



Safeguarding hotspot

Please be reminded that children should not be using the play equipment at the end of the day for safety reasons.

Thank you for your support in guiding your children away from the equipment.

In memory of Steve Sharpe



We are very grateful to have been gifted a lovely bench in memory of our Caretaker Steve, which has been organised by his wife.



We would like to thank Steve's family for this very thoughtful way of remembering him.

Year 4 Rainforest Retreat project

Year 4 have started their Rainforest Retreat project this week, working alongside Hannah from PaintBox.



The children are going to be spending 6 weeks creating an exhibition inspired by the Amazon Rainforest.



We look forward to inviting parents to view the exhibition on Thursday 25th May, in the year 4 corridor.

Congratulations to Archie C!

Congratulations to Archie, who has won player of the week at his rugby club!



Food allergies – special dietary requirements

If your child has any food allergies or special dietary requirements, please ensure that you have provided this information to the school office. Please remember to keep us updated with any changes.

Reminder from Surrey County Council – Penalty Notices

Just to remind parents/carers that if they take their children out of school without authority for 5 or more days (which do not have to be consecutive), they will be liable to receive a penalty notice. Currently the amount payable under a penalty notice is £60.00 per parent/carer per child if paid within 21 days. Thereafter the amount increases to £120.00 if paid between 21 and 28 days. If the penalty notice remains unpaid after 28 days, the Local Authority will consider a prosecution in the Magistrates Court. Please note that penalty notices are issued per parent/carer per child so a family of two parents and two children will receive 4 penalty notices.

Achievement

MAC – Making Attendance Count

Whole School Attendance 94.9%

Congratulations to the Top Ted winners last week being Hedgehog Class with 95.9%.

Congratulations to the Top Dog winner being Heron Class with 100%. Fantastic!



INSET Days 2022/23

3rd July 2023

INSET Days 2023/24

1st & 4th September 2023

30th October 2023

2nd January 2024

19th February 2024

May

8th – Bank holiday, the Coronation of King Charles

9th – 12th Year 6 SATs week

11th – Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check

Information Evening in the hall at 3.30pm and 5.30pm

17th – Relationship & Health Education sessions in year group classrooms at 3.30pm

15th – Year 6 trip to Thorpe Park

18th – Skylark Class Assembly at 2.40pm (gates open at 2.30pm)

18th – Year 6 Hooke Court residential trip meeting in hall at 5.30pm

23rd – Year 2 West Wittering trip

25th – Swallow Class Assembly at 2.40pm (gates open at 2.30pm)

25th – Year 1 trip to Milestones Museum

25th – Year 4 Rainforest Retreat Viewing Gallery after school until 4.00pm, held in Year 4 corridor.

26th – Last day of half term, children finish at normal time 3.15pm

29th – 2nd June Half term

June

5th - 9th Year 6 Hooke Court Residential trip

9th – Bottle donations appreciated for PTA Tombola

12th – Reception trip to Kidzania

W/b 12th – Phonics screening week

17th – PTA Family Fun Day, 12.00 – 4.00pm, Coronation themed

19th – 23rd Year 6 Bikeability Level 2

27th – 30th Year 4 Bikeability Level 1

Sports Days, parents to enter via back gate at 1.15pm:

26th – Reception

27th – Years 1 & 2

28th – Years 3 & 4

29th – Years 5 & 6

27th & 28th – Year 6 Induction days

30th – MUFTI Day, jelly sweets for Year 6 Fete would be appreciated

July

3rd – INSET Day

4th – Acorn Celebration Morning

4th – New to EYFS Stay and Play; Dormouse

5th – New to EYFS Stay and Play; Otter

6th – New to EYFS Stay and Play; Rabbit

6th – Information Evening for Parents who are new to EYFS at 6.00pm

11th – Meet the teacher / Move up morning for children

14th – Year 6 Performances to Parents:

9.30am (gate opens 9.15am) Kestrel Class and Red Kite children with surnames A-L.

1.45pm (gate opens 1.30am) Osprey Class and Red Kite children with surnames M-Z.

14th – Year 6 Leavers Disco, 4.30 – 6.00pm, on the field, weather permitting

17th – End of Reception Celebration Assembly in the hall at 2.30pm. Children can leave with parents, siblings to be collected at the usual time / gates

18th – Year 6 Fete for children only, 1.00 – 3.00pm

21st – PTA Pyjamas MUFTI Day, £1 or donation of new pyjamas appreciated

21st – Children break up at 2.00pm

24th – 31st Aug Summer holidays