Pyrford C of E Primary School Weekly Newsletter

The first few days Squirrels













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Diary Dates (Autumn Term)

Fri 17 Sept PTA Bottle Donation Day

Tue 21 Sept 8:45-10am Y5 Coffee Morning

Sat 25 Sept 3.30-7pm PTA Autumn Festival

Tue 28 Sept Y3 to Butser Farm

Tue 28 Sept 8.45-10am Y4 Coffee Morning

Wed 29 Sept Y6 to Marwell Zoo

Wed 29 Sept 8.45-10am Y2 Coffee Morning

w/c 4 Oct Y6 Bikeability

Wed 6 Oct 8.45-10am Y3 Coffee Morning

w/c 11 Oct Y6 Bikeability

Wed 13 Oct 8.45-10am Y6 Coffee Morning

Thu 14 Oct Y5 Wonderdome visit

Tue 19 Oct 8.45-10am EYFS (YN & YR) Coffee Morning

Wed 20 Oct Y4 Anglo Saxons Workshop

25-29 Oct HALF TERM

Mon 1 Nov INSET DAY

Mon 22 & Tue 23 Nov Flu Vaccinations

Mon 6 Dec School Pantomime

Wed 8 Dec Friends Panto Booking

Thu 16 Dec Term ends at 12:00

Headteacher's Letter

Good morning.

I hope your children have had a good week. We have certainly been getting into our stride at school and children have settled well.

The new Reception children have been amazing at settling into school. It has been lovely to join them in their play and to watch them interact with each other and the staff who teach them.

Well done to our first Golden Book winners of the academic year. It is great that we are able to continue this practice of sharing the work and achievements of children throughout the year. We share the achievements in this newsletter, which follows a live zoom assembly, where we are able to provide a presentation on the big screens in the classrooms. Whilst holding the zoom sessions, Mrs Little and I can also interact with the children via the cameras and microphones. This is one assembly that works really well on zoom!

We held the first of our coffee mornings this week and we would like to thank those of you who were able to attend. It was great to have the opportunity to see people in person and to have informal chats about school life. Thank you for giving up your time to attend, we look forward to welcoming the rest of you over the coming days and weeks. Please see the calendar for the dates—and please note that these will all now start at **8:45am** to allow Breakfast Club to clear away.

By the end of the month, we will also upload presentations from teachers so you can at least see the class teacher's face and hear about what your child will be learning about over the coming year. Keep an eye out for further information over the next couple of weeks.

We have included a reminder about Covid precautions overleaf which it is important to read. We are aware of a number of cases in the school community, so it is vital that we follow guidance to keep us all safe and to keep school as 'normal' as possible. All risk assessments and contingency management plans are available as published on the school website.

Our clubs started this week and have been well attended. It is great to have this aspect of school life coming alive again.

Next Saturday is the Autumn Festival which the PTA have organised. It is a great opportunity for us to be together as a school community and to see each other socially. I do hope many of you are able to attend the event and look forward to welcoming you. Please see further on in the newsletter for more information. Wishing you all a good weekend.

Kathryn Krynicki Headteacher

Covid-19 precautions & rules—for adults & children



WE HAVE CONFIRMED CASES OF COVID-19 IN 2 CLASSES SO WE WOULD LIKE TO REMIND PARENTS THAT ANYONE WITH COVID-19

SYMPTOMS SHOULD GET A PCR TEST AND SELF-ISOLATE UNTIL A NEGATIVE TEST RESULT IS RECEIVED.

IF YOUR CHILD TESTS POSITIVE, YOU MUST LET THE SCHOOL KNOW

Please see below the guidance from the NHS website.

What is self-isolation?

Self-isolation is when you do not leave your home because you have or might have coronavirus (COVID-19). This helps stop the virus spreading to other people.

When to self-isolate

Self-isolate straight away and get a PCR test as soon as possible if you have any of these 3 symptoms of COVID -19, even if they are mild:

- ♦ a high temperature
- ♦ a new, continuous cough
- a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste

You should also self-isolate straight away if:

- you've tested positive for COVID-19—this means you have the virus
- ♦ you've been told to self-isolate following contact with someone who tested positive (via NHS Test and Trace or the NHS COVID-19 app) unless you are not required to—see below)

When you do not need to self-isolate

If someone you live with has symptoms of COVID-19, or has tested positive for COVID-19, you will not need to self-isolate if any of the following apply:

- ♦ you're fully vaccinated—this means 14 days have passed since your final does of a COVID-19 vaccine given by the NHS
- ♦ you're under 18.5 years old
- you're taking part or have taken part in a COVID-19 vaccine trial
- you're not able to get vaccinated for medical reasons

Even if you do not have symptoms, you should still:

- ♦ get a PCR test to check if you have COVID-19
- follow <u>advice on how to avoid catching and spreading COVID-19</u>
- consider limiting contact with people who are higher risk from COVID-19

GOLDEN BOOK

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR GOLDEN BOOK WINNERS THIS WEEK

N SQUIRRELS

Sebastian McArthur for returning to Squirrels so well. He has been following our rules, listening well at story times and being a good role model to our new Squirrels; Edward Blight for settling amazingly at Squirrels. He is always busy and involved in the activities.

3 ELM

Tilly Waldron. In History we have been learning about how the Celts protected themselves against attack from the Romans. Tilly has drawn a beautiful hill fort and labelled the features with interesting facts. Well done Tilly!

R BEECH

Polly Wilkins for amazing art and design, designing a new shoe Arthur Jessup for writing a great letter from Hannah to her time creating her design and even wanted to cut it out all by correctly. Keep up the good work Arthur. herself! Well done Polly, great perseverance.

3 MAPLE

for Pete the Cat. Polly used pencil, crayons and collage and Grandad. He thought carefully about how Hannah might be scrunched the tissue paper for a 3D effect. Polly spent a long feeling in the story. He listened carefully and set his work out

R HA7FI

Luca Cheney-Hackman for painting a brilliant self portrait.

4 ALDER

Annabel Hutton who rewrote the story of 'Wolves' by Emily Gravett. Annabel's writing is very creative and very neat! Well done Annabel!

1 OAK

Noah Westwood for working so hard in Science. He has made a fantastic Funnybones skeleton and even went and made his own information book all about the human body!

4 LARCH

Ahmed Maricar for his excellent retelling of the Wolves story. Ahmed, you impressed me with your choice of vocabulary and for the thought you have put into the character's backstory (I loved the thought of Rabbit choosing a book for his Sunday evening book club at the Town Hall!)

1 PINE

Jack Newman. We have been learning about emotions and managing our feelings. We read 'The Colour Monster'. Jack then chose to go to the art self selection area and made his own colour monsters. Each one has a different design and the 'sadness' one even moves! Well done Jack; very creative!

5 ROWAN

Annabel Broadley. We have been looking at poetry in Year 5 and Annabel has written a super poem all about our senses. She has used some wonderful vocabulary and fantastic description. Well done Annabel!

2 CEDAR

Ada Clough for working very hard to write a diary about her trip to Dorset with her family. She included full stops and capital letters and even went back to correct a mistake she had made! Well done Ada. Keep up the brilliant work.

5 WILLOW

Lexi Quintal for the fantastic poem that she has written all about her senses. She has really started to challenge herself and use some brilliant vocabulary to up level her work. I have been very impressed with Lexi's enthusiasm and determination to try her best in her writing since starting Year 5! Well done Lexi.

2 HAWTHORN

Marianna Franco Turanska for designing and making a printing tile inspired by patterns found in our school. She explored a range of printing tiles to find out which were most effective before making her own and producing a wonderful piece of printing. Great job!

6 HOLLY

Caspar Woods. We are studying The London Eye Mystery and Caspar has written an excellent diary in role, using great vocabulary and really showing the character in the book through his fantastic writing. Well done Caspar!

2 SYCAMORE

William Wheatley for listening carefully in Science and showing a good understanding of the human life cycle. He was also able to talk and write about what people can do at different stages of their life.

6 LAUREI

Hamish Sherlock for working so hard in Maths since the start of term. Hamish puts up his hand in class to answer questions and is working very hard. Well done Hamish—what a great start to the term!

Diary Dates (Spring & Summer Terms)

Fri 21 Jan Young Voices @ The O2

Thu 27 Jan Y1 to Windsor Castle

14—18 Feb HALF TERM

Thu 17 Mar Y2 to Brooklands Museum

Mon 21 Mar Y6 Greek Workshop

Tue 22 Mar Y5 Viking Workshop

Fri 1 Apr Term ends at 12:00

Tue 19 Apr Summer Term begins

Wed 20—Fri 22 Apr Y4 to Hindleap Warren

Mon 16 & Tue 17 May Y3 Home Front @ Henley Fort

Wed 18 May Y4 Tropical Beasts Workshop

30 May-3 Jun HALF TERM

Mon 6 Jun INSET DAY

Wed 8 Jun YR Minibeast Workshop

Fri 17 Jun Y6 Lego Robotics

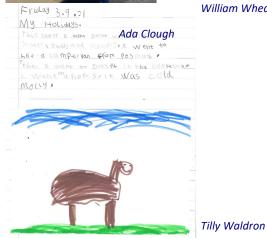
Tue 21 Jun Y6 Leavers' Service @ Guildford Cathedral

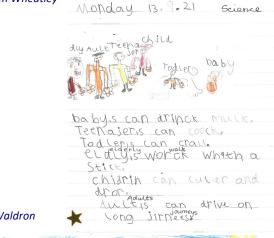
Mon 11—Fri 15 July Y6 Residential

@ Osmington Bay

Thu 21 Jul Term ends at 12:00



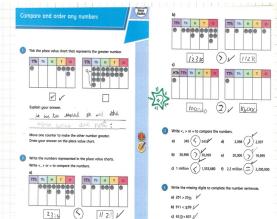






Marianna Franco Turanska





Hamish Sherlock

Lunches

The shortage of lorry drivers has disrupted deliveries and there may be an occasion where a substitute has to be made. We will try to make you aware wherever possible, so another choice can be made.

Brass Lessons in Y4

The children enjoyed their first lesson this week with Mr Chapple. Parents must complete the consent on Scopay by next Wednesday to enable them to bring their instruments home on Thursday.

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cally bad. I throw my gorilla
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Friday 10 " September Retelling 'Wolner' The little, White Cabbit strok into the perogen liberry in the busy amount he warm, bright library the rabbit choise a book about waters. When rabbit library she rabbit thorse a book about waters. When rabbit library she opened the sirry page and started to read. Started to read to water the survey she was a rabbit had no client the water to the survey she was a started to read. To obtain the water to be survey to the water had happend. Then the water smalley pound both who the book and turned into a found sock who have botten and while it.

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Ahmed Maricar

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Lexi Quintal

Sen News



Calling all autistic and ADHD children who love trains!!

All Aboard Club is opening a new inclusive play session in Woking for autistic and ADHD children, where they can build and play with our huge train sets in a safe, understanding and supportive environment.

- Our sessions help to develop the children's social and communication skills, by using their special interest in trains to reduce their anxieties and social challenges.
- All Aboard Club staff have lived experience of autism and ADHD, so we understand the children's challenges and their love of trains. It seems to work, as over 400 families have already attended our play sessions across London and the South East.

Woking play sessions

We are opening a new play session in Woking on Saturday afternoons from 18th September. These sessions will be in the Community Building next to Woking Leisure Centre with loads of free parking. It's also a short walk from the town centre and railway station. No referral or formal diagnosis is necessary - families can just book tickets for the sessions which they want to attend.

What does an All Aboard Club play session look like?

Watch our short video on Youtube here https://youtu.be/jNvJt8YrfYg and see for yourself. See the children's cooperation, focus, peer support, and problem-solving. This is why special interests are so important; they allow the children to be themselves, and show their true character and abilities.

For details and tickets for our Woking play sessions, please go to: https://aac-woking.eventbrite.co.uk/. For more information about All Aboard Club, please visit our website www.allaboardclub.com

Half-price tickets

To celebrate our opening in Woking, we're offering 50% off ALL our play session tickets in September and October. Families just need to enter the promo code **happytrainday** when you book your tickets.

If you have any questions, please email Richard Semmens, director of All Aboard Club at richard@allaboardclub.com or ring/ text on 07948 407343.



The Just Teach Me Parent Bulk Buy code is here! Use it by the 19th September to get your discounts. Use the code: HOMESCHOOLFUNPACKS









60% off







50% off





Extended Schools



Cookery Club got off to a tasty start this week by making some delicious carrot and apple cookies. The children really enjoyed putting their culinary skills to the test and will certainly enjoy eating the fruits of their labour!





We are looking for volunteers to come and run a **girl's football club on a Friday** after school If you can help please contact me

f you can help please contact me <u>esm@pyrford.surrey.sch.uk</u> Many Thanks





Come and Join Us on Saturday 25th September, 3pm – 6.30pm Bring Along Your Family & Friends – All Welcome

AUTUMN FESTIVAL

We are very much looking forward to getting our school community back together and welcoming new families to our very first Autumn Festival Event

Included in the Ticket Price

Live Music from a Local Band
Fire Engine Visit from Woking Fire Station
Surrey 4 x 4 Rescue
Stilt Walker

Fire Show

Sports 4 Kids Activity Giant Garden Games Area Tug Of War Competition



Magic Shows Face Painting

BBQ

Bar

(Soft Drinks, Prosecco, Wine, Beer, Ales and Cocktails)
Refreshments

(Homemade Cakes, Popcorn, Ice Creams, Tea/Coffee)

3 x Bouncy Castles

Ballsportz Inflatable Sports Games

Fairground Games

Pick Up Sticks

Wheel of Fortune

Children's Craft

Glow Sticks, Bubble Wands & Tattoos

Bottle Tombola

Year 6 Stalls - Rockets & Netball

Book Your Tickets Now

https://forms.gle/FrB6RTL8QwCc56cC9















Beespoke Gifts Autumn Fair 25th September 2021

We offer a range of personalised gift and home products

Products that will be available on the day will be:

Halloween baubles, Halloween signs, crates, drinking mugs and trick or treat bags

We will also have a selection of our christmas products and gifts that can be ordered for personalisation including:

Personalised christmas tree decorations, glass baubles, acrylic baubles, christmas eve plates, house signs, stockings & gonks. Personalised velvet make up bags & notebooks, slippers, purses, budget binders, scrapbooks, cold and hot cups and much, much more



Cut-price Panto Tickets at New Victoria Theatre, Woking

PANTOMIME – Weds 8th December 2021 – 7pm

Packed with all of the traditional pantomime ingredients that regular attendees have come to expect, **Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs** will be spectacularly brought to life with an abundance of jaw-dropping dance, side-splitting comedy, sensational special effects and plenty of festive magic.



Friends of Pyrford Primary School has secured seats at great rates for this year's family panto, thanks to the New Victoria Theatre's special discount for PTAs. Every ticket bought through us will contribute at least £3 to our school fund. Please make your payment and complete the online form (link below). There are two price bands (both work out less than half price compared to buying direct) and ice cream vouchers too.

A NIGHT AT THE THEATRE – 8 th December 2020				
Date	Time	Seat location	Price per ticket	
WEDNESDAY 8 th December 2020	7pm	Rows A-K Stalls	£20.00	
		Rows A-C Upper Circle (not recommended for those that struggle with stairs and heights & some have restricted view)	£9.00	
		ICE CREAM VOUCHER(S)	£1.00	

PLEASE MAKE YOUR PAYMENT FIRST AND THEN COMPLETE THE ONLINE FORM https://forms.gle/auyVaU4TsyirJefQA

- 1. **Cheques should be payable to FPPS,** please write PANTO on reverse of cheque. Please return cheque payments to the 'Friends' box at the school office, clearly marking your envelope 'Panto20'.
- 2. Online payments can be made to Sort Code 40-46-48, A/C no 51432591 using reference PANTO20.
- 3. Whether you are paying online or by cheque, please complete the online form above. We cannot confirm your request until you have paid and submitted the form.
- 4. Tickets are allocated when all tickets have been sold. When oversubscribed, we will look at the date of payment to determine allocation of tickets, not the date of your form.
- 5. If you have any problems or queries, please email PyrfordPanto@gmail.com

THANK YOU for supporting our school and here's to a fun family evening!

Church News



Dear PARENTS:- We need four parents per night to have the appropriate adult to child ratio in our Church Safeguarding policy. So, if you have not already volunteered this year, **PLEASE** LOOK and SEE if you might be free once this term, that would be WONDERFUL! If free, you can email suzanne@wisleywithpyrford.org or fill in this slip and return it at Youth Club Jnr. Many thanks.

(date)

Friday 17th September 6:30pm-7:45pm @ the church of the good shepherd OCTOBER

Friday 1st October 6:30pm-7:45pm TRIP OUT BOWLING~ GUILDFORD SPECTRUM 6:30pm-7:45pm Friday 15th October @ the church of the good shepherd

NOVEMBER

Name & contact no./email

I would be available to help on Friday

Friday 5th November 6:30pm-7:45pm

@ the church of the good shepherd

Friday 19th November 6:30pm-7:45pm @ the church of the good shepherd

DECEMBER

6:30pm-7:45pm Friday 3rd December

@ the church of the good shepherd

Friday 17th December 6:30pm-7:45pm

@ the church of the good shepherd



Join us to learn about different stories from the Bible with activities, crafts, songs and snacks.









excluding half term and INSET days



we will also have our tuck shop open.

For older brothers and sisters



