



St Mary's C of E (Aided) Primary School



NEWSLETTER

“A Christ-centred school with a child-centred curriculum”

Friendship, generosity and thankfulness

Telephone: 01798 872007

19th July 2019

Leaver's Service at church – What a lovely week saying Goodbye to our Year 6 pupils. They have flourished and the last few weeks have shown how ready they are for the next stage of their education. We will miss them greatly and wish them every success and happiness in all that they do. Remember Year 6 – you can do anything that you put your mind too.



Prom photos – What an event this was. The children looked lovely as they turned up in a variety of different ways, including a wheelbarrow! The children were presented with a Hawaiian garland and the theme continued in the hall where they sat down for a buffet and then danced the night away. Thank you to everyone who made this event so successful for the children.



Rock Steady – Drummers, singers and guitarists were present as we celebrated the talents of the Rock Steady group. Well done to all those who participated, as learning an instrument is a skill that is difficult and needs lots of time given to it. You all shone!



Vine leaves: Alisha H-H for Helpfulness, what a star you are, you helped backstage and gave it your all.



Wills E and Lyndon C for Perseverance, It was a delight to watch you both in the choir – you gave it your all!

Reggie L for Helpfulness, what a star you are – you helped backstage and gave it your all.

Autumn Term Swimming: We have decided to keep the swimming pool open during the Autumn Term to maximise the use of the pool during the good weather. We will endeavour to keep the pool open as long as weather and air temperatures permit.

We will not be swimming for the first week back, **swimming will start on Monday 9th September 2019.**

Summer Splash: - Thursday 25th July, See poster attached for details.

Move Up afternoon – Move Up afternoon was a great success and the children met their new teachers. The afternoon consisted of lots of activities to get them ready for the next academic year

William Orrell: - Peter Pan character interview, we interviewed two main characters:

Question: What did you think of the Big Top?

Response: It was a lot better than I thought it would be.

Question: What did you think of the Big Top?

Response: I thought it was really good and inspiring.

Sports Mark: - We have been awarded the Silver Games Mark again for this year, Thank you to Mrs Burbidge for organising this



Gardening Club – Autumn Term: - If anyone is willing to help run a Gardening Club in the Autumn Term please let the office know.



School uniform: It is an important part of pupils' identity that they wear school uniform and that a distinction is made between school clothes and play clothes. Our school uniform can be purchased online from www.lovelyuniforms.co.uk.

It is hoped that pupils gain a sense of belonging and a pride in their personal appearance through wearing the school uniform.

During PE lessons in the hall, pupils are encouraged to be bare-footed, but children will require stout trainers for playground and field sessions. Girls may wear a navy games skirt for Netball.

During the summer term, a swimming costume and towel is required, also a hat for long hair (available from the School Office). Girls should wear a one-piece costume, not a bikini, for swimming lessons.

We also have a supply of second-hand uniform. If you would like to know what is available, please ask at the School Office.

BOYS

Polo shirt, White with crest

Trousers, Plain grey

Shorts, Plain grey

Sweatshirt Round neck, navy blue with crest

Socks, Grey

GIRLS

Polo Shirt, White with Crest

Skirt/Tunic Navy blue

Trousers, Navy blue

Summer dress, blue gingham (no stripes)

Sweatshirt Round neck, navy blue with crest or

Cardigan V neck, navy blue with crest

Socks, White

Small and discreet hair ties in school colours

Parents are asked to provide sensible black leather-type shoes. Some schoolwear outfitters sell shoes which are more of a trainer style. These are not allowed at St Mary's unless your child has a medical condition which must be supported by a letter from a medical practitioner; any style of top coat may be worn, however school fleeces may be purchased if you prefer.

PE KIT

Plimsolls (elastic fronts, not laces)

Navy shorts

White T-shirt with Crest

Trainers (for outside use)

Other items also available include:

Beanie Hats

Replacement book bags

PE bags

Little Explorer news –

On Friday we had our end of year trip to Flying Fortress, we met up with our friends from our other nursery in West Chilton and had great fun running around and sliding down the slides.

On Tuesday we had our nursery graduation which was amazing we are so proud of all our little Explorers who are now moving on up to big school. This was followed by a picnic for everyone in the garden with refreshments and a cake sale.

We are finishing off the term with lots of summer themed activities.



Hope you have a great summer,

See you in September, Maureen

Christ's Hospital: - Many families across Sussex are not aware of the opportunities available at Christ's Hospital – we are therefore forwarding you some details about our unique school which we would be very grateful for you kindly sharing with your current Year 5 pupils and their families.

Christ's Hospital School Invites Bursary Applications for September 2020 entry

Are you aware of a child in your school who would benefit from a boarding education, regardless of family means? Christ's Hospital near Horsham invites applications for bursary (fee assisted) boarding places which can cover up to 100% of the fees.

Current Year 5 pupils who are considering secondary education in September 2020 are invited to apply.

All candidates applying for a place will be assessed on their potential, both academically as well as the broader curriculum. Currently means-tested bursaries are granted to nearly 650 of our (892) pupils; 14% of those receive a free place with nearly 35% paying less than 10% of the full boarding fee.

The closing date for applications for September 2020 entry into Year 7 is Friday, 20 September 2019.

Christ's Hospital was established over 460 years ago as a charitable boarding school and is proud to maintain its founding principles and ethos. It offers an independent education of the strongest quality to children with academic potential, from every corner of society in a compassionate and sympathetic environment.

We have an Open Morning on Saturday 14 September 2019 for interested families – everyone who visits is warmly welcomed and is given the opportunity of a full tour of the School and the opportunity to meet our admissions team who will be on hand throughout the morning to answer any questions.

Further information is available on our www.christs-hospital.org.uk

Prefects for 2019/20

**Head Boy
Head Girl
Deputy Head Boy
Deputy Head Girl
Senior Prefects
Senior Prefects
Team Captain Yellow
Team Captain Red
Team Captain Green
Team Captain Blue
Prefects**

**Prefect/Music
Monitor/ICT
Prefect Librarian
Worship**

Garden Gang

Charity Rep

Play Leaders

Buddies

Fairtrade

Reading Buddies

**Zion Edwards
Isolde Kimberley
William Orrell
Rachel Leach
James Liu / Albert Gooda
Emily Edge / Evie Bushby
Max Trebble
Ria Joy
Callum Tyler
Callie Nelson
Katie Osborne
William Evans
Lydon Cook
Luca Reid
Robbie Norris-Jones
Reuben Norris-Jones
Josh Wilson
Tom Knott
Jacob Pells
Lewis Bridge
Erin James
Buddy Smith
Laurence Watkins
Amelia McGivern
Lola Roake
Amelia Barnard
Matilda Seeley
Ewan Hedger
Charlie Stenning
Taylor Young
Harley Ellis-Taylor
Ruby Ludgater
Louis Saunders
Tyler Jupp
Sam Ripley
Keira Allen
Freya Carruthers-Grassie
Louis Botting
Tyler Buckman-Newsom
Katie Harvey
Payton Wadey
Riley Giles
Connor Parker
Jack Francis-Adams
Kyle Newsom-Wallbridge**

Leavers Assembly 2019 – Awards

Literacy Cup – Jonty Batchelor and Freya Ward
Maths Cup – Alisha Huntley-Hart
Science Cup (Boys) – James Ross
Science Cup (Girls) – Phoebe Suttie
RE Award – Georgina Cargill and Meredith Lewis
Girls Sport – Lucy Aspell
Boys Sport – Joshua Andrews and Kristof Szekely
SEN Cup – Brooke Spiers
Kim Frey Award – Leyland Barnett and Liliana di Lena
Community Award – Keeley Lawson

Achievement Awards 2019

UK – Beatrix King and Oscar Davies
Austria – Lilly-Mae Godfrey and Charlie White
Thailand – Taya Edwards and Niamh Reilly
France – Jordan Newsom-Penny and Olivia Andrews
India – James McNamara and Martha Lewis
New Zealand – Toby Bird and Molly Berry
Ireland – Jessica Lisle and Tommi Wadey
USA – Kiara Barnard and Jack Barnes
Sierra Leone – Jake Evans and Maddie Robathan
China – Buddy Smith and Charlie Stenning
Mexico – Payton Wadey and William Orrell
South Africa – Jace Humphrey and Lydia Kimberley
Japan – Fleur Hopkins and Luke Wilson



Friends of St Mary's C of E (Aided) Primary

Newsletter July 2019

2018/2019

HAS BEEN AN AMAZING
YEAR: ABBA TO RACE
NIGHT, SANTA TO QUIZ
AND MUCH MORE...



Summer Fayre & Colour Run

Thank you to everyone who was able to attend and especially the army of parents, families and staff who baked, sold, lifted, carried, splashed, ran, BBQ'd and more! We managed to raise over £5,400!

These funds will be used to help the school with resources and activities to help every child

PTA NEWS

This is our final newsletter of the year, I am so pleased to announce we raised in excess of £17,000. An amazing amount that contributed to the pool toilet, maintenance and equipment for lifesaving lessons, as well as the Christmas Pantomime and Crackers, Icepops and Poly tunnel plastic.

I am sad to report that this is my final newsletter as Chair, I have had a wonderful few years fundraising; which has led to amazing friendships, many laughs and fun times at events. I cannot thank everyone involved enough for making the role so enjoyable. Together, we have raised amazing amounts and I am honoured to call you my friends.

Sarah our treasurer is also 'retiring' with me, as we both take on full time roles in September. I am sure she will agree that our biggest thanks goes to our children who have helped with so many jobs through the years as well as being neglected 'PTA children' and bribed with their body weight in biscuits while we get on with our responsibilities until all is tidy!

We are thrilled to hand over to Amy as Chair and Rob as Treasurer who we know will do an amazing job with the wonderful Claire, Sharon, Amy and Rachael at their sides.

If you think you would like to be involved in the PTA, do it...it is so rewarding! Please do attend the Annual General Meeting in the beginning of October (TBC) to find out the plans for spending and events for next year!

I wish you all an amazing summer!

Facebook: Friends of St Mary's C of E Aided Primary School, Pulborough

pta@stmarysprimarypulborough.co.uk

25 JULY


South Down Taxis
01798 874111
contact@southdowntaxis.co.uk

Sponsored by South Down Taxis

SUMMER SPLASH SESSION

COMMUNITY LED SWIM SPLASH SESSIONS

THURSDAY 25th JULY 2019

11:00-14:30

£3 Per Person

FOR CHILDREN OF ALL AGES - PARENTS STAY

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL



Visit our page @Summer Splash Sessions at St. Mary's School, Pulborough

St. Mary's School Pulborough, West Sussex, RH20 2AN

All of our leaders are DBS checked and first aid trained.

School Rules apply. Appropriate swimwear must be worn at all times. Swimming costumes for girls. No bikinis and suitable trunks for boys. Swim hats must be worn for hair longer than shoulder length. We will have some available to buy. No food is allowed on premises. Only water.

The Reading Agency and Libraries Present

SPACE CHASE

Summer Reading Challenge 2019

Out Of This World!

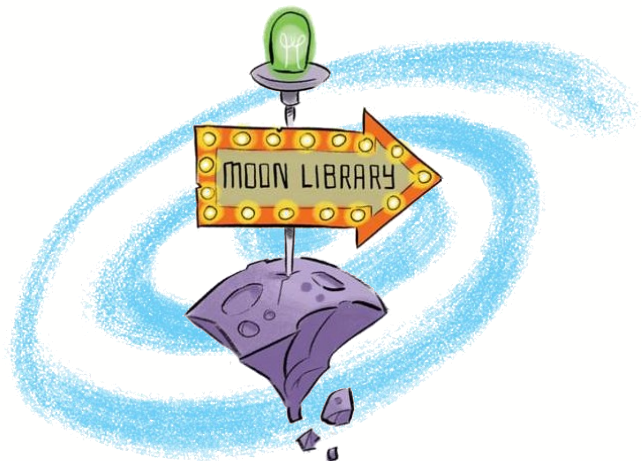
Thursday 1st August, 10.30am - 11.30am



Join us for space stories and crafts. Everyone welcome!

Tickets are free but please book your place to avoid disappointment.

Pulborough Library
Brooks Way
Off Lower Street
Pulborough
RH20 2BP
01798 872891



Parents and carers are asked to remain on the premises during this activity.

Everyone is welcome at our regular activities and special events.

Visit www.westsussex.gov.uk for our inclusion statement.

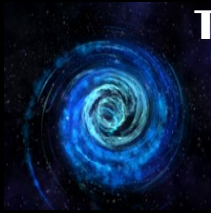


Storrington Chapel Evangelical Church



BLAST OFF!

Holiday Bible Club



Tuesday 27-Friday 30 August 2019
9.45 am-12 Noon
For children aged 4-11 years



Robert the ice cream
man will be bringing
free ice creams!



Free coffee and cake for parents
from 12-1 pm each day in our
Space Station Cafe



Bible Stories * Games * Quizzes * Crafts * Singing *and lots of fun!
It's completely free too!

Storrington Chapel Evangelical Church, North Street, Storrington
(on corner of the Library Car Park)

For more information contact Jo Johnson on 07891 201716
www.storringtonchapel.org.uk

Petworth Vision CIC
FAMILY FUN DAY & VISION GAMES

Petworth Park Sports Ground GU28 0QY

Saturday 31 August 11am - 4pm

FREE ENTRY & PARKING



Small charges apply for some rides and activities
Photographs courtesy of Scott Ramsey



THE SUSSEX CHARITY FOR CHILDREN
SINCE 1890

Pulborough Summer Holiday Sessions

Family Activity Afternoons

Monday 5th August
13:30 - 15:30



Pirate theme



Monday 19th August
13:30 - 15:30



Circus
theme



Join Rebecca and the FSW team at:
Pulborough Youth Centre, Link Lane,
RH20 2AN

FAMILY FUN DAY

**PULBOROUGH BOWLS CLUB, AT THE
TOP OF THE RECREATION GROUND**

JOIN US ON SUN

21ST

OF

JULY

KINDLY SPONSORED BY CUBITT & WEST ESTATE AGENTS

**RAFFLE, BACON ROLLS, MUSIC, BAR, CHILDREN'S
GAMES, SKITTLES, TARGET BOWLS, ROLL FOR THE
WHISKY, TEAM GAMES AND JUNIOR BOWLS.**

FREE ENTRY

**2PM TO
9PM**

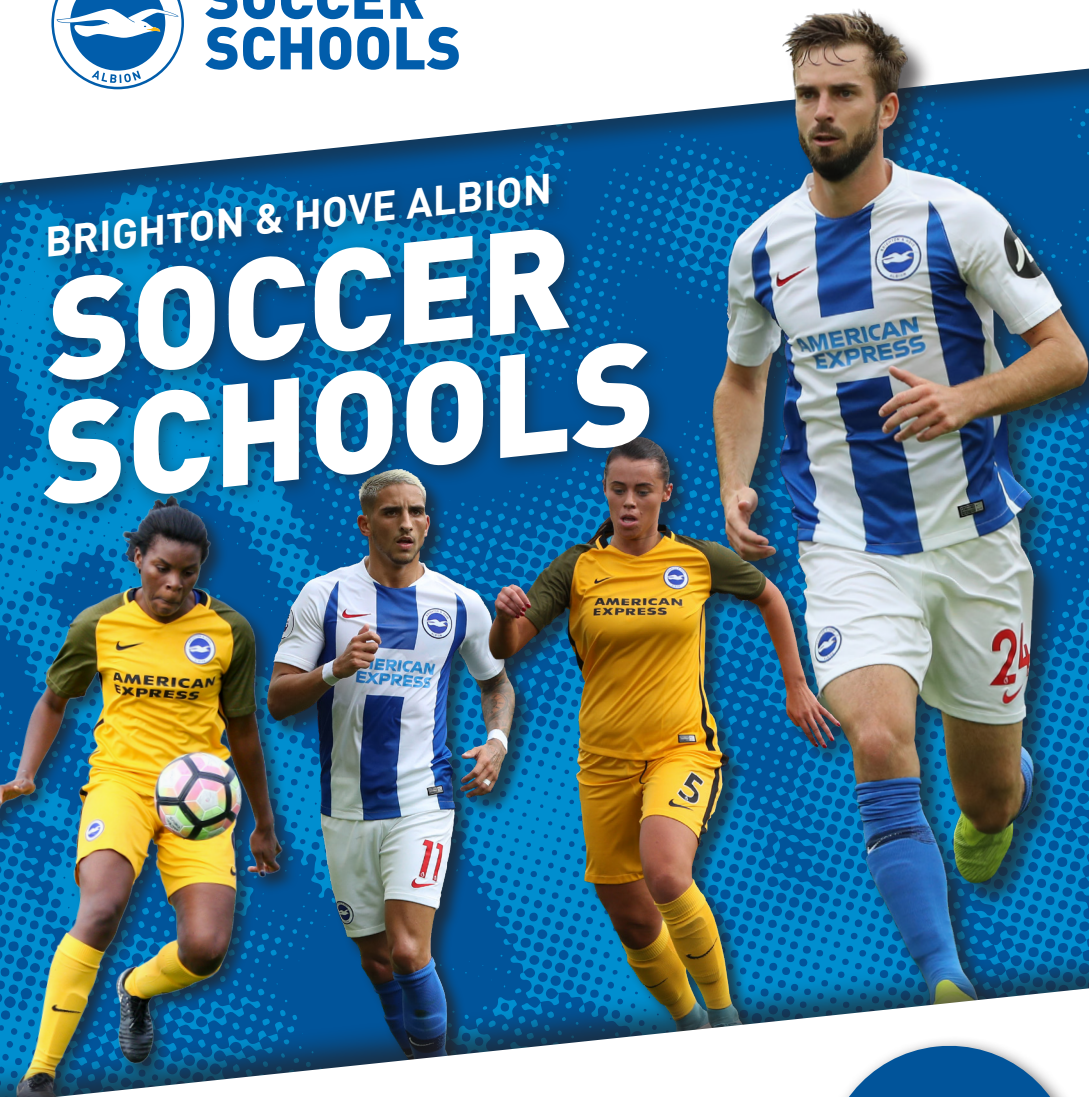


WWW.PULBOROUGHBOWLSCLUB.CO.UK



SOCCER SCHOOLS

BRIGHTON & HOVE ALBION SOCCER SCHOOLS



Holiday and weekly football courses for boys and girls of all abilities, age 4-13.

Brighton, Eastbourne, Worthing, Billingshurst, Burgess Hill, Hassocks, Lancing, Shoreham, Steyning and Uckfield.




www.albioninthecommunity.org.uk

BOOK
ONLINE
NOW

Albion in the Community, American Express Community Stadium, Village Way, Brighton BN1 9BL Tel: 01273 878265.
Company limited by guarantee in England and Wales (No. 5122343). Registered charity in England and Wales (No. 1110978).



Summer 2019

Location	Dates	Times	Venue	Cost
Billingshurst	1-2 Aug, 22-23 Aug	9.45am-3pm	Plaistow & Kirdford Primary School, RH14 0PX.	£39
Brighton 	29-31 July, 12-14 Aug, 27-29 Aug	9am-3pm	Dorothy Stringer School, BN1 6PZ.	£54
Burgess Hill	1-2 Aug, 15-16 Aug	9.45am-3pm	Burgess Hill Academy, RH15 9EA.	£39
Eastbourne 	29-31 July, 12-14 Aug, 27-29 Aug	9am-3pm	Heron Park Primary Academy, BN22 9EE.	£54
Hassocks	5-7 Aug, 19-21 Aug	9.45am-3pm	Hassocks Sports Centre, BN6 8LP.	£54
Shoreham	15-16 Aug	9.45am-3pm	St Nicholas and St Mary CE Primary School, BN43 6PE.	£39
Steyping	29-30 Jul, 12-13 Aug	9.45am-3pm	Steyping Primary School, BN44 3RQ.	£39
Uckfield	24-26 Jul, 5-7 Aug, 19-21 Aug	9am-3pm	Uckfield College, TN22 3DJ.	£54
Worthing 	24-26 Jul, 5-7 Aug, 19-21 Aug	9am-3pm	Thomas A Becket Junior School, BN14 7PR.	£54

Courses for 4-5 year olds


Brighton	29-31 July, 12-14 Aug, 27-29 Aug	9am-12pm	Dorothy Stringer School, BN1 6PZ.	£30
Eastbourne	29-31 July, 12-14 Aug, 27-29 Aug	9am-12pm	Heron Park Primary Academy, BN22 9EE.	£30
Uckfield	24-26 Jul, 5-7 Aug, 19-21 Aug	9am-12pm	Uckfield College, TN22 3DJ.	£30
Worthing	24-26 Jul, 5-7 Aug, 19-21 Aug	9am-12pm	Thomas A Becket Junior School, BN14 7PR.	£30

Courses for girls only (ages 6-16)

Lancing	2 Aug	9.45am-3pm	American Express Elite Football Performance Centre, BN15 9FP.	£20
----------------	-------	------------	---------------------------------------------------------------	-----

Single full-day bookings are available priced at £23 for 5-13 year olds.
Single half-day bookings are available priced at £10 for 4-5 year olds.

Children aged 5 years can attend courses of either age category.

 = Goalkeepers included. Goalkeepers will receive individual specialised training during the mornings, followed by integrated team sessions in the afternoons. Goalkeeper courses can be booked separately online.

Places must be booked online in advance. Full terms and conditions can be found on our website.