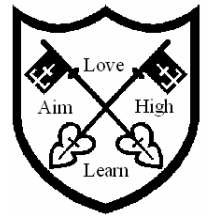


St Peter's News



A caring Christian, community, where we love, learn and aim for excellence.

Letter 9, 03.07.19

Wonderful Wakehurst Out-Reach Day

Year 3, 4 and 5 pupils had an amazing science day on Friday 7th June. We were very lucky to use our contact with Wakehurst Place (Mrs Dimmock) to pull a few strings and Lorna was able to run an 'Out-reach Day' for us. The children had a unique experience with the resources and expertise you usually only get to experience by going to Wakehurst and The Millennium Seedbank.



The children had use of a dozen microscopes to examine seeds and learn about the different features they have for distribution, by their own observation. We had an impressive range from the tiniest poppy seed to huge tropical seed pods from The Millennium Seedbank. Thank you, Lorna, and well done to the children who were amazing!

Friday 5th July – Non-Uniform Day for Tanzania Project

Please support a Non-Uniform Day on Friday 5th July. The Kolter family will be running a teacher training event at Chanzige School, Tanzania, where local teachers will learn how to improve the way they teach English to their students. Could the children pay £1 and wear 'home clothes'? What would be really fab is, if the children could try and wear clothes in the colours of the Tanzanian flag? But any home clothes are fine, if you donate a £1. Thank you!



Staffing News

Mrs Rhoda Wilson will be returning from Maternity Leave in September. Mrs Wilson will be changing her hours to work 3 days a week. Mrs Bateman will join Mrs Wilson in a job share and she will work 2 days a week. Together they will teach our Yr 4 & 5 Class (York Class). The KS2 Senior Teacher role will remain with Mr Ritchie.

Mrs Finch & Mrs Jones come to the end of the Maternity Cover for Mrs Wilson. Mrs Jones will be moving to Wisborough Green School in September and we are going to miss her. With her kind, calm manner she has been a real asset to our school and I would like to thank her for doing such an excellent job in her 4 terms at St Peter's. The role of Class 3 teacher (Exeter) will be filled by Mrs Stebbings who joins us from St Andrew's Nuthurst. Mrs Stebbings has been a Teaching Assistant and a Speech Therapist and so joins us with a wealth of experience.

Mrs Finch will be changing her role to teach one day a week in a job share with Miss Herbert. Together they will teach Class 1 and Miss Herbert will remain the Senior Teacher in charge of Reception and Key Stage 1. Miss Herbert will work 4 days a week. It's great to have Mrs Finch continuing as a staff member! Mrs Finch will also run Forest Schools for Class 1 & 2.

Next Year's Class Set Up:

- Class 1 - Year R & 1 - Miss Herbert (Senior Teacher) & Mrs Finch
- Class 2- Year 1 & 2 - Mrs Baroni
- Class 3 - Yea 3 & 4 - Mrs Stebbings
- Class 4 - Year 4 & 5 - Mrs Wilson and Mrs Bateman
- Class 5 - Year 6 - Mr Ritchie (Senior Teacher)

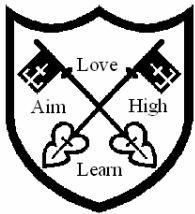
N.B. Pupils will be notified about which class they are in on Monday 15th July.

Mrs Crellin Retires

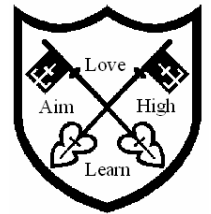
I am sad to say that at the end of this term Mrs Crellin will retire after 22 years at St Peter's!

We are all going to miss her and she has contributed so much to the school. Her wonderful French teaching has livened up the school and the children have enjoyed the songs and games she works so hard to provide.

There will be more to say at the end of term but I just wanted to let you know Mrs Crellin's news.



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Hall Of Fame

Brennan Finch
Alfie Saunders
Charlie Philcox
Nicholas Targett
Beau Hutchings
Sienna Greenfield
Emily Tunmore
Exeter Class
Imogen Charlton
Tilly Grobber
Scarlett Eely
Ryan Morley
Grace Pass
Annabel Clark
Logan Ricket
Autumn hooker
Lydia Johnson
Jackson Wisdom-T
Isi Paulsen-Russell
Congratulations

Robin Low Swimming Gala

On Saturday 15th June; Jamie Ferretti, Charlotte Humphreys, Tilly Grobber and Lydia Barnett represented St Peter's at a swimming gala at the Triangle Leisure Centre, Burgess Hill. They did particularly well, coming third out of about 15 school relay teams from the Mid-Sussex area. This was an impressive achievement when you consider they beat 12 teams from schools much larger than St Peter's. Well done to them all!



Alzheimer's Cake Sale

Well done to Emily Tunmore who was the driving force behind the cake sale in aid of Alzheimer's that took place after school on Thursday 13th June. With the support of some of her mum, her friends, and plenty of baking, Emily raised £56.50 on the day. Overall, though, Emily raised £200 through a series of subsequent orders!

The Red Box Project

You can buy some sanitary products and pop them in the **RED BOX** in the school foyer. Thank you.

Well Done Rachel!

Our Chartwells Kitchen retained its 5 Star Hygiene score and attained 100% on a recent audit. Very well done to Rachel, who runs the kitchen so efficiently.

News From FoSPS

Thank you for all the support with the Summer Party. It was a real success and the event raised an amazing £750 for the school.

At this time of year, FoSPS are able to pay for the Year 6 post SATS BBQ and their leaving treat.

Please consider joining FoSPS next academic year. If you are interested; contact Sarah Lawrence on:

sarah_illustrates@yahoo.com



Sunshine Safety!

Children are encouraged to wear hats and apply sun cream at this time of year. Please ensure both come in to school. We allow pupils to apply their own sun cream.



Up and Coming Events

July

Year 6 Forest School - Monday 8th

Class 3 & 4 French Café Event - 9am on Tuesday 9th

Residential Trip Briefing - 3:30pm on 9th

Leavers Service @ Worth Abbey –
Thursday 11th July at 10:45am

INSET Day – Friday 12th July

Key Stage 2 Production - Wed.17th - 7pm

Key Stage 2 Production - Thursday 18th - 7pm

York Forest Schools Trip - 18th July

Y6 Leaving Treat & Camp - 19th July

Final Service at St Peter's Church -
Tuesday 23rd July 2:15pm - collect from church.

INSET DAYS– will be: Friday 12th July 2019, Monday 2nd September 2019, Tuesday 3rd September 2019, Monday 24th February 2020, Monday 1st June 2020, Monday 20th July 2020