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WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents,

Wow!! What a fantastic and busy week, which started with the most amazing school trip to the zoo. It always makes us so proud when your gorgeous children are such a pleasure to take on a trip. They behaved beautifully staying with the adults, being kind and using their manners. It was quite a tiring day for all involved but well worth it to see so many faces light up every time they saw the next animal or a Lego dinosaur! We are adding photographs of the animals seen on our trip to the St John's Facebook page so keep your eyes peeled to see a variety of animals we saw on our visit. To be able to offer such opportunities we do need adult support and we were very lucky to have parents who volunteered to spend the day with us. We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your participation.

This week we have been thinking more about our friendship value and about how important it is to make time for our friends, particularly when they need us. We know that many of our Year 2 pupils are thinking ahead to their new schools; some are celebrating that their friends are going to be near them, many are looking forward to making new friends and a few are managing the idea of not seeing all of their friends as they are moving to different places. A little while ago, when exploring our 'Love and Compassion' value, we introduced a book, 'The Invisible String' that explains how there is always an invisible connection between people that love each other now matter how far apart they are, it might be helpful in supporting the children to deal with friendship changes.

We have also been focusing on friendship as children have been visiting their new classes; they do this half a class at a time so that they get to explore the new classroom with the help of friends from the current class. This also happens as the new children visit our school. Thank you every one for being such amazing role models.

Thank you to those who have already returned your parent questionnaires, they are looking very positive. One more week left for those who haven't done it yet.

Another busy week ahead as year one have a trip to St Ives School to watch a play, more visits to new classes as well as all our usual learning opportunities.

Finally we finish the week enjoying some sunshine.

Mrs Stevens & **Mrs Bliss**
Head of School Executive Head

Our value for this half-term is; **Friendship**

Ecclesiastes 4:9-10 'Two are better than one, if one falls down, his friend can help him up.'

Dates box:

Date	Time	Event
Tuesday 25 June	1.45pm	Year 1 to St.Ives school play
Monday 1 July		Last Sportskids Club
Tuesday 2 July		Year 2 Induction Day at Waverley Abbey & South Farnham schools (further details to follow)
Wednesday 3 July		Last Spanish Club
Saturday 6 July		PTA Summer Party for the grown-ups! Frensham Brewery
Tuesday 9 July		Last Cookie Club
Wednesday 10 July		INSET DAY
Thursday 11 July		Year 2 Sports morning at Waverley Abbey School (further details to follow)
Thursday 11 July		Last Art Club
Tuesday 16 July		School Sports Day & Picnic (further details to follow)
Thursday 18 July		Last Football Club
Friday 19 July		Last Choir
Wednesday 24 July	9.00am —— 2.00pm	Leavers Church service at St John's Church, Churt Last day of Summer term School closes for the summer break

For your information :

The Children's Centre on 01428 644485 or follow the link from our website www.tennysonschilrenscentre.co.uk



CHURT VILLAGE BBQ

**WITH LIVE MUSIC
FROM 6.00PM - 9.00PM**

SATURDAY 29TH JUNE 2019

For Tickets call,
Hugh Trotter 01428 605350
John Brain 01428 712219
Richard Bourne 01252 794810
Julia Deacon 07734 325130
Lisa Margretts 01428 717295
Email: Hughtrotter@hotmail.com
or bruceandemma@btinternet.com

Organised by the Friends of St. John's in aid of
the fabric fund of St. John's Church.

ST. JOHN'S SCHOOL SUMMER PARTY

WHEN
Saturday 6th July
7.30pm – midnight

WHERE
Frensham Brewery
The Tap Room, Pierpoint Home Farm, The Reeds Road,
Farnham, GU10 3BS.

LIVE BAND • FOOD • BAR

ADULT EVENT

TICKETS
£20 per person.
Ticket price includes
entry, live music and
food. Bar drinks are
not included in the
ticket price.

Buy at the School
Reception Desk or
email
nicola@perkinz.co.uk

PARKING
Cars can be parked in
a neighboring field. £5
per car. Can be left
overnight and
collected by 10.00am
next morning.

OR Order your own taxi
to drop off and collect.
There will be a
designated drop off
and collection point.

BENEFITING
Organised by St. John's
PTA to help raise funds
for the school.

DINTON PASTURES

SATURDAY 20th & SUNDAY 21st JULY

MARVELLOUS

2019

the tribute festival



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