

WESTERN ROAD C.P.SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Summer Fair

Our Summer Fair last Saturday raised a tremendous £2,120! It was a wonderful event and everybody who came had a fabulous time. Thank you so much to everybody who came and supported on the day and I'd like to say a special thank you to Friends of Western Road for all the hard work that went into planning, setting up and clearing away. It was a great success and the additional funds really do make a huge difference to the school. Thank you! Please see below a message from Sarah:

Message from Friends

Thanks to everyone who came on Saturday and helped make the Summer Fair the most successful one yet. We made a profit of £2,120 . We couldn't have done it without all the volunteers who ran a stall, helped set up and then helped tidy away. Thank you!

Our last event of the year is another parent/carer only evening: Bingo night on Thursday July 4th 7.30pm - 10pm.

We are still looking for raffle prizes, if you can donate something please get in touch.

Tickets will be £15 and on sale from Monday. Please come and support our school.

Our **Amazon wishlist** will be live next week - look out for the email with the link.

Don't forget ice-creams on sale this Friday and every Friday up to the end of term.

Many Thanks FWR

Warmer Weather

As the Summer months continue, please ensure your child has a sunhat and water bottle each day. The children are encouraged to wear sunhats at Break and Lunchtimes and to drink water as much as possible, either from their water bottles or from the water fountains in school. Please also ensure your child wears suncream (applied first thing in the morning before school). Please note, we are unable to apply suncream to your child and the children should not share suncream in school in case of allergies. Thank you.



The NSPCC has visited our school to deliver their SPEAK OUT.STAY SAFE presentations to the children. To support the work of the NSPCC, the children have participated in some fun sponsored activities in PE. If you would like to sponsor your child, or give a donation, please return their sponsor form and money to school by **Monday, 24th June**. If you do not have a sponsor form, please put any sponsor money/donations in a named envelope and give it to your child's class teacher by **Monday, 24th June**. Thank you for your support.



Staffing for next academic year

We have recently made a number of staffing appointments for next year and would like to share these with you. Anna Michica is an experienced Early Years teacher from Peacehaven Heights Primary School and will be covering Ms Jones' maternity leave from September. She will be in school next week to meet our new Reception parents on Wednedsay. Rea Hamilton is an experienced teacher and is currently Acting Head of School at Hamsey Primary School. She will be covering Mrs Bedford's maternity leave and will also be starting in September. Lilly Doone is also an experienced teacher, currently working at Barcombe Primary School. She will be joining us in September and teaching in Year 3. She is a music enthusiast and will be leading the Choir club. All these teachers are highly respected in their schools and will bring additional skills and experience to Western Road, further strengthening our teaching team.

I am also delighted to tell you that Miss Patence is expecting a baby in December. The school will need to appoint a temporary teacher to cover her maternity leave, which we expect will start towards the end of November next year. Miss Patience will be teaching in Year 1 next year and Miss Blackwell will be "moving up" with her class and teaching in Year 2.

The staffing in September will be as follows:

EYFS Mrs Bishop, Mrs Michica and Mrs Reed

Year One Miss Patience and Mrs Johnson Year Two Miss Blackwell and Miss Hart

Year Three Miss Doone and teaching assistant (TBC)

Year Four Miss Cottingham and Mrs Allcorn

Year Five Mr Linton and Mrs Hills

Year Six Mrs Adams, Ms Hamilton and Mrs Winsor

Safe-Guarding Children at Western Road Community Primary School: At Western Road Community Primary, all staff take safeguarding children very seriously. All staff have been trained in Safeguarding and Child Protection. If you have any concerns about a child's well-being, bullying or e-safety, please contact the Designated Teachers for Child Protection: Mr Montebello and Mrs Wooler.

Celebration Assembly

Congratulations to the following children for receiving the Headteacher's cup and certificate this term:



Kyon, Denisa, Hector and Harry



Louis, Jesse, Kitty and Izaac



Sebastian, Hunter and Poppy



Elsa, Finley, Edie and Magnus

INSET Days 2019 - 2020

Wednesday, 4th September 2019 Thursday, 5th September 2019 Wednesday, 6th November 2019 Monday, 24th February 2020 Friday, 22nd May 2020

Assembly days for Term 6

Friday, 28th June Headteacher's Assembly Friday, 5th July Special Choir Assembly (more information to follow) Friday, 19th July Headteacher's Assembly

Key dates for Term 6

Tuesday, 25th June Year 5 to Priory for Science workshop (morning only, see separate letter)

Wednesday, 26th June, 9.15am EYFS new parents' meeting

Thursday, 27th June Year 6 Project 468 trip to the Railway Land

Friday, 28th June EYFS trip to Saltdean Beach Monday, 1st July District Sports (12noon to 4pm)

Wednesday, 3rd July, 1.45pm EYFS new intake session

Thursday, 4th July, 7.30pm FWR Bingo Night

Tuesday, 9th July

Year 4 trip to Fishbourne Roman Palace
Wednesday, 10th July

Year 2 trip to Brooklands Motor Museum

Wednesday, 10th July, 1.45pm EYFS new intake session

Thursday, 11th July Sports Day followed by a picnic lunch (see separate letter)

Thursday, 11th July, 1.30pm Year 3 Roedean Dance Show

Friday, 12th July, 9.15am School Choir Assembly to parents and carers

Thursday, 18th July, 6pm Year 6 performance of 'We Will Rock You' to parents and carers

Monday, 22nd July, 6pm Year 6 Graduation Tuesday, 23rd July, 3.30pm End of Term 6