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Thought of the week:

We have been practising for our summer production. It is all about our Christian values; hope, friendship, truthfulness and courage.

Elsie Plummer Y2



Celebrations of the week:



Star Book work of the week:

Emma Brookes



Diners of the week:

Nursery - Myla Bulba

KS1 - Matthew Sutton

KS2 - Holly Hamilton-Andrews



Dates for your diaries:

Fri 8th July - Years 5 & 6 Swimming at Ringmer Pool

Fri 8th July - School Reports sent out to parents

Mon 11th July - Parent Consultation to discuss reports only, 4.00 - 6.00pm

Mon 11th July - 15th July (Exc Thurs 14th) Bikeability for Year 6

Wed 13th July - Summer Production, 2.00pm and 6.30pm

Thurs 14th July - Leaver's Service at Worth Abbey, 10:30am. Parents invited

Fri 15th July - Years 5 & 6 Swimming at Ringmer Pool

Fri 15th July - September 2016 New Intake - Stay and Play Session 2.15pm

Wed 20th July - Transition Day for pupils

Thurs 21st July - Leaver's Service, 9.30am - End of Term 6

Fri 22nd July - Inset Day

Fri 22nd July - Ground Force Day, 10.00am - 12.00pm

Any amendments or additions to the above dates are in *italics*.



INSET Days 2016/17

Please note the following dates are INSET days next academic year:

5th September 2016

21st October 2016

3rd January 2017

5th June 2017

21st July 2017

Transition Day - 20th July

There will be a transition morning on **20th July** for children to meet their new teachers. The teachers will all be on the playground at the end of school to meet the parents.

Well Done

Sky and Teah Jackson have the opportunity to take part in a performance of 'Carmen' with the Russian State Opera in September. They will be in rehearsals over the summer and we wish them the best of luck!

East Hoathly Staffing 2016/17

Pioneer Executive Headteacher – Mr Procter

Pioneer Deputy Headteacher – Miss Lewis

Senior teacher - Miss Purcell

EYFS Lead – Miss Denney

SENCO- Miss Levey

SEN Teaching Assistant – Mrs Burns

Bursars/Office Manager - Mrs Wicks and Mrs Heywood

Principle MDSA – Mrs Turk

Caretaker – Mr Herdman

	Teacher	Teaching Assistant
R	Miss Denney	Mrs Eldridge
1/2	Miss Purcell	Mrs Burns (Monday) Mrs Turk (Tues-Fri)
3/4	Miss Dutton	Miss Hillier
5/6	Mrs King	Mrs Marshall

Please find above the staffing arrangements for September 2016.

We would like to inform you of the delightful news that Mrs Mackarness and Mrs Pattenden are both expecting a baby - They will be returning to school in September but will be going on maternity leave before the end of Term 1. We have appointed Miss Dutton for Year 3/4 and you will all have chance to meet her as she will be coming into school this term. We also welcome Miss King to Year 5/6, who you will also have a chance to meet - Miss Axell will still be working for the Pioneer Federation but will be teaching Year 3/4 at Chiddingly.



Nursery News

This week our letter is 'o' and our number is 5.

We have been very busy this week practising and taking part in sports day.

Well done to all the children who took part!

We have also been practising for our performance next week in the church.



Could we please remind you that it's parents evening on Monday the 11th July so if you haven't signed up to see your child's key worker then please see the sign up sheet just inside the nursery door.

Please could we ask again that all children's clothes are labelled.

Could we please remind you that you leave toys at home so that they do not get lost.

Rising 5s please bring your book and phonics activity book back so they can be changed each week.

The weather is getting hotter so please remember to bring in sun cream, sun hat and a bottle of water.

ParentPay - School Dinners

Please can parents make sure that their child's ParentPay account is kept up to date as the cook has a few accounts that are outstanding.

Mrs Wicks has phoned some parents to top up their accounts but the cook has advised her that this has still not been actioned.

Please can you check your child's account and top up your payment if needed. The cook should not have any outstanding debts on ParentPay so please give this matter your urgent attention.



Forest School

On Friday Year 1 and 2 had a fantastic forest school session. They worked in teams to make dough, wrapped it around a willow stick and then held it over the fire. The children worked really well together taking in turns to mix together the ingredients and roll in together to make a sausage shape. Everyone had to be careful that the bread dough did not fall off into the fire! It took a very long time to cook the dough on the fire. We discussed how this was like people would have done hundreds of years ago!

"The bread tasted yummy!" Elsie Plummer Year 2

"I really like it!" Holly Lonsdale Year 2



Sponsorship Walk Information

Thank you to all the children who participated in the sponsored walk at the end of last term. An enjoyable day was had by all children and staff of our Pioneer Federation.

The total sponsor money raised to date is £981 and the children were asked what they would like the money to be spent on.

Thank you to the FPTA who have also donated some funds towards these purchases for the children.

The following purchases have been presented by Karen Parris from the FPTA to all classes and the nursery.

Nursery - Water Wall and Sand Wall

Reception - Fish Tank Voucher

Year 1/2 - Tumble Tower, Scooters, Long Skipping Ropes and Tennis Net

Year 3/4 - Large Connect 4, Rugby Balls and Lego

Year 5/6 - 2 Ipads & covers



Drop In Session - Monday 11th July

There will be 'sign up' sheets outside your child's class on Thursday and Friday if you would like to see your child's class teacher about their report.

These appointments are to discuss your child's report.

East Hoathly CE Primary School and Church Fete



A great time was had by everyone at the Summer Fete last Saturday, even with the rain, hail and thunder. We raised a fantastic amount which we will report to you as soon as we know the final figure.

A big thank you to the FPTA, Church community and all the staff, pupils, parents and helpers for making this day so successful.



Year 3 and 4 Trip to Fishbourne Roman Palace

On Monday 4th July Year 3 and 4 from East Hoathly and Chiddingly visited Fishbourne Roman Palace.

The children took part in a workshop which taught them about daily life at the Palace.

The children were then 'put to work' as slaves and completed Roman tasks! They particularly enjoyed working in the kitchen, using the Roman tablets and building! They also learnt about how Fishbourne Palace was discovered and how the mosaics were uncovered. The children visited a museum full of artefacts and demonstrations showing how the clothes were weaved on a loom.

Outside the children could walk in the Palace gardens and see the foods grown at that time. In the North Wing the ground was exposed so the children could walk above and see the mosaics in each room and the layout of part of the Palace.

Everyone had a great day and learnt a lot to help with their topic. Thank you to all the adults who came to help on the day!



Pirate Day in Reception!

Ahoy there.....

Monday saw an influx of pirates in Reception, with visiting pirates from Chiddingly. The reception area was turned into a pirate survival school. The children... (ahem!!) 'Pirates' arrived at school dressed in their best pirate outfits, complete with parrots, swords and treasure.

After boarding East Hoathly's ship they completed some challenges including flag making and they were tested on their balancing and sea sickness. Could they survive the rough seas? It appeared that yes they could! Stage one passed!

Next they made pirate biscuits and drinks using a 'ye old recipe'!

Some pirates even needed to walk the plank! Oh no be careful below.....

A fantastic day was had by all and all pirates passed pirate school..... so keep an eye out for these SCARY faces!



Sports Day

We had a great Sports Day today. It started with a brilliant display from Year 5 and 6 cheerleaders. This was then followed by an aerobics routine led by Miss Denney!

All the children were then ready to begin. They rotated round 6 activities including an egg and spoon race with hurdles, a sack race, football dribbling, obstacle race, bean bag throw and javelin. Every child then ran a flat race and this was followed by the relay.

Well done to Big Ben House Team who achieved the highest point total today!

The sun shone for us today and a great day was had by all the pupils, staff and parents.

Thank you to all the parents, grandparents and people that attended and hope you all enjoyed the picnic afterwards.

