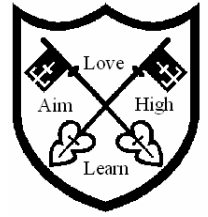


St Peter's News



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Letter 10, 13th May 2014

Well Done to our ASSH Netball Team!

Our newly formed ASSH netball team deserve much praise and encouragement after giving a good account of themselves at the recent ASSH Netball tournament. They showed a lot of determination and a 'never say die' attitude that impressed Mrs Peckham, our new team coach, and the parents who watched. Up against teams with some competitive boys in them our all girl team competed fiercely but didn't manage to win overall. Still we are very proud of the way in which they played. Well done all!



Staff News

I am delighted to inform you that we have appointed Mrs Waite's successor. He is Mr Stuart Ritchie and he joins us from St Lawrence CE Primary School, Hurstpierpoint. Mr Ritchie will be a real asset to the school. He brings with him the experience of working in an Outstanding School, which St Lawrence is, as well as seven years of successful teaching. Mr Ritchie will be leading maths at St Peter's and he is a very keen sportsman, so will contribute much on that front too. We will, of course, be very sorry to see our much loved Mrs Waite retire after all she has given to the school.

HORSHAM MUSIC FESTIVAL

Well done to Year 6 who did us proud at the Horsham Music Festival which took place last Wednesday, 7th May. They all sang their hearts out and their behaviour, both at practices and on the night, has been excellent. The minibus driver we hired from Burgess Hill School for Girls felt motivated to send us a complimentary email he was so impressed. The theme of the Festival was the centenary of the start of WW1 which will be a major focus at St Peter's in the Autumn Term 2014.



SUMMER TERM

May 2014

Key Stage 2 – SATS Tests – w/c beginning 12th May
Sports Day – Thursday 22nd May
Sports Day reserve – Friday 23rd May

Half Term – 26th to 30th May

June 2014

INSET – Monday 2nd June
Country Dancing—Tuesday 10th June—6:45pm
Yr6 Exchange Day with West Green—Wednesday 11th June
Non-uniform Day for Summer Fair—Friday 13th June
ASSHletics – Friday 20th June
Summer Fair—Saturday 21st June—12pm to 3pm
School Eucharist—Tuesday 24th June—9am
ASSH Problem Solving—Wednesday 25th June

July 2014

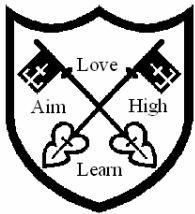
St Peter's Kids' Triathlon—Tuesday 1st July at 1:30pm
Millais Induction Day—Thursday 3rd July
Leavers Service @ Worth Abbey – Tuesday July 8th 10:45am
ASSH Rounders – Thursday 10th July pm
School Reports go out—Friday 11th July
Key Stage 2 Production—Tuesday 15th July at 7pm
Key Stage 2 Production—Wednesday 16th July at 7pm

Term ends—Wednesday 23rd July

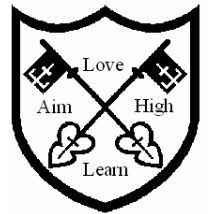
AUTUMN TERM 2014

INSET Wednesday 3rd Sept.

First Day for children—Thursday 4th Sept.



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GAZEBOS FOR SPORTS DAY

If anyone has a gazebo we can borrow for Sports Day please let the office know and bring it in on Thursday 21st May. If it is hot they'll be invaluable for the children. Thank you.



End of Day Safety

Children should not go on the field and trim trail after school. There is no supervision and we need to keep safe. Thank you.

The School Library

Our library is a wonderful resource and the children love using it. To encourage a love of reading we aim to balance the children being able to choose a book that interests them with guiding them to the most appropriate ones. If Key Stage 1 come home with books that are too hard they can be read to as they also have their class reading book to read aloud. Staff will stop any book that is clearly covering any subject material that is more suited to older pupils coming home.



Please do try to keep track of library books and encourage the children to bring them back to school on the right day to change them. Thank you.

Buggies Inside

Please avoid taking buggies down inside the school on wet mornings. If you need to talk to a teacher urgently please ask the office to get them or, if it can wait, catching teachers at the end of the day is best. Thank you very much.

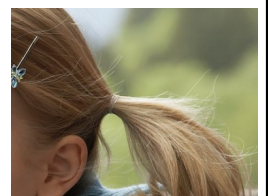
Hall Of Fame

Jacob Sunderland
Jake De Jager
Scott Blackwell
Courtney Range
Josh Holmes
Emma Twitchen
Livi Strange
Autumn Everson-Darragh
Imogen Martin

Finn Treacher-Morley
Chloe Holmes
Mollie Lovelace
Sofia Gatward
Courtney Range
Ashleigh Sims
Archie Redford
Sid Hall
Ryan Martin
Britannia—Music Festival

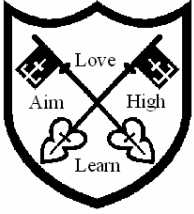
Please Tie Back Long Hair

Please can all long hair be tied back at school? This is to stop head lice spreading and for safety in PE & DT.

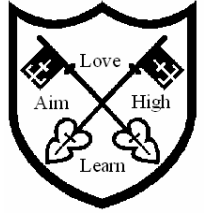


Swimming Help

The swimming letter will be coming out shortly. We need lots of parent help for swimming to happen. Please contact Mrs Rudling if you can help with swimming. You don't need any experience, we will give you any instruction you might need.



Church News



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Prayer and Worship

St. Peter's church is open for private prayer daily. If you see the gate open, feel free to step inside. All parishioners are warmly invited to attend the public services taking place in the church.

Parish and Diocesan News

On Wednesday 14th May, Richard Jackson (currently Diocesan Mission Adviser) will be consecrated as Bishop of Lewes in Westminster Abbey, joining Bishops Martin Warner and Mark Sowerby (Bishop of Horsham) in exercising pastoral care over the Diocese of Chichester.

On Saturday 28th June, Martin Mills will be ordained Deacon in Chichester Cathedral, and will become assistant curate in the parishes of Cowfold and Bolney, assisting Father Keith in his duties. Deacon Martin will join us the next day at St. Peter's church for our Patronal Festival.

Please say a prayer for Richard Jackson and Martin Mills, as they prepare for their new roles.

The Pilgrim Course

A new, modern course for anyone wishing to explore the Christian faith and Way of life. It is run on **Tuesdays at 7.45pm** in St. Mary Magdalene's Church, Bolney. The first session began on 6th May, and continues for 5 more weeks, with a break for half term on 27th May.

Friday Café

Every **Friday morning** in term time, St. Peter's Church holds the opportunity for parents, carers, pre-school children – in fact anyone from the village! – to drop into Cowfold Village Hall **from 10am to 12 noon**. We serve free cuppas and hot buttered toast. Everyone is welcome to come along for refreshments and companionship.