

We are all looking forward to a great final week together before a well deserved summer break.

Have a fantastic, sun filled, weekend.

Mr Lincoln, Mr Etherton & the Senior Leadership Team

I. COMMUNICATION

- School Office: the office will remain closed until further notice. <u>YOU MUST NOT ENTER THE SCHOOL</u> FOYER UNLESS YOU HAVE A PRIOR ARRANGEMENT TO DO SO.
- Letters sent out

→ Sports Day: there has been a change to the order of year groups, please see below for correct days:

 Tuesday 20th July:
 AM – UKS2 (Year 5 & 6)
 PM – EYFS (LFN & Rec)

 Wednesday 21st July: AM – KS1 (Year 1 & 2)
 PM – LKS2 (Year 3 & 4)

2. DATES AND UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Sports Days:** Children can wear their PE Kit instead of uniform on their allotted sports day. A big thank you for your understanding regarding our decision to not have parents attending this year.
- Lost Property: we will be putting lost property out on Cherry Tree playground after school on Tuesday 20th July.
- Y6 Leavers Service: Friday 23rd July 1.30pm 2.15pm This will take place outdoors and each child will be able to have a maximum of 2 adults attending.
- Term dates: West Sussex Term Dates for 2021-22 and 2022-23 are available on the West Sussex website: https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/education-children-and-families/schools-and-colleges/school-term-dates/
- **INSET Day:** Thursday 2nd September is an INSET day and school will be closed to pupils. Pupils will be expected to return to school on <u>Friday 3rd September</u>.
- 3. CLUBS: a reminder that after school clubs have now finished for this term with the exception of Premier Sports next Wednesday 21st July who are doing a 'catch up' session.

4. HEALTH & SAFETY - CORONAVIRUS - IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Symptoms: if you or members of your household have symptoms of coronavirus the whole household <u>must</u> <u>immediately</u> go into self-isolation and children in the household should not attend school. Please arrange a test(s) for anyone with the symptoms urgently so that, in the case of a positive test result, contacts of the person can self-isolate promptly to prevent further spread of infection to the wider community.
- Getting tested: <u>https://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test</u> or call 119. If having a home test, please use the test as soon as it arrives and return it in the post the same day using a priority postbox.
- **Positive test result:** please email <u>positivetest@stnm.org.uk</u> to advise us if you receive a positive test result for your child (or yourself if you have been volunteering in school or if you consider that pupils/school staff have been in close contact with you). This will be monitored over weekends and holidays so that prompt action can be taken. <u>Please use this address for this purpose only.</u>

5. WORSHIP & ETHOS

The newest Awesome Assemblies series 'One Another' can be found on the school YouTube site: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCVs 954b4yEOTi5sAhKhGKw

- 6. GIFTS FOR STAFF: could we please ask that any gifts for staff are sent to the school office by the end of the school day on Monday 19th July. We will then quarantine the gifts for 72hrs before passing on to staff. We would like to emphasise that staff do not expect gifts but recognise that some of you would like to give staff a token of appreciation! Thank you.
- 7. MEET THE TEACHER: Earlier this week, the children had the opportunity to meet their new teacher for September. Alongside this, our teachers have made a short video (for each year group) introducing themselves and giving you and the children more information about their new year group. These can be found on the school website https://www.stnicolasmary.w-sussex.sch.uk/page/?title=Pupils&pid=9 Click Pupils and then Key Stage 1 (Years 1 & 2), Lower Key Stage 2 (Years 3 & 4) or Upper Key Stage 2 (Years 4 & 5).

8. READING OVER THE HOLIDAYS

- Reading for Pleasure: a free 30 minute webinar is available for parents keen to develop a love of reading in their children. Register at: https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/1316245699054/WN_KZccBr4jSoqSxLZfp-WD50
- Summer Reading Ideas: do have a look at the list of books recommended by West Sussex the document is on the website with the bulletin Parents & Carers > News & Events > Weekly Bulletin
- Summer Reading Challenge 2021 Wild World Heroes

The Summer Reading Challenge 2021 is now here! We can't wait to introduce you to our brilliant heroes and get you set up on your reading journeyWe're teaming up with WWF for a very special nature-themed Challenge that will inspire you to stand up for the planet! We can't wait to introduce you to our brilliant heroes and get you set up on your reading journey. Take a trip to Wilderville, where the Wild World Heroes are learning how to make their town a cleaner, greener place for all the people and wildlife that live there. As you read books for the Challenge, you'll get to go exploring all over Wilderville, from the woods to the farm and even the beach! With your help, the heroes will transform Wilderville into an even cooler place to be, and will discover lots of

brilliant books along the way! You can take part in the Challenge by signing up at your local library.

It's completely free to sign up! Your library will give you a special Collector Poster map of Wilderville and help you find books to read. As you read books for your Challenge, return to the library to receive stickers to add to your map – some of them even have smells! Collect all the stickers to complete the Challenge and transform



Wilderville.You'll get a special Wild World Heroes certificate too! Go to www.summerreadingchallenge.org.uk for more information.

9. HEALTH & SAFETY: please be aware that some pavements in the area have trip hazards or are damaged so please make sure your children are careful of bumps or dips when cycling/scooting to school.



UP TO 20% OFF SCHOOL UNIFORM NOW UNTIL 31ST JULY 2021!

15% off when you spend over £70* & 20% off when you spend over £100* ends on <u>31st July 2021</u>

To take advantage of these offers please use the online order form link on the school website in the uniform section under Felix Schoolwear or email olsales@felixdancewear.co.uk (10% off all school uniform ends 21/08/2021)

*discount available on school uniform items only. 15% and 20% discounts cannot be used in conjuction with any other offers.



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 - -Make new friends,
 - Complete fun challenges,
- Receive a Balloon and Certificate!

Email: kerry@wannadostreetdance.com for more information Limited spaces available



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All sessions

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government and

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of Covid-19.

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Shoreham (good availability)

Venue: St Nicholas and St Mary Catholic Primary School, Eastern Ave, Shoreham-by-Sea, BN43 6PE.

Dates: 5 - 6 August, 9.45am - 3pm

30-Minute 1:1 Music Lessons

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https://ck-summer-mega-fest-21-ticket-reserve.eventbrite.co.uk

Saturday 7th August link:

https://ck-summer-mega-fest-21-ticket-reserve-day-2.eventbrite.co.uk



2ND-6TH AUCUST 9TH-13TH AUCUST 16TH-20TH AUCUST Time: 9am-3pm

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230 a day or 2100 for

(£80 for W/c 26th Jul

Venue: Durrington High School, BN13 1JX

Worthing Thunder Basketball - Summer Camp 2021

Hi Sussex!

Worthing Thunder are running basketball camps over the summer holidays for all children aged 5 to 16.

The camps are all about having fun, making friends and team building....and you may even learn some cool basketball skills along the way ;)

We are Sussex's only professional basketball club, our team is made up of players from all over the world. We are a really welcoming and inclusive organisation and would love to help make your summer holidays great.

All staff and coaches are fully DBS checked and have years of experience working with children, we are covid compliant and your child's safety is our highest priority.

Attached is a flyer with all the info you will need, times, dates etc. If you are interested and would like any more information please do not hesitate to contact us.

We look forward to seeing you this summer!!

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