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NUTFIELD CHURCH (C OF E) PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Mark Chapter 12 verse 33

And you must love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbour as yourself.

Dear Parents and Carers,

SATS

I am pleased to say that our Year 6 children have managed their SATS tests very well this year. I was delighted that they all seemed so calm. Well done to their parents and carers who had clearly prepared them well. Naturally, Year 6 won top attendance with 100% for the entire week. Thank you to Miss Best and Miss Baber and all who were involved in the details around the week itself. I am very grateful to them all for being so careful with each child's individual needs.

Multiplication Tables Check

The Y4 MTC will take place between **Tuesday 2nd June and Friday 12th June**. We will aim to do all of the checks within the first week. Each morning, Mr Bowen will take a small group down to the Southwark Room to complete the check on the iPads, the whole process usually takes no longer than 10 minutes. It would be greatly appreciated if you could encourage your child to practise their times tables at home using the Purple Mash program.

Phonics

Our Year 1's will be undertaking their statutory phonics check the week commencing Monday 8th June. Miss Pyle, Mrs Brooks and the Year 1 team have been very encouraged by their recent assessments and we are looking forward to seeing how they perform. If you have any questions about these phonics checks, do feel free to ask.

Year 5 visit to Christ's Hospital

On Wednesday 13th May four children from Year 5 had the unique opportunity to attend a Performing Arts Day hosted by Christ's Hospital Independent School in Horsham. During the course of the day the children participated in four workshops including: puppetry, drama, dance and music. Each workshop was led by a specialist teacher in the school's purpose-built theatre, rehearsal rooms and music rooms. The children learnt so much through this experience helping to develop and deepen their passion for the performing arts.



The whole day was incredibly special from witnessing the school's famous band procession, observing the students of Christ's Hospital around the campus in their iconic uniform which is one of the school's most public and enduring features, the outer long blue coat and distinctive yellow socks have remained virtually unchanged for over 470 years. The children greatly enjoyed having lunch in the grand dining hall adorned with paintings of royalty and former Headteachers.

The highlight, was of course their participation in each of the workshops which they relished. Each of our pupils proudly represented Nutfield Church Primary and their families behaving impeccably, engaging fully throughout the day and making the very most of this event. In addition, I am sure they will have made some very special memories which they will carry with them for years to come.

As part of their philanthropic approach to education CH run a scholarship program. If any child in the current Year 5 cohort were interested in joining Christ's Hospital for **Year 7 entry in 2027**, they would be delighted to receive an application from them. Please see below link to apply, the deadline to complete and submit the registration form is **Friday 18 September 2026**.

[Apply for a place - Christ's Hospital](#)

If you would like to visit the school ahead of applying, they will be holding an Open Morning on **Saturday 12 September 2026**, which would be the perfect opportunity to see the variety of subjects they have at Christ's Hospital. To book a place at the Open Morning, please [click here](#).

[Wellbeing Newsletter](#)

Please find attached our Spring 2026 edition of our termly Wellbeing Newsletter. The purpose of this newsletter is to share with the school community what we have been up to over the last term and to continue to promote the importance of wellbeing for all; both mentally and physically. We hope you enjoy reading about what we have been up to!

[Ark Booking Reminder](#)

A reminder that applications for Ark for 2026/27 will open at 6:00 PM on Wednesday, 3rd June 2026 and places can be booked by clicking [here](#). As always, places go very quickly and are allocated in the order they come in.

[Parent Questionnaire reminder](#)

It is that time of the year again where we ask for your views on our school. Your thoughts and feedback are invaluable and we kindly ask for as many of you to complete this as possible. Please click [here](#) to access the survey. If you could complete this by Friday 5th June, that would be greatly appreciated.

[School Uniform Ordering](#)

Please be reminded that if you are planning on ordering any school uniform for the next academic year, this should be done by 1st August 2026. Please click [here](#) to place your orders or scan the QR code on the attached leaflet.

[Let's Go Kid's Club](#)

Let's Go Kid's Club are very excited to be returning to Nutfield Church Primary School this May half term. The club will run from 8.30am until 3.30pm on Tuesday the 26th, Wednesday the 27th and Thursday the 28th of May. Want to come and join the fun? It's not too late to book your child's spot! Please click [here](#) to book your child's place.


[Dunottar School](#)

Dunottar School would like to invite families in Year 5 to join them for an Activities Morning on Saturday 6th June 2026. This event is for families considering Year 7 entry in September 2027 who have not already secured a place through the Year 5 pathway.

[The Mystery of the Missing Headmaster](#)

 Dunottar School

 6th June

 9:00am – 11:30am

Can your child crack the case? In this exciting team challenge where pupils work together to solve the mystery of the missing Headmaster - using logic, creativity, and teamwork. It's an immersive and engaging experience that reflects our Warrior Learning approach in action.

The event provides a wonderful opportunity for pupils to:

- Experience Dunottar's dynamic and collaborative learning environment
- Meet staff and other prospective pupils
- Build confidence and problem-solving skills in a fun setting

To enrol your child and attend this event, please register them onto the next entrance Pathway by Wednesday 28th May by clicking [here](#).

[South East Surrey Dyslexia Association](#)

The South East Surrey Dyslexia Association are running a support evening for parents on Wednesday 3rd June. Further details can be found on the attached poster.

Headteacher's Comment

We'd like to say a huge thank you to parents across the school for your generous support this half term. Thank you to everyone who has donated uniform. Your kindness makes a real difference, especially for families of pupils in Year 6 who understandably, don't want to buy new uniform for the short time their child has left with us.

Thank you to the parents who have purchased items from our Amazon Wishlist. A small core group have kindly bought items month after month and their steady support keeps classrooms and Ark, resourced and helps our pupils learn. A special thank you to the Reception parents who recently dropped in a beautiful wooden kitchen and other role-play items. It was perfectly timed; our current resources were very well used and your donation will be loved by the children.

We're also very grateful to all the families who have chosen Nutfield as their preferred school. This year has been especially busy with a record number of sibling applications, and it has been lovely to talk with so many parents who are excited for younger siblings to join our school community.

Your generosity and trust help us live our vision, to enable every pupil to "live life in all its fullness" (John 10:10). If you have items you'd like to donate or would like to know how to support the school, please speak to the school office.

Mrs Farray-Green
Headteacher

DIARY DATES

Summer Term	
INSET Day	Monday 1 st June
Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check	Monday 1 st June-Friday 12 th June
Year 3 Swimming	Tuesday 2 nd -Friday 12 th June
Year R Wellbeing Wednesday	Wednesday 3 rd June
PTFA Non-Uniform Day – Sweets and Bottles for Summer Garden Party	Friday 5 th June
Year 1 Phonics Screening Check	W/C Monday 8 th June
Year 2 Wellbeing Wednesday	Wednesday 10 th June
Year 5 – Activity Days - Aqua Sports	Wednesday 10 th June
Year 5 – Activity Days - Aqua Sports	Thursday 11 th June
Year 5 – Activity Days - Aqua Sports	Friday 12 th June
PTFA Year 1 Cake Sale	Friday 12 th June- 3.15pm-3.45pm
PTFA Summer Garden Party	Saturday 13 th June
Year 2 Rosie Revere Tour – Tower Bridge	Monday 15 th June
Year 6 Sparkfish Transition Workshop	Tuesday 16 th June
Year R Wellbeing Wednesday	Wednesday 17 th June
SSA Parent and Carer review meetings	W/C Monday 22 nd June
EYFS Collective Worship	Wednesday 24 th June
Year 1 Wellbeing Wednesday	Wednesday 24 th June
'Welcome to EYFS' meeting	Wednesday 24 th June 2.00-3.00pm
Reports to Parents and Carers	Wednesday 24 th June
Year 3 Visit to Christ Church	Wednesday 24 th June
Happy School Bag Collection	Thursday 25 th June
Sports Day	Thursday 25 th June
Year TBC Wellbeing Wednesday	Wednesday 1 st July
'Welcome To School' meeting	Wednesday 1st July 2.00-3.00pm
Transition Day	Wednesday 1 st July
Reserve Sports Day	Thursday 2 nd July 1.15pm-3.15pm
INSET DAY	Friday 3 rd July

Art Exhibition	Monday 6 th July – 1.30-4.15pm
Art Exhibition	Tuesday 7 th July – 3.15-4.15pm
Open Evening	Tuesday 7 th July – 3.15-4.15pm
Year TBC Wellbeing Wednesday	Wednesday 8 th July
Summer Concert	Thursday 9 th July 6.00-7.00pm
SDBE Leavers Service	Friday 10 th July
PTFA Year R Cake Sale	Friday 10 th July – 3.15pm-3.45pm
Year 6 Production – dress rehearsal	Monday 13 th July 2023 – 2.00pm-3.00pm
Year 6 Production	Tuesday 14 th July 2023 – 6.00pm-7.00pm
Year TBC Wellbeing Wednesday	Wednesday 15 th July
Year 6 Production	Wednesday 15 th July 2023 – 6.00pm-7.00pm
Year 2 visit to Woking Mosque	Wednesday 15 th July
Year 2 Loveworks – Afternoon tea	Thursday 16 th July – 1.30pm – 3.00pm
Leavers' Service Christchurch	Friday 17 th July – 9.30am
No Ark after school club	Wednesday 22 nd July

2026/2027	
INSET Day 1	Tuesday 1 st September 2026
INSET Day 2	Monday 7 th June 2027
INSET Day 3	Monday 26 th July 2027
INSET Day 4	Tuesday 27 th July 2027
INSET Day 5	Wednesday 28 th July 2027