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Diary Dates 2018

February

Fri 9th – Non-school uniform day

Break up for half term

Mon 12th – Fri 16th – HALF TERM

Mon 19th – INSET no school for children

Tues 20th – children return to school

Year 5/6 Tag Rugby match at BCP

Weds 21st – Choir rehearsal at Costello school

Weds 28th – Choir rehearsal at Costello school

March

Thurs 1st – World book day

Sat 3rd – Mayor's Charity Concert

Weds 7th – Year 5/6 Tag Rugby match at Bramley

Thurs 8th – Year R to Rushall Farm

Week beginning 12th March –

Parent Consultations

Fri 23rd – Sport Relief Day

INSET Days 2018

Monday 19th February 2018

Monday 23rd July 2018

As we break up for the half term break, I wish you and your families a restful week. Just to remind you that the children return to school on Tuesday 20th February as we have a staff INSET day on Monday 19th.

Mrs A. L. Armstrong
Headteacher

Non-school uniform day

Thank you for supporting this event today. Your generosity has raised a total of £293.67 for Muscular Dystrophy research.

World Book Day

We are taking part in this event by holding a dress up day on Thursday 1st March. Your child (and the staff!) can come to school dressed as a character from a book and the teachers will have prepared a day of book-related activities. Half term will be an ideal time to help your child to think about and choose their favourite character and to plan their costume.

We are looking forward to seeing the variety of characters on the day!

Gardening Club

This will be restarting after school on Wednesdays and is open to Years 1-6 at a cost of £15 for 6 weeks. Spaces are limited so please sign up in the office as soon as possible or see the back of the newsletter for the permission form. The club will start on Wednesday 21st February.

Tree

Over half term we are having some necessary work done in the school grounds. You may well notice when we return to school that the tree next to the footpath/school drive will have been removed. Unfortunately, the tree is splitting in such a way that it is no longer safe and, whilst we are disappointed to lose it, it is essential that we follow the advice of Hampshire Property Services.

Library Book Audit – Help Please!

Over half term we would be very grateful if you would search your homes thoroughly for any school library books. We have a full book audit after half term. All our library books, including those belonging to the school library service, will be checked and we need every book returned in order to complete this huge task. Please help your child to return all their books to school after half term. Their teachers will then organise for their classes to process the books appropriately. Thank you for your help.

PTA Events

The following events are planned for the rest of this term;

Wednesday 6th March – Movie Night

Thursday 29th March – School Discos

Please put these dates on your calendar.



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Gardening Club – Wednesdays 15:30 – 16:30, starting on Wednesday 21st February

I would like _____ in _____ class to participate in gardening club.

Arrangements for getting home for after school clubs:

- I will pick my child up after the club.
- They will be going home with somebody else – please state
- They can walk home on their own. (KS2 only)
- They will be going to Starlings.

If there are any changes to these arrangements at any time, please notify the school.

Signed: _____ Date _____