good it will be for the planet if we all change to renewable energy. *Thanks to Ellen and Annie W for these top tips – keep them coming!*



Week beginning 21st October 2019

Mon 21st: Year 2 swimming

Wed 23rd: Harvest Assemblies (see next page for timings)

Thurs 24th: FOSS Autumn discos

Fri 25th: EYFS Colour day

End of half term



Half-term: 28th October to 1st November

Week beginning 4th November 2019

Year 6 Bikeability Week

Mon 4th: Year 2 swimming

3.15-6pm Parent consultation meetings

Tue 5th: Year 3 Forest School begins

Wed 6th: 4pm -7pm Parent consultation meetings

Thur 7th: Year 5 trip to the Planetarium

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



Harvest Assemblies and Collection

We are looking forward to celebrating Harvest on Wednesday 23rd October in our Harvest assemblies at the following times:

8.45am-9.15am Year R

9.30am-10am Year 1 and 2

10.15am-10.45am Year 3 and 4

11.00am-11.30am Year 5 and 6

1.30pm-2.00pm Year 3 and 4

2.15pm to 2.45pm Year 5 and 6



Due to the size of our hall and health and safety regulations, we only have capacity for a maximum of 2 adults to attend per child. Due to there being 5 classes in Lower and Upper Key Stage 2 there will be two assemblies and we ask that you kindly attend one or the other and not both. This year we are collecting non-perishable items for Littlehampton & District Foodbank. Please see the attached poster for further information and shopping list items required.

Please bring items to school before the start of the day on Wednesday 23rd October – there will be a collection table on the Key Stage 1 playground by the hall. Thank you very much for your support.



Healthy Schools

A reminder that children are encouraged to bring a healthy snack to school and these should not contain nuts as we have several children with severe allergies. Also, please ensure your child's water bottle only contains water and not squash. Thank you for your support.

Communication about pupil absence

If your child is going to be absent from school for any reason, please ensure you let the office know, rather than leaving a message with the class teacher. You can pop into the office in person or telephone. Absence request forms are also available from the office. Thank you for your help with this.



Chartwells menu

Please be aware that on the first day back, after the half term break (Monday 4th November) there will only be jacket potatoes on the Chartwells hot meal menu rather than the usual selection of main courses.



Staffing updates

We have a few staffing updates to share with parents as this half term draws to an end. Firstly, we are very sorry that Mrs Tedbury (Year 5 Class Teacher) has taken the difficult decision to resign from her post here as class teacher and will be leaving us at the end of the autumn term. Mrs Tedbury is currently unwell and has been absent from school, following her mum passing away last year. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Mrs Tedbury for all she has contributed to our school and children during her time here. She will be greatly missed and we wish her all the very best for the future.

Mrs Vervecken (LSA) has been absent from work for a number of months now and is awaiting an operation. Thank you to all those parents who have asked after her - we have passed on your good wishes. Mrs Mitchelmoore (newly appointed LSA) will be based in Year 4 in the mornings during Mrs Vervecken's absence and Mrs Edwards (LSA) is covering her intervention role in the afternoons. Mrs Sacree (SEND Lead) has been covering Mrs Ronchetti's maternity leave and will be finishing with us this week. Mrs Ronchetti will be returning from maternity leave but will be off work for a couple of weeks at the start of next half term recovering from an operation. Mrs Morris will continue to be the named SENDCo until Mrs Ronchetti's return. A huge thank you to Mrs Sacree for all she has done for us.



Parking Reminder

A reminder to please park safely and considerately in roads around the school. Last week a resident was blocked in due to a car being parked across their driveway. Someone also reported vehicles turning in one of the roads off Windsor Drive with little regard for anyone. Thank you for your cooperation.

French phrase of the fortnight

This week our phrase of the fortnight week is:

Parler plus lentement s'il vous plaît (speak more slowly please)



Governors Newsletter - Autumn 2019

Welcome to the first governor's newsletter of the new academic year. I would like to start by introducing myself, my name is Sue Meekings and I am your new Chair of Governors. I retired two years ago from my job as Headteacher of a Special School in Chichester, a role I absolutely loved and did for far too many years to mention. I moved to Rustington a year ago and keen to get involved with the local area joined the governing body at Summerlea. Education has always been a huge part of my life and I'm grateful that it will continue to be so through this role. My passion has always been working with those children who find learning a bit harder than others and working with others to enable them to make progress.

Personally I have three sons, two step-daughters and seven grandchildren so far, number eight is due in February. I love being outside walking with my very large labradoodle, swimming in the sea, keeping fit generally, reading and spending time with friends and family.

We have several new governors and they will be introducing themselves to you through these newsletters over the coming terms. As a team of governors, we are keen to get involved fully in the 'life of Summerlea school' and you should see us around at different events including open days and parent consultation meetings - please do come and say hello. We are still looking for more governors, both Co-opted and Parent governors, to join our team; if you'd like more information please contact the school or come and talk to one of us at a school event.

On a more formal note, governors are continuing to focus our work on supporting the leadership of the school in improving outcomes for the children at Summerlea. The new School Improvement plan (SIP) has been agreed and governors have an action plan for the year which sits alongside the SIP and ensures our work concentrates on the areas key for school improvement. I believe the leadership team and school staff have made an excellent start in addressing areas highlighted by Ofsted as needing improvement and will continue to do so over the coming year.

I hope all your children have settled into their new classes and I look forward to meeting many of you over the coming term.

Best wishes

Sue Meekings (Chair of Governors)

COMBINED HARVEST APPEAL



COLLECTION POINT HERE

SHOPPING LIST TOP TEN ITEMS

Tinned fruit
Tinned tomatoes
Jam
Deodorant & shampoo
Tinned vegetables
Toothpaste & toothbrushes
Squash
Biscuits
Rice Pudding
UHT milk

*Don't forget...
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DONATE FOOD

Help by donating an item or two from our shopping list to ensure we can provide food to help people in crisis.



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STAY FOR A SCHOOL LUNCH

DURING

NSMW 2019

NATIONAL SCHOOL MEALS WEEK

JOIN US
ON

Wednesday 13th November

The school with
the most meals
eaten on this day*
WINS a free
Christmas dinner
for every child in
your school!!

THE
MENU
WILL BE

Choose a main meal...

Roast Chicken in Gravy
with Roast Potatoes

Whole chicken breast in gravy

Quorn Balls in Gravy with
Roast Potatoes v

Quorn balls in a vegetarian gravy

Jacket Potato with
Cheese v

on the side...

Seasonal
Vegetables

for dessert...

Muesli Flapjack

Fruit Salad



Book yours online by Friday 1st
November at

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*by percentage



Friday 13th December

£2.35

Festive Menu

Choose a main meal...

**Roast Turkey
with Stuffing, Cocktail Sausage & Gravy
or**

**Quorn Fillet
with Stuffing Ball & Gravy**

on the side...

**Roast Potatoes
Peas and Carrots**

for dessert...

**Chocolate Dipped Shortbread
or**

Fruit Salad

for a drink...

Fruit Squash

Milk

Water



To enjoy our festive-inspired day,
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by 1st December 2019 latest



WONDERFUL WORLD

Friday 1 November 2019

10am – 3pm

(Last Entry 2.30pm)



🎨 Design and Make Creative Crafts

🎨 Cathedral **Wonderful World** Trail – with prize!

Family Activities - A fun filled day at Chichester Cathedral

No need to book just drop in - £2.50 per child.

Ages 3 – 11 years - accompanied by an adult.

Toddlers' toy area.

£1.50 child's meal offer with a valid voucher (terms and conditions apply)

NEXT FAMILY ACTIVITIES: Friday 21 February 2020

For further details contact Luna on 01243 812998
or email luna.russell@chichestercathedral.org.uk

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www.chichestercathedral.org.uk



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All coaches are DBS checked with Safeguarding and Emergency First Aid Certification.

Do something inspired today...

Your club is;

Weds –
Multi Sports

Years 1-6
3-4pm
£22

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Our Holiday Camps near you...

	28TH OCT MONDAY	29TH OCT TUESDAY	30TH OCT WEDNESDAY	31ST OCT THURSDAY	1ST NOV FRIDAY
West Park Primary School BN12 4HD	Multi- Activities Performing Arts	Multi- Activities Gymnastics	Multi- Activities Performing Arts	Multi- Activities Gymnastics	Multi- Activities Performing Arts
North Lancing Primary School BN15 0PT	Multi- Activities Performing Arts	Multi- Activities Performing Arts	Multi- Activities Performing Arts	Multi- Activities Performing Arts	Multi- Activities Performing Arts
Barnham Community Hall PO22 0AY	Multi- Activities	Multi- Activities	Multi- Activities		

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