

Dear Parents and Carers,

What wonderful weather for ducks this week. Not so wonderful for children aged between 4 and 11 that need to be out, playing and running off some energy! But we have managed and they have been great. It has also been disruptive for our sporting events this week. We were due to enter into the cricket competition (cancelled and rescheduled!). We have managed to come second in The Weald swimming Gala, and we have had tri-golf all day Thursday for the years 3, 4, 5 & 6s! In other news, the Young Explorers had a wet but wonderful day out to Warnham Nature Reserve and Years 5 & 6 are working hard on their end of year production. An early thank you to staff (particularly Mrs Pinder) who are madly making costumes and staging.

We were moderated this week by a West Sussex County Council Statutory Moderator. All schools are moderated approximately every four years for their end of Key Stage Teacher Assessments. Year 2 was moderated on Wednesday; this ensures that Teacher Assessments are accurate and consistent across the county and provides ways to move forwards. We work closely with our locality schools all year to ensure high quality judgements and this helps to prepare us for these visits. Thank you to Mrs Rolland and Mrs Harder for their involvement in this process.

Eschools APP

Please can I urge you to make sure you have downloaded the eschools APP. This is our main way of communicating with parents, especially in an emergency situation. If you are having problems please come and speak to the school office.



Swimming report

Mrs Winter's report!

On Tuesday, we took part in a swimming competition against all our locality schools. After the individual races we were in first position, we couldn't quite believe it! We then had four relay races which were so exciting – I had to cheer very, very loudly and we won two of our heats. Unfortunately, after the heats we slid down to second place. However, I have to say a huge well done to all of the team – not only for almost winning; but because they were extremely well behaved, showed great team spirit, were really efficient in getting to the starts and negotiated with each other to decide on their races. You were all truly brilliant and I was very proud!

Loxwood Singers

Well done to the Loxwood Singers that performed at the North Hall Fete. I know that the rain was a huge challenge for the organisers but I know that you sang and entertained the crowds beautifully!

I cannot wait to see the junior Loxwood Singers perform at The Hawth on Monday 17th June. Don't forget to buy your tickets!



Young Explorers Trip

There was pond dipping, mini beast hunting and looking or listening for wildlife; however, when I talked to them on Tuesday they mostly talked about lunch time! They have produced some excellent pictures and writing of their day and they didn't even seem to mind the rain. Thank you to the parents that volunteered – these trips are not possible without such wonderful support.

Year 6 Metro Bank

This week, Year 6 enjoyed their second visit from Kas, of Metro Bank, Guildford. The children are learning about banking, saving and budgeting through workshops in class, before visiting the bank later in the month to see what goes on behind the scenes. Financial capability is a core part of our PSHE curriculum, and this is proving to be a fun and informative way of learning all about money



Raffle Tickets

Thank you to everyone who has returned their raffle tickets. Please sell as many as you can to your family, friends and neighbours! Drungewick and Southlands are joint leaders so far, can you sell the most?

Good luck Mrs Olliver

We would like to wish Mrs Olliver the best of luck at the end of the month when she flies out to Madeira to represent Great Britain in the European Triathlon Championships. She will be shooting, swimming and running 4 times! (I am exhausted just writing it!)

Self Help Day

Unfortunately, we have had to cancel tomorrow's self-help day. We will let you know when the next one is.



DID YOU KNOW...

There are only 7 days left to sell your raffle tickets to be in with a chance of winning the house competition! You can still buy and sell tickets up to the day of the fair.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE CHILDREN WHO RECEIVED A CELEBRATION CERTIFICATE

Class	Certificate Winners
Young Explorers	Flynn for Enthusiasm and Callie for Confidence
Oak Class	Lola for Aspirations and Adam for Confidence
Willow Class	Annabelle for Persistence and Jordan for Responsibility
Rowan Class	Charley for Collaboration, Florrie for Achievement and Halle for Collaboration
Sycamore Class	Cayden for Positivity and Oliver for Perseverance
Mulberry Class	Emma for Support and George for Accuracy
Chestnut Class	Mia for Positivity and Hayden for Resilience



The winning house this week is...

Brehurst

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Accreditations:



General dates

Class photos	Tuesday 18 th June
Year 3 & 4 trip	Tuesday 25 th June
Summer Fair	Friday 28 th June 5.00-7.30pm
House Matches	Wednesday 10 th July 9.00-12.00
Year 6 performance	3 rd & 4 th July 6.30pm
Come and See	Thursday 11 th July 3.15-4.00pm
Year 6 Leavers Assembly	Thursday 18 th July 9.15am
Year 6 Leavers Trip	Thursday 18 th July
End of Term Assembly	Friday 19 th July 2.30pm Parents Welcome

INSET days for this Academic Year

Monday 22nd July 2019

Tuesday 23rd July 2019

INSET days for Next Academic year

Monday 2nd September 2019

Monday 4th November 2019

Friday 14th February 2020

Monday 1st June 2020

Monday 20th July 2020

Half Term / End of Term Holidays 2018/19

Last day of term - Friday 19th July 2019



Forest School Dates

On your child's Forest School day they can come to school in their Forest School clothing for the whole day, please ensure they are wearing long sleeved tops and trousers – even if the weather is warmer. They will also need suitable footwear, e.g. wellies and a rain coat. If you are able to help on Forest School dates, please see the school office.

Forest School Dates

Wednesday 19 th June	Year 1
Wednesday 26 th June	Year 2
Tuesday 2 nd July	Year 4
Wednesday 3 rd July	Year 3
Wednesday 10 th July	Year 6 *
Wednesday 17 th July	Year 5*

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