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## ***WEEKLY NEWSLETTER***

Dear Parents

With a cold end to the week, Year 2 have enjoyed their second exciting week of Forest School led by Hannah. Apart from talking about the rules and expectations, they had an amazing time thinking about the Faraway Tree and reading a small section from some of the chapters in the book to give them a taste of the Faraway Tree lands. The children were thoroughly engaged in exploring the natural materials of the environment and developing their own imaginary lands.

This week the children have focused on several of our learning tools, eg, questioning and reflecting, and were able to celebrate how they had used these to help them in their learning inside and outside school. It was a pleasure to listen to the children articulate their experiences and to see how proud they are of their achievements.

Throughout the week, we have been talking about one of the Christian values, Love and Compassion. These are the Christian values that are the focus for this half-term. You would be so proud of your children to hear them talk about how they care for each other and how they show kindness in a variety of ways.

It would be lovely to see as many of you as possible at our Parents' Forum next week. If you can't make it but would like to raise something for discussion, please let Karen know in the office so that we can put it on the agenda. It would be great to hear your views on what you consider works well in our school, as well as areas of concern / topics for discussion.

Have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes  
Gillian Morris

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Please see the dates box, over, for upcoming dates this term.

Dates Box:

Wed, 24 Jan	7.45pm	Parents' Forum
Tues, 6 Feb	2.30pm	Fox Class Assembly + "Stay & Share" in the hall
Wed, 7 Feb	2.30pm	Badger Class Assembly + "Stay & Share" in the hall
<b>NB: new entry Date TBC</b>	<b>After school</b>	<b>PTA event – Pancake Day</b>
Fri, 9 Feb	3.00pm	End of half-term – school finishes at normal time, ie, 3.00pm
w/c Mon, 12 Feb	Half-term	
Mon, 19 Feb	8.30am	First day of 2nd ½ of Spring Term
w/c Mon, 26 Feb	Book Week	
Fri, 2 Mar	Mufti day – children to come to school dressed as a book character	
Mon, 5 Mar	3.30pm	Parents' Evening
Thurs, 8 Mar	4.30pm	Parents' Evening
Fri, 9 Mar	2.30pm	Mother's Day Assembly in the hall – all welcome
Mon, 19 Mar	TBC	Farnham Festival – further details to follow
Fri, 23 Mar	Comic Relief Day – further details to follow	
<b>NB: new entry Sun, 25 Mar</b>	<b>PTA event – Bunny Fun Run – further details to follow</b>	
Thurs, 29 Mar	9.00am	Easter Service – further details to follow
	2.00pm	School closes for the Easter break
Mon, 16 Apr	8.30am	First day of the Summer Term

News items for this week:



CADS Panto – don't forget that the CADS panto performances start next week – tickets are available online or from *Miscellanea*.

Roadworks on the Churt Road – we have received a letter from Hampshire Highways regarding roadworks due to start next week on the Churt Road – copy below, FYI.

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION  
REGARDING HIGHWAY WORKS IN  
YOUR STREET.**



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Highways**

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Date Click here to enter a date.

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Dear Sir/Madam

**EH566 – Churt Road, Barford – Drainage improvement works**

Further to my letter of 5<sup>th</sup> January 2018 concerning the drainage improvement works in Churt Road, Barford which are programmed to start on 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2018 and are now expected to last for 13 weeks.

Churt Road will be closed to vehicular traffic in the following phases:

Phase 1 – Kitts Lane to Hammer Lane – 22<sup>nd</sup> January to 13<sup>th</sup> February

Phase 2 – Churt Road junction with Hammer Lane – 14<sup>th</sup> February to 28<sup>th</sup> February

Phase 3 – Hammer Lane to outside 'Fairview' – 1<sup>st</sup> March to 20<sup>th</sup> April.

Access will be maintained to properties within the road closure.

The above timescales are weather dependent, any significant changes to the scheduled dates will be made clear on the yellow sign boards located at the works limits.

In order to help us to complete the work as quickly as possible, please ensure that no vehicles are parked on the road on the days of the resurfacing.

For your safety and that of our workforce, we are unable to guarantee vehicular access to and from your property during working hours. Pedestrian access will always be available.

The surfacing operation uses a separate bitumen layer in addition to the new asphalt carriageway surface. In order to avoid potential injury or damage, please do not walk across the carriageway during the works unless directed by a member of the workforce.

Thank you for your co-operation and, if you need more information regarding these works, please call our contact centre on 0300 555 1388.

Yours faithfully

Operation Resilience



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