



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



NEWSLETTER

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

LOVE

Telephone: 01798 872007

5th October 2018

Mrs Brown – Mrs Brown will be back in school from Monday 8th October. Please do pop in to see her.

Teaching and learning - It has been great to be in all the classrooms this week focussing on the teaching and learning as part of our School Improvement schedule. Maths is a focus at the moment and we have been pleased to see such a high level of engagement and a multi-sensory approach to engage the children. We are working hard to allow the children to make as much progress as possible within a lesson.

Safeguarding – We take this very seriously as a school and are keen to share resources and links. The West Sussex Hate Incident Support Service supports children and adults affected by hate incidents and crime under the following 5 Strands - * Racial * Disability * Religious/Faith * Sexual orientation * Gender Identity *. They provide free and confidential emotional, practical, and advocacy support. We aim to raise awareness about Hate Crime within the community.

<https://westsussex.local-offer.org/services/711-hate-incident-support-service-hiss-west-sussex>

Parenting course – Last week I put some information in the newsletter about parenting courses. If you would like an online course then this would be the link.

<https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/education-children-and-families/support-for-families/online-parenting-programme/>

Duck Race – We were lucky enough to have some of the Duck Race team pop in to see us this week to give us a cheque for **£500.00**, we are very fortunate to be well supported by our community. This money will help to fund the extras that bring the end of year production to life for the children



Year 4 Super Starter - The children in Year 4 enjoyed an exciting and informative day in glorious sunshine at Drusillas Zoo Park on Monday. They spent time exploring areas of the park and learning more about a variety of animals including meerkats, lemurs, snakes, sloths, marmosets, coatis, bats, flamingos and lorikeets. We were also fortunate to have the opportunity to take part in a rainforest themed workshop to extend our knowledge about this environment and some of the animals that inhabit it. We met a royal python named Ka and some of us were brave enough to stroke her! We would like to say a huge thank you to all of the adults who volunteered to help us on this amazing trip. William Orrell and Laurence Watkins wanted to know more and asked the children about the trip, 'we got to feed a bird' and 'we liked the maze at the park'.



Drusillas Zoo Park
1st October 2018



Dyslexic Type Tendencies 6 weeks Parents Support Group - This training is so important if you feel that your child may have Dyslexic tendencies. Please make a special effort to come to the last few training sessions as it could make such a difference to your child's learning. These sessions are continuing and will be from 1:30pm -3:15pm and there will be some information sharing and then some discussion. **The next dates are the 10th Oct and 17th Oct. Please let the office know if you are interested in attending.**

Starting School – Our 'Open afternoons' are in full swing and it has been great to welcome many new faces to look around St Mary's. If you have a child that is 5 years old in 2019 – 2020 then please come and look around. We have another open afternoon on **Tuesday 16th October 2 – 3pm** or you can phone the school and make an appointment.

Fire Service – Keeping the children safe is always a theme within school and we welcomed the Fire Service to talk to Uk and Austria class then the Year 2 children and then Mexico and China class. This is a particularly good time of year for the fire service to visit with Bonfire night coming up.

Uniform – Tesco's have now discontinued all types of fleeces, baseball hats and beanies, we have along with other school complained about this, and are hoping they will rethink their decision. We will keep you informed.

Individual Photos – The children's individual photographs will be taken on **Thursday 11th October**, please ensure all children are in full, clean uniform that day. There will be photos taken of Individual pupils and with their siblings.

Vine leaves – **Jack Barnes** received a vine leaf for his kindness when he kindly lent his trainers to another child. **Harry Hunt** - for friendship and kindness, he calmed Jack down and told him that he could speak to him if he ever wanted to. **Keely Lawson** - for showing kindness in quiet club, she offered her pens to others even though she didn't even know the children there. **Charlie Kantsler** - for being selfless in tidying away all of the equipment left out by the children on the playground in Jiminy's.



The Anchorage – As part of the Literacy curriculum we took some Year 5 pupils up to The Anchorage to talk to some of the elderly residents. This was fantastic for bringing on formal conversational language and getting the children to engage with the older generation. The Anchorage said, 'All your students were warm and wonderful and very well behaved, they are all a breath of fresh air!'



Little Explorer news - This week we have been investigating Autumn. We have been doing some lovely leaf rubbing, leaf painting, counting and sorting sizes of leaves and conkers and making spiced playdough. In fun phonics we looked at the letter 's' and practiced making the sound and doing lovely activities with Janna. We had a lovely afternoon last Friday with our Macmillan coffee afternoon and managed to raise £22.80 which we have added to the school total fund.

Mental Health - 10th October (next Wednesday) is mental health day. As a school, we are noticing more and more mental health issues in young people. In support of this we would like the children to come to school in their school uniform but with something yellow as part of the 'hello yellow' campaign. **This is NOT a non- uniform day, please wear uniform and add something bright yellow, socks, hair ribbons, bracelet, necklace, scarf etc.**



Pulborough Patient Link - Sepsis has been in the news recently and the Pulborough Patient Link are holding a talk on the topic on Monday 8th October at 7pm in the Village Hall. Sepsis can affect babies, children, adults and the elderly and in sometimes difficult to detect. If you are able to attend this talk aims to offer guidance on the condition.

Dates for you Diary:

Friday 5 th October	Toy Sale in school	3.00pm
Thursday 11 th October	Individual children photos	
Friday 12 th October	ABBA Night (PTA)	7.00pm
Saturday 13 th October	Grounds working party	9.00am – 11noon
Saturday 13 th October	Harvest workshop at St Marys Church	3.00pm
Monday 15 th October	Yr5 Residential to Marchants Hill	
Tuesday 16 th October	Open Afternoon	2.00pm – 3.00pm
Friday 19 th October	Yr R – Yr 4 Flu Nasal immunisation (Year 5 – Tue 13 th Nov)	
Monday 22nd October	Half Term	
Monday 29th October	Inset Day	

**WEAR SOMETHING
YELLOW.**

**Wednesday 10th
October 2018**



Billingshurst & District Lions Club



RACE NIGHT

IN AID OF SEPSIS CRITICAL CARE UNIT
AT GUY'S AND ST THOMAS' HOSPITALS



Race Night. Saturday 27th October
Billingshurst Community Centre. 7pm
Tickets on sale at the Lions Book Shop



**Pulborough Patient Link
invites you to a Public Meeting in
Pulborough Village Hall on**

Monday 8 October

when the topic will be

**What Every Patient Needs to
Know About**

SEPSIS

**Dr Carole Campbell will introduce a patient who
suffered from Sepsis,
followed by**

**Dr Luke Hodgson MRCP MSc EDIC FFICM BSc
MD NIHR CRN KSS Respiratory Lead
Intensive Care and Respiratory Medicine
Consultant**

Western Sussex Hospital Trust

7.00 pm – approx. 8.30 pm

Refreshments and Raffle Draw

Holiday Club

At least two fun, stimulating activities each day,
along with self chosen activities.

For children aged 4-11

(4 Year olds must already be attending school.)



Activities will include

Art & Craft

Team building

Problem solving

Treasure hunts

Physical activities

Games/Sports coaching

Playing with the elements

Safe, caring environment with
great outdoor space.

OFSTED registered.

For more information please
email

jiminysasc@yahoo.com

or pick up a registration
form from the school
reception area.



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Jiminy's Holiday Club

We are excited to announce that Jiminy's After School Club is running its first holiday club this October half term.

Our aim is to ensure the children have **FUN** with our enthusiastic team offering a wide range of play opportunities for the children.

Sessions:

- Tuesday 23rd, Wednesday 24th and Thursday 25th October
- 8.00am - 3.30pm: £27 (breakfast included)
- 8.45am - 3.30pm: £23

Children will be required to bring a water bottle, packed lunch and a change of clothes to each session.

If you would like to know more about Jiminy's or the activities we offer, please visit our website at www.jiminyasc.co.uk.

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Jiminy's Holiday Club Admissions Policy and Conditions of Registration

Admissions Policy

- Spaces will be accessible to all sections of the community.
- Spaces will be allocated as follow:
 - 1st priority: pupils from St Mary's C of E (Aided) Primary School with siblings already attending Jiminy's;
 - 2nd priority: other pupils from St Mary's C of E (Aided) Primary School;
- Registration forms and payment need to be received at least five working days prior to the start of the Holiday Club.
- A Child may only attend once you have received a confirmation letter.
- We promote equality of opportunity for all children without any discrimination on the grounds of sex, race, religion, colour, creed, marital status, ethnic or national origin, or political belief. We recognise that parents are young children's first educators and welcome their involvement.
- Our aim is that each child should be recognised and appreciated; each child have access to all activities, regardless of ability; gender, ability, race, colour, background, origins.
- The criteria are set out with full commitment to Equal Opportunities. They are also to be read in conjunction with 'conditions of registration' that parents/guardians must read and sign before their child is admitted to Jiminy's.
- Detailed policies and procedures are available to everyone at all times.

Conditions of Registration

- You must inform us by 8am via text or phone should your child be absent.
- Children who are collected late (after 3.30pm) will incur a late collection charge of £1 per minute. Money collected from late collection will be divided between the staff that have stayed beyond their contracted hours.
- No refund will be offered for non - attendance.
- Should your child be unwell he/she may be sent home.
- Your child may not be able to attend Jiminy's if he/she has certain illnesses.
- You are required to inform us as soon as any contact details change.
- Concerns and complaints: Please discuss any concerns or complaints with the manager or supervisor. Should the matter not be resolved to your satisfaction, you may contact OFSTED directly.
- You must inform Jiminy's in advance if someone other than the named person will be collecting your child. Your child will not be released otherwise.
- At least **two weeks'** written notice is required if you wish to reduce the number of sessions or give notice.
- We reserve the right to refuse a registration.
- We reserve the right to cancel a registration without notice should an adult or child's behaviour is aggressive, abusive, inappropriate or unacceptable.
- We reserve the right to make any adjustments with short notice.
- By signing the registration form, you agree to all of the conditions of registration.

Holiday Club Registration Form

Child's name: _____ DOB: ____/____/20____ Year: _____

Mother's name: _____ Mobile: _____

Father's name: _____ Mobile: _____

Address: _____

_____ Post code _____

Email/s: _____ Home Tel. no.: _____

If your child is not living with both parents at the address given above, please confirm which parent your child is

living with: _____

If both parents/guardians are regularly away from home during the Holiday Club hours please supply a work address and telephone number:

Place of work: _____

_____ Tel. No.: _____

Please note that the emergency contact detail should not be the same as provided above. It should be someone other than the parents/guardians preferably within 20 minutes of the school.

Emergency contact name: _____ Tel. No.: _____

Doctor's Surgery: _____ Tel. No.: _____

Fees:

- Breakfast Club: 8am - 8.45am - £27 (breakfast included).
- Holiday Club: 8:45am - 3.30pm - £23

Sessions required: (please tick)

	Tuesday 23/9/18	Wednesday 24/9/18	Thursday 25/9/18
8am - 3.30pm			
8.45am- 3.30pm			

Please note that your child will be allocated a space and you will receive a confirmation letter ONLY once the registration form and BACS payment are received.

Does your child have any:

- dietary requirements/allergies: _____

- particular Additional Needs(learning)/physical): _____

- hearing difficulties/vision problems: _____

- other health conditions: _____

Additional information

Who will collect your child at the end of each session?

Please provide a password, should someone other than person dropping your child off, collect your child.
(Please note that we will still need to be informed if someone other than the named person/s above will collect your child.)

Does your child have any hobbies or specific interests?

Anything else we should know about your child?

Please read each statement below and delete as appropriate

Medical Treatment consent

I hereby **consent** to my child receiving medical treatment, if the Manager/Supervisor and/or a doctor thinks it is required as a matter of emergency and I or the named emergency contact on the Registration form cannot be contacted following reasonable attempts to do so prior to such treatment being administered.

Photographs

I hereby **consent / do not consent** to Jiminy's taking photos of my child to be used on the display board for inspections or shown to prospective parents.

I hereby **consent / do not consent** to Jiminy's taking photos of my child to be used on the website.

Outings

I hereby **consent / do not consent** to my child going on outings on foot, accompanied by a member of staff to the local park and/or other local places (you will be informed prior to the outing taking place).

☐ I have made a payment of £_____ via BACS on _____ with the reference _____
as payment for my child attending Jiminy's Holiday Club. (Jiminy Cricket Ltd. Sort Code: 60-02-31, Account No.: 66040396)

I confirm that I have read, understand and agree to the Admissions policy and Conditions of Registration.

Parent's/Carer's name: _____ Signature: _____

Date: ____/____/20____

See attached Admissions Policy and Conditions of Registration for your perusal.

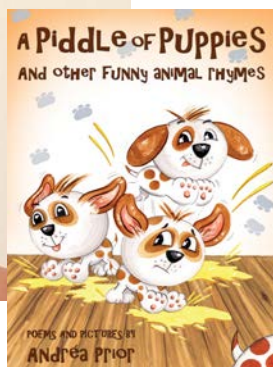
What's On?

Animal Rhymes and fun with Andrea Prior

Saturday 27th October

10.30am-11.30am and 11.30am-12.30pm

Join local children's author and illustrator Andrea Prior to enter a weird and wonderful world of animal rhymes and fun activities in a special pre-launch of her second book 'A Piddle of Puppies'.



For children aged 5-9 years.

Copies of 'A Piddle of Puppies' will be available to buy at the end of each session. Cash only.

Tickets are free but please book to avoid disappointment.