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WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents

Welcome back to the Summer Term and to the glorious weather that we are currently experiencing. I hope you had a lovely Easter break and that you are looking forward to the term ahead with the various events that will be taking place.

This week, the children have returned to school and have been launched into Science Week. They have had many opportunities to investigate how they can use their "learning tools" to help them in their learning. This has ranged from investigative skills to persevering in experiments to reach a conclusion. I have been impressed in the way the children have worked collaboratively in their work during science investigations and how they have shown tolerance and respect in taking turns and listening to each other.

School Facebook Page

A new school Facebook page has been launched to promote and celebrate all the activities and events that take place in our school. Please take a look if you have access to this media and let us know what you think.

New Rabbit Class Intake for September

Next week, we look forward to welcoming the new children who have been offered a place at our school in September and their parents to a Storytime Session in the gazebo. It is a lovely opportunity to be able to get to know each other in the Summer Term so that by the time September arrives, families know each other and our school a little more.

Yr 2 Parents' Meeting, Tuesday, 24 April at 2.30pm

A meeting will be held on Tuesday in the school hall to talk about the assessment process for our Yr 2 children. Please come along if you are able and find out how it works.

Parents' Forum, Wednesday, 25 April at 8pm

Please can I remind you that we are looking forward to seeing as many parents as possible at our next Parents' Forum meeting on Wednesday. If you have any questions or topics that you would like to raise at the meeting, please complete the attached form and hand into the office by Monday. We look forward to seeing you.

Sunscreen

Now that the (hopefully!) warmer weather is with us, please don't forget to apply sunscreen before school, and to make sure your child brings a hat and water bottle please.

In the meantime, I hope you'll have a lovely weekend and enjoy the warm weather with your families.

Best wishes

Gillian Morris Headteacher

Dates Box:

Tues, 24 Apr	2.30pm	Yr 2 SATs Talk
Wed, 25 Apr	8.00pm	Parents' Forum
Thurs, 26 Apr	Yr 1 school trip	
	Yr R Weighing & Measuring Programme	
Mon, 7 May	School closed - May Day Bank Holiday	
Fri, 25 May	3.00pm	End of half-term
w/c Mon, 28 May	School closed - half-term holiday week	
Mon, 4 June	School closed - INSET Day	
Tues, 5 June	8.30am	First day of 2nd $\frac{1}{2}$ of Summer Term
Sat, 9 June	TBA but poss 2.00pm?	Churt Village Fete

News items for this week:

<u>Dates for this Term</u> - these have now been finalised and have been emailed to you separately. The website will also be updated to reflect this term's events.

<u>Girls' summer uniform</u> - several people have asked for clarification on the Summer uniform for girls. Please note this is a NAVY blue checked dress (not sky blue), and can be purchased from any store, ie, there is no set style of dress. Please also note that, for ease of toileting, it would be appreciated if you could avoid the new "culottes-style" of dress! Many thanks everyone.

Parents' Forum - as mentioned above, please find below a copy of the reply slip.

Parents' Forum – Wednesday, 25 April, 8pm

To be returned to Mrs Marshall by no later than Monday, 23 April

Name of child:	Yr:
I / we will be attending the Parents' Forum on Wednesday, 25 April I / we would like to raise the following question / query:	YES / NO
Signed:	Date: