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NUTFIELD CHURCH (C OF E) PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Splendour and majesty are before him; strength and joy are in his dwelling place.

Dear Parents and Carers,

Transition Day/Staffing update

We are already looking forward to 2024/25 and wanted you to know who your child's teachers will be next year as soon as possible. Next week, we will be having our Transition afternoon where the children get to be with their new teachers in their new classrooms. The idea of Transition afternoon is to give the children time with their new teacher/s and to be able to explore their new learning environment. Children with particular needs will have had or will be given additional visits. We aim that all our children have the opportunity to feel 'Happy and Safe' and so each child's needs will be carefully considered.

Staffing 2024 - 2025

EYFS – Mrs Brooks and Mrs Kendall

- Year 1 Miss Gibbins with Mrs O'Hanlon, Mrs Vaughey and Mrs Fowler
- Year 2 Mrs Boyle and Mrs Blewitt with Miss Murray
- Year 3 Mrs Cordey with Mrs Hargreaves-McCallum
- Year 4 Mrs Rutter with Mrs Oastler, Miss Lindsey and Mrs Vaughey
- Year 5 Miss Mitchell with Mrs Ross
- Year 6 Mr Bowen with Mrs Baber

Ark

An opportunity has arisen for a morning only Play Worker in our before school club Ark. The hours are Monday to Friday from 7:45am – 8:45am. To find out more, and to see our other vacancies, please visit <u>our website</u>. Please share these with anyone who may be looking for positions and wanting to join a committed, supportive and welcoming staff team.

Autumn Term 2024 Clubs

Details of internal (teacher led) clubs will be published in our first newsletter in September. Our external club leaders and coaches will contact you in due course in the usual manner.

Relationships Education, Relationships and Sex Education (RSE) and Health Education

As part of Relationships Education, Relationships and Sex Education (RSE) and Health Education we hold annual, 'Relationship and Sex' lessons, where we teach the children about a range of aspects including living, growing, relationships and family. We refer to these lessons to the children as 'Relationship Lessons'. These lessons will take place in the week of $8^{th} - 12^{th}$ July. We follow the Discovery Education scheme of work. This focuses on suitable content which progresses through the year groups at an age appropriate level. Lessons are delivered in class by your child's class teacher. Please see the letter attached with further information.

P.E Kit's

Thank you to those of you that completed our recent form regarding P.E ready days. The majority of you voted in favour of children coming in to school in their P.E kits on their P.E days. We did receive lots of additional comments which are invaluable and the staff and I will be reviewing and discussing these in Monday's staff meeting. We will update you soon.

Price and Buckland uniform ordering - cut off date

Our supplier of school uniform, Price and Buckland kindly request that all orders are placed no later than 1st August to ensure delivery of the uniform before the start of the new school year. For those parents that choose to have uniform delivered into school, the cut-off date is 23rd June. Please refer to the attached information for details on how to order and the schedule for the rest of the year.

Year 5 trip to Mercers Lake

A few weeks ago Y5 went to Mercers Lake as part of our wider PE and sports curriculum. The class did really well having the opportunity to try out a variety of water sports including; dinghy sailing, kayaking, paddle boarding, raft building and windsurfing. Mrs Benjamin said that she was really proud of them all. The weather wasn't as glorious as it is now however, the class did really well in some interesting weather conditions. We think the PE curriculum offer of getting outside is really important helping the children build skills as they journey through the school. The swimming in Year 3 as well as the swimming at home has been a real help in this trip. The visit to High Ashurst last year in Y4 also prepared them well. Many of them love being outside and were able to tackle their new experiences with confidence. The class all used the skills they have learnt not only in school but at home really well. Well done Year 5, we are all proud of you. Next stop – High Ashurst!

Internet Safety

Across the school children have been busy learning about how to keep themselves safe online; being careful not to give out personal information when they are chatting or posting online. Children in Key Stage 1 have learnt that personal information can be anything from your email address or phone number to the name of your pets (commonly used passwords). The children in Key Stage 2 have learnt that accepting emails, messages, texts, images or opening files from people you don't know can lead to problems as they may contain viruses or be nasty messages.

We have updated our website's online safety page to include some handy guides for popular apps! These guides and any extra information can be viewed here: <u>https://nutfieldchurchprimary.co.uk/online-safety/</u>

If you have any concerns or would like to know more, please don't hesitate to speak to us. You can find out more about how children use social media, the apps they use, the risks they face, how to use privacy settings, and advice and tips about how to talk to your children at:

- <u>www.internetmatters.org</u>
- www.nspcc.org.uk/onlinesafety
- <u>www.parentzone.org.uk</u>
- <u>https://parentzone.org.uk/advice/parent-guides</u>
- <u>www.askaboutgames.com</u>
- childline.org.uk/info-advice/bullying-abuse-safety/online-mobile-safety/online-gaming/
- internetmatters.org/resources/online-gaming-advice/
- <u>childnet.com/resources/</u>

Art Exhibition

We are looking forward to seeing everybody at our art exhibition on Monday and Tuesday. Please do come along, the children's work is up on display and they will be really excited to share it with you.

Summer Garden Party – A message from the PTFA

Our fabulous Summer Garden Party is only one week away on Saturday 6th July with gates opening at 12 noon. We are hoping for lovely weather so please join us. We have plenty of fun for all the family including; Rainbow hamper raffle, inflatables, tug of war, tombola's, food and drink stalls and much more. If you are coming and could spare a little time please do volunteer to help on your class stall - the event cannot run without your help and we are quite light on volunteers so far this year. We look forward to seeing you all and raising another fantastic sum of money for the school.

Surrey Arts

If you are looking to introduce your child to learning an instrument, Surrey Arts are offering a free trial. Further details can be found on the attached flyer.

We wish you a restful weekend with your families and look forward to seeing you all in school on Monday 1st July.

Art Exhibition	Monday 1 st July – 1.30pm-4.30pm
Art Exhibition	Tuesday 2 nd July – 3.15pm-4.30pm
Open Evening	Tuesday 2 nd July – 3.15pm-4.30pm
Welcome to School Meeting	Wednesday 3 rd July 2.00pm-3.00pm
Wellbeing Wednesday (Yr 5)	Wednesday 3 rd July
Reserve Sports Day	Thursday 4 th July 1.15pm-3.15pm
Year 1 Wisley Trip	Friday 5 th July
PTFA Summer Garden Party	Saturday 6 th July -12.00pm-3.00pm
Summer Concert	Tuesday 9 th July 6.00pm-7.00pm
Wellbeing Wednesday (Yr R)	Wednesday 10 th July
SDBE Year 6 Leavers' Service	Wednesday 10 th July
Year 6 Production – dress rehearsal	Friday 12 th July– 2.00pm-3.00pm
Year 6 Production	Monday 15 th July– 6.00pm-7.00pm
Year 6 Production	Tuesday 16 th July– 6.00pm-7.00pm
Wellbeing Wednesday (Yr R)	Wednesday 17 th July
Leavers' Service Christchurch	Friday 19 th July – 9.30am
INSET Day 2023-24	Monday 22 nd July 2024
INSET Day 2023-24	Tuesday 23 rd July 2024
INSET Day 2024-25	Monday 2 nd September 2024
INSET Day 2024-25	Tuesday 3 rd September 2024
INSET Day 2024-25	Friday 25 th October 2024
INSET Day 2024-25	Monday 2 nd June 2025
INSET Day 2024-25	Friday 4 th July 2025