



9th June 2017



The Big Reading Event

On Tuesday 20th June we will be holding two parent/carer reading presentation sessions. Many families have asked us how they can support their child to keep reading and to read more widely and in-depth once they have become a reader.

The sessions will give practical demonstrations and explain how you can help your child to get the most from their reading. There will be useful resources for you to take away with you to use at home and our local librarian will be present too.

These sessions are for the whole age-range with lots for older children as well as for younger ones. They include...

- How to listen to your child read – strategies you can use to help them build fluency, understanding and maintain interest
- How to share a picture book or book with few words with younger children
- How to improve your child's reading comprehension skills
- How we teach guided reading in school
- How to support older children with reading as they work towards their SATs and high school

The first session is at 2.15-3.10pm in the hall and library areas while the school is still in session.

The second repeat session is at 3.20-4.15pm in school and there will be a crèche available should you require it.

New Dance/Fitness Club

On Thursday, Sophie & Alex from 4Ward Sports, came to deliver an assembly about a new dance fitness club which starts on Thursday 15th June.

The club is aimed at boys as much a girls with Alex explaining how dancers coach top football teams to help the players improve their leg strength, fitness and agility. The club sounds like such fun and uses a great mix of styles. The 5 week programme will culminate in a show for everyone to watch. An information letter is attached.



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Forncett Fete – Saturday 24th June



The school and village fete is fast approaching!

We desperately need volunteers to help us set up, take down and help run stalls through the afternoon. If we get enough helpers, people will only have to do a small amount each and still have time to enjoy going around themselves. Please, please sign up to help us, the rota is on the office desk.

Raffle tickets are now on sale and tombola items are greatly needed too.

Thank you for your support

Car Park Issue



A parent has reported that they and some others have been subjected to some rather aggressive, impatient behaviour and comments in the church car park when their cars are double parked. This parent felt she was very quick picking up and did not linger so has asked if the school can remind everyone that the church car park double parking usually always works really well and please could everyone respect the fact that all parents and carers are being as quick as they can be.

Sainsbury Vouchers

Please would you all have a rummage for any remaining vouchers? It's nearly time for us to place an order.

Thank you

Book People

If you would like to place an order for the Book People books displayed at reception, please do so a.s.a.p.

DIARY DATES

May

Half-term week Monday 29th May – Friday 2nd June 2017

June

Mon 12th – Fri 16th – Y1 Phonic Check Week

Tues 20th – The Great Reading Event Two sessions (same content) – 2.15-3.10 and 3.20-4.15pm

Sat 24th – Forncett Summer Fete

Fri 30th – Annual Sports Afternoon to start at 1.20pm approx.

July

Tues 4th – Dress Rehearsal for Pan-Tastic KS2 production

Weds 5th – Production – evening performance

Thurs 6th – Production – evening performance

Tues 11th – Open Evening for all school 5-7pm – private parent/carer consultations if required 4-5pm and all Y5 going to LSHS for a high school experience day

Weds 12th – All Y5's going to LSHS for Cluster STEM day (science, technology, engineering, maths)

Fri 14th – FOFs & School Family Fun afternoon

Mon 17th – School disco party with James D & Fri 21st – Leavers' Service - Break up for summer hols