

Summer Term - Forthcoming Events

June

Friday 28^h Robins - Class Assembly-Parents/Carers invited 9.15 am

July

W/C 1st Reports sent home
 Wednesday 3rd Moving up Afternoon
 Friday 5th Sports Day- Parents are invited from 12.45pm
 Saturday 6th PTA Summer Fair 12 -3 pm
 Wednesday 10th Godalming in Bloom Prize Giving 6.00pm
 Thursday 11th Celebration Evening 5.30-7pm
 Friday 12th Finches - Class Assembly-Parents/Carers invited 9.15am
 Saturday 13th PTA Summer Camp
 Monday 15th Year 2 Dress Rehearsal-End of Year Production 2.15pm
 Tuesday 16th Year 2 End of Year Production 1:45pm
 Wednesday 17th Year 2 End of Year Production 9.15am
 Friday 19th Year 2 Leavers' Assembly- Parents and Carers invited 9.15am
 Monday 22nd Bring a Special *Male* to School 1:15-3:15
 Tuesday 23rd Last day of term 1.45pm finish
 Wednesday 24th INSET Day

INSET Days- 2019/2020: 4th Sept; 4th Nov; 14th Feb; 22nd May + 1 date tbc

Fundraising website for the school - www.easyfundraising.org.uk

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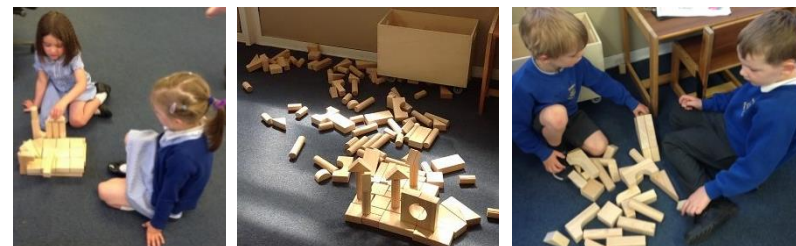


Newsletter

21st June 2019

PTA Funds

Reception children building with the new wooden blocks that have been bought with their Friday treat money.



Sports' Day Arrangements for Friday 5th July

Sports' Day is fast approaching. Please could all children come to school wearing their P.E. shorts and t-shirts which will be sent home with the children a day or two before. Please remember to send your child to school with a named water bottle, sun hat and apply sun cream before school. **Entry to the site for this event will be via the green double gates only** (just off the staff car park) rather than the main (keypad) entrance and also the Chestnut Way gate will remain closed; please make your way past the kitchen and YR outside areas onto the field. Lunch arrangements will be those of a normal school day for the children who will then come back into the school building before parents arrive from 12:45 (to allow for afternoon registration etc) for a 1.00pm start. **The double gates will then be locked at 1:10** with late arrivals needing to buzz the office to gain entry via the main (keypad) entrance.

Please note that the children will also be taken back to the classrooms at the end of the activities and dismissed from there, not the field. Boogie Pumps will run as usual after



school. During the afternoon activities, the children will be sitting on one side of the track with parents/toddlers/spectators on the other side. Please ensure there is no crossing of the track.

Please note that no alcohol is to be consumed onsite during this event.

In the event of wet weather on the day, we will decide whether to postpone Sports Day to the reserve date of 12th July. This decision will be made in the morning, please check the website page from 10am for any updates; <http://www.busbridge-infant.surrey.sch.uk>

Annual Parent Questionnaires

For the first time, we will be inviting parents/guardians to complete our annual questionnaires electronically (rather than the usual paper copy distributed at Parents' Evenings in the spring term). Please look out for a link that will be emailed out next Friday. Year Two parents/guardians will also receive a link to the Y2 Exit Questionnaire. Both are short and very quick and easy to complete. We would really appreciate it if you would take the time to complete these as they provide us with valuable feedback on our provision and how we can continually improve to be the very best that we can. Thank you

School Reports

As you know, we will be issuing school reports in the week beginning 1 July. Please let us know if you require a second copy (either hard copy, or emailed to you).

Collection of Maths packs for Year 1 and 2

I hope you have found the maths packs, together with the suggested maths activities, helpful and useful. The maths packs are now due in so can you please check that all items are in the pack before returning it to your child's class teacher. It would be really helpful if you could put number cards and arrow cards in order. If any items are missing or damaged, can you please let the class teacher know so that it can be replaced. We would appreciate a contribution towards replacing missing or damaged items. Can all maths packs be returned by **Friday 5th July**. Many thanks. Ms L Yip

Library Books Y1 and Y2

No new loans will be issued from week beginning **1st July** so that we have sufficient time to make sure everything is back on the system before the summer holidays. Please see you child's class teacher about making a donation or providing a replacement if you are unable to locate any outstanding items. Thank you.

Fire Drill

We had a very successful Fire Drill on Monday afternoon. Thank you to those parents who were on site for pick up and stayed off the main playground, allowing us to check that everyone was accounted for without confusion or distraction.

Staffing News

I am pleased to report that the teaching team remains the same for September and the next school year. The only change is that Mrs Scarborough will be moving from Woodpeckers to Wagtails to provide Mrs Melland's one day a week Special Educational Needs coordinator release time, with Mrs Baker moving the other way to job share the responsibility for teaching and learning in Woodpeckers with Mrs Shaw. News of which classes will be where in September and arrangements for Moving Up afternoon on 3rd July will follow next Friday.

Do you have herb plants or compost you could donate?

Reception children will be planting herbs as part of their Outdoor learning. If you have any strongly scented (for maximum sensory benefit!) herb plants and/or compost you would be willing to donate in the next week, we'd be very grateful. Please deliver any donations to the wildlife area (next to the empty planter where they will be grown).

Lost a School Council Badge?

We are looking after it in the School Office - Do pop by to collect it if it's yours.

Godalming in Bloom

The team of judges came to view our amazing gardens this week. We are so proud of our display that the children have helped to grow and special thanks to Mrs Rooke for keeping them in tip top condition. The Prize Giving will be on Wednesday 10th July at 6pm at the Wilfred Noyce Centre in Godalming. Please come along-we may win a prize!!!

Maths Activities

Reception	Year 1	Year 2
<u>Capacity</u> Find lots of opportunities to explore and investigate different containers. Use smaller pots to fill larger pots with sand, water, lentils etc. How many does it take to fill the container? Compare 2 containers by filling one full and pouring into the other. Which holds more/less? Extend to comparing 3 containers. Use the words 'same', 'more' and 'less'.	2D and 3D Shapes Ask your child to identify different 2d and 3D shapes around the house and when out and about. E.g. at the park or on food packaging at the supermarket	<u>Multiply & Divide</u> Using objects from around the house make arrays for the 2,3 & 5 times tables: For example 3 x 2 o o o o o o Describe the array, using the words 'groups of', 'lots of', 'times', 'multiplied by', or 'divided by' and shared'.

Katherine Smith
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