



# NEWSLETTER

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Newsletter No 4

10<sup>th</sup> February 2022

Dear Parents and Carers

Topics after half term:

YR - Animal stories and traditional tales

Y1 - Into the woods, maps and plans

Y2 - Great Fire of London

Y3 - Are bugs important?

Y4 - Where does chocolate come from?

Y5 - Why do I live here?

Y6 - Turning points in history

**Chickens** - sadly Lola died and so Funky has come to live with my chickens for company - and has settled in well.

We are going to hatch some chicks next term, which will be very special. We will keep some and will in time be asking for volunteers to care for them at the weekends.

**Parents evening** - letters have been sent out for Parents evening - please return to your child's class teacher as soon as possible.

**Staff Car park** - please do not walk across the staff car park, please use the paths - cars access both the car park to the school and the Tree House Children's centre. There are a lot of cars and we really don't want an accident. Also, please do not park in the staff car park.

**Swimming** - Year 3,4,5 and 6 will have swimming lessons after Easter, year 2 will also have the opportunity to swim. Letter to follow.

**Platinum Jubilee** - we will celebrate with a whole school playground party as we break up on the 27<sup>th</sup> May. There will be events locally on the 2/3/4/5<sup>th</sup> June to look out for.

**Covid** - thank you for working with us and helping us to follow the guidance.

Please ensure you register the lateral flow test result on the government website

<https://www.gov.uk/report-covid19-result> as detailed in the booklet that is included in the test kits and then email us the results.

**On line learning** - use Numbot, My Maths & X Table Rockstars at least every week as well as reading as often as possible.

On Sussex day, Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> June, we are aiming for children to enjoy a day in Sussex - we will ask for £5 towards the day for travel/treats/entrance fees etc - provisionally we are planning:

YR - Branching out to the school field (no cost)

Y1 - A grand day out in Bognor (cost to cover mini bus and treats)

Y2 - Having fun at the Arena (cost towards 3 activities)

Y3 - Local trip to be confirmed

Y4 - Chichester visit on Stagecoach bus to museum, town and swim at Westgate (cost to cover bus fare and swim)

Y5 - Activities at the Arena (cost towards 3 activities)

Y6 - Southern Rail journey to Littlehampton (cost to cover fares and treats)

## Dates

Week beginning 14 <sup>th</sup> February 2022	All	Parents evening 3.30 - 6.00
<b>21<sup>st</sup> February - 25<sup>th</sup> February 2022</b>	All	<b>HALF TERM</b>
Week beginning 28 <sup>th</sup> February 2022	All	Parents evening 3.30 - 5.30
Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> March 2022	All	Shrove Tuesday
Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> March 2022	All	World book day
Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> March 2022	Yr 6	Trip to Chichester Festival Theatre
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> March 2022	Yr 3	Trip to Novium museum - Chichester
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> March 2022	Dance club	Alexander Theatre
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> April 2022	All	Easter cake competition & cake sale. Prizes for each year group, parent & staff member
<b>Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2022</b>	All	<b>Last day of Spring term</b>
<b>Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April 2022</b>	All	<b>Inset Day (number 4)</b>
<b>Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> April 2022</b>	All	<b>First day of Summer Term</b>
Week beginning 26 <sup>th</sup> April 2022	Yr 3, 4,5 & 6	Swimming begins - more details to follow after Spring half term
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> May - Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> May 2022	Yr 6	SATs week
<b>30<sup>th</sup> May - 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2022</b>	All	<b>HALF TERM</b>
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> & Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> June 2022	Yr 6	Residential to Blackland Farm
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> June 2022	All	Sussex Day
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> June 2022	Yr 5	Magic Day at Felpham CC
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2022	Yr 6	WSCC Transition Day
<b>Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2022</b>	All	<b>Last day of Summer Term</b>
<b>Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2022</b>	All	<b>Inset day (number 5)</b>

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