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The class teachers for September 2017 will be:

Reception Class - Miss Denney

Year 1/2 - Mrs King

Year 3/4 - Mrs Mackarness (3 days) Mrs Pattenden (2 days)

Year 5/6 - Miss Purcell

Collective Worship Thought of the week:



"It doesn't matter how important you are as long as you are healthy and well."

Max Kester Year 4

Growth Mindset Quote of the week:



"I tried to do the spicy challenge and I had a go at subtracting."

Joshua Sanford Year 1

Celebrations of the week:



Diners of the week

Nursery - Ethan Hillier-Gainey

KS1 - Esther Wright

KS2 - Sophia Watton-Hall

Champion Tables: KS1 - Greece KS2 - Brazil

Star Book of the week

Lotte Rattray Florence Mackmin

Holly Zorn Holly Lonsdale Pearl Becvar

Luke Cave Danny Puttick Jack Stacey

Benji Gillies Leo Tarry

Sky Jackson Lucinda Randall



Citizens of the Week



showing the value of respect and tolerance to all children and staff.



Matthew Sutton for being such a caring member of the school community by raising money for the school.







Learning Powers Certificate

We would like to invite **everyone** (parents, grandparents, carers, friends) to celebrate the learning from the week with us during our Friday celebration assemblies.

On <u>Friday 9th June</u> in our celebration assembly at **9.15am** the following children will be celebrating their achievements. Please come along if you are free.

Reception Class - Lucas Mitchell Year 3/4 - Summer Puttick Year 1/2 - Joshua Sanford Year 5/6 - Lucinda Randall

Dates for your diaries:

(Key events will also be put on our new notice board at the front of the school.)

8th June - Year 5/6 swimming

14th June - Parent Forum 9am

15th June - Year 5/6 swimming

22nd June - Year 5/6 swimming

29th June - Year 5/6 swimming

4th July - Sports Day 9.30am & Picnic 12.00

7th July - Reports out to parents

10th July - Dress Rehearsal for Summer Production 2pm

11th July - Summer Production 2pm & 6.30pm

14th July - Parent Consultation Evening 4pm-6pm to discuss

reports only

20th July - Leavers Service

21st July - Inset Day

Any changes to the above diary will be in italics.

Attendance

Our attendance percentage for this school year to date is: 95.9%

<u>Class Attendance Figures for</u> last week:

Year R - 96.2%

Year 1/2 - 98.5%

Year 3/4 - 95.0%

Year 5/6 - 93.2%

Interesting Word of the Week

Each week there will be an interesting, useful but unusual word for the community to get to know. We will select a word and provide a definition for it. Pupils will be asked by Miss Lewis and Mr Procter in Friday's assembly what the word is and what it means. They will ask them to put the word into a sentence to show they have understood the meaning. This is to help build up pupils vocabulary through the year.

This week's word is:







Definition:

A person skilled in foreign languages.

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Nursery News

Our letter sound this week: N, n Our number this week is: 7

Last week, we had Mr Broccoli come to visit us and made us a stir fry to taste with lots of vegetables. We learnt how many portions of vegetables we should eat each a day. We have been looking at books independently and talking about what we have seen. We have been giving meaning to the marks we make by trying to write our names ready for school.

We hope you have a lovely half term and we will see you all on Tuesday 6th June. If anyone has any seeds that they would like to donate, we would love to plant them in our new growing area!

If any parents are available to help with Forest School on a Friday morning please could you let Dawn know as if we have enough adults, we can visit the forest.

Thank you,

Nursery Staff







GROWTH MINDSET



Our Tough Woodlouse this week:

Benji Gillies

for persevering and helping others during Awe and wonder day.



Growth Mindset

This academic year, we have been learning all about how our brains work and how learning occurs through the electrical connections in our brains. We have been finding out how the learning powers of resilience, curiosity and making connections in learning can help us to build and strengthen our knowledge and understanding of all different areas. We have been learning about how the language we use can help us to change from a 'fixed mindset' to a 'growth mindset'.

In a fixed mindset, people believe their basic qualities, like their intelligence or talent, are simply fixed traits. They also believe that talent alone creates success — without effort. Whereas, in a growth mindset, people believe that their most basic abilities can be developed through dedication and hard work — brains and talent are just the starting point. This view creates a love of learning and a resilience that is essential for great accomplishment

Fixed Mindset		Growth Mindset			
	Intelligence is static.	Intelligence is expandable.			
	I must look clever!	I want to learn more!			
Avoids challenges		Embraces challenges			
Gives up easily		Persists in the face of setbacks			
Sees effort as pointless		Sees effort as the way			
Ignores useful criticism		Learns from criticism			
and	to plateau early : less tban full al	Reaches ever higher levels of achievement			

DEVELOPING A GROWTH MINDSET

INSTEAD OF	TRY THINKING		
I'm not good at this	What am I missing?		
I give up	I'll use a different strategy		
It's good enough	Is this really my best work?		
I can't make this any better	I can always improve		
This is too hard	This may take some time		
I made a mistake	Mistakes help me to learn		
I just can't do this	I am going to train my brain		
I'll never be that smart	I will learn how to do this		
Plan A didn't work	There's always Plan B		
My friend can do it	I will learn from them		

Letter Box



A new letter box is now placed outside the school office for parents and pupils to post their reply slips in.



In Term 6 Year 1 and 2 will have their forest school sessions.

The weather will (hopefully) be warmer so please consider the forest school kit you are sending in.

Children will still need a long top and trousers as we will be in the woodland.

If you are able to help out on a Thursday afternoon from 1.30-3.00, please could you let Miss Denney or Miss Purcell know.

FPTA News

30th June - Summer Sizzler 3.15pm-7.00pm.

Please visit the school website to view the latest FPTA minutes:

http://easthoathly.pioneerfederation.co.uk/fpta/

Term 5 House Points

This term's winner is: Big Ben

This week's winner is: Buckingham Palace

Inset Day

Monday June 5th is an Inset Day. We look forward to seeing the pupils back at school on Tuesday 6th June for the start of Term 6.

Awe and Wonder Day - My Safe Place

Awe and Wonder day took place on Monday 22nd May 2017. All the children were in mixed year group teams and rotated around a carousel of activities. The theme was Safety. It included the children reflecting on their safe place and constructing their own safe place, sewing and using collage skills to create our safe church. We had PC Jackie with us all day talking about how to get help from emergency services, we made shields about how God keeps us safe and we learnt about Christian Aid's work to ensure refugees have shelter, water and food. The day ended with a brilliant celebration in the church. All the children sung a song about safety and different children spoke about their learning. It was a great day, enjoyed by all and gave us all time to reflect and think about the world. Thank you to all the parent volunteers for helping us and for those who attended the celebration.













Enterprise Week 15th - 19th May 2017

During Enterprise week, each class was given £20 to spend on whatever materials they needed to create a product to sell at the end of the week. The challenge was to see which class could make the most profit.

Reception created their own Café for enterprise week. They looked at the different coins they would need to make the cost of tea, coffee and hot chocolate as well as the ingredients to make biscuits. They then worked in groups to make and decorate biscuits.

Year 1 and 2 designed, budgeted for and made Ladybird cakes. They had lots of fun and were really happy to make some money. Holly L said "I enjoyed making the cupcakes - especially the icing." Darcy said "I enjoyed making cakes and doing the game of Guess the Weight of the Cake!" Lotte and Holly Z enjoyed adding the ingredients together to work out the total we needed to spend.

Year 3 and 4 designed and created cards for Enterprise Week. We asked our parents which cards they would find most useful to buy and then we made a range of Father's Day cards. We thoroughly enjoyed ourselves and had fun selling them.

George, Year 4, says, "I had lots of fun using glitter and pom poms." Summer, Year 3, says, "I liked making cards and making a mess!"

Year 5 and 6 created 'Bugs in Boots' models to sell. We sold every single one of them and were amazed by the number of compliments we received for our creativity! We made posters and banners to advertise our stock and we had to budget for the materials that we needed - we spent our £20 budget on clay, googly eyes, pipe cleaners and spray sealant.





School Clubs



Please see below the list of After School Clubs that we are offering for Term 6. In-house clubs will start the week commencing 12^{th} June, 2017.

If you wish your child(ren) to apply for any of the clubs please complete the attached form(s) and return them to the office. More forms can be obtained from the office if needed.

Day	<u>Club</u>	Time	Adult	<u>Total</u> <u>Number</u>	<u>Age</u> Group	<u>Cost</u>
Monday	Rugby Club (12 th June to 17 th July)	3.15 - 4.15	Heathfield & Waldron RFC School Rugby	18	6 years & over	£3 per session (£18 for whole term)
Tuesday	Athletics (6 th June to 18 th July)	3:15 - 4.15	Premier Sport	20	All	3:15 - 4:15 £28 7 weeks
Thursday	Latin Club (starts 8 th June)	12.30- 1.15	Mrs Dobbs	12	All	No charge
Thursday	Homework Club (Starts 15 th June)	3:15 - 4:15	Miss Hillier	12	All	No charge
Friday	Football (Starts 9 th June to 14 th July) NO FOOTBALL CLUB ON 30 TH JUNE	3:20 - 4:20	Brighton & Hove Albion	20	All	£22.50 for 5 weeks
Friday	French (Starts 9 th June)	3:15 - 4:15	Felicity Poirier	12	All	New members: £45 6 weeks Please contact: Felicity Poirier Le Club Français Area Organiser/Licensee and Teacher felicitylp@gmail.com 01435 810135

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