SANDRINGHAM NEWS

Nurture Enrich Inspire

Friday 22nd April 2022



Message from Mrs Money

Welcome back to the Summer term. I hope that you all had a wonderful break with your families and that you enjoyed the glorious weather. It is lovely to see the children coming back in their summer uniform and I am hoping that the sun continues to shine. A reminder that summer dresses are dark green with white socks and that all hair accessories are in school colours please. Also, a very warm welcome back to Mrs McClelland, who is in the final few months of her SCITT teaching and has spent the last half term gaining experience at another local school.

Timetable review

We have reviewed our timetable for this term to include additional phonics teaching and maths fluency sessions across the whole school. Please arrive promptly by 8.50am as phonics teaching starts at 9am. The side gates will close at 8.50am to enable teachers to be back to the classroom ready to start promptly. If you need to have an in-depth conversation with the class teachers please contact the office to arrange a more convenient time.

Drop off/pick up

Drop off and pick up arrangements will continue as before Easter. The one-way system will remain in place (exiting via the car park gates). If you choose not to follow this system please be mindful of other families entering through the green pedestrian gate. If you are in a hurry to drop and go in the morning please can I ask that you arrive early rather than go straight to the front of the line. I have had reports from frustrated parents who have waited in line only to observe families ignoring this system and going straight to the front ahead of them. Thank you for your support.

FRIENDS meeting - Tuesday 26th April - 8pm - via Zoom

At this meeting we will be deciding if we are able to hold a school family summer event. This is entirely dependant on volunteers so please attend if you are able to help on the proposed date of Saturday 25th June. Please ask at the school office for Zoom meeting log details.

Parents evenings

We are looking forward to welcoming you to our parent's evenings next week. Please enter via the side of the school and wait outside your child's classroom. Meetings will be held with one family at a time in the classroom and the teacher will let you know when they are ready for you. While you are waiting, your children's learning books will be available for you to enjoy.

Sponsored 'Bunny Hop'

The children had a wonderful time hopping around the mile track after the white rabbit (AKA Mrs Thomas!) Thank you to you all...this raised an incredible £1442 for school funds.

Easter Trail

Thank you to the FRIENDS committee for organising the Easter trail around the local area. Congratulations to the prize winners who were pulled at random today from the entries. 1st and 2nd prizes of a book voucher went to Sophie Lambert and Jessie Webb. Runners up prizes went to Archie Waygood and Cruz Frasco.

Wishing you all a relaxing weekend.

PLEASE REMEMBER

SCHOOL TIMINGS

8.50 am - 3.10pm Gates open at 8.40am. Please ensure that you drop and collect your children promptly.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Please contact the office if you would like your child to join any of our after-school clubs.

Monday - Boogie Pumps Tuesday - Football Wednesday - Gym Thursday - Multi Sports Friday - Active Play

LOST PROPERTY

Please label ALL items of clothing and ask your child's teacher or at the office if you are missing anything.

INSET DAYS

Friday 27th May Thursday 21st July Friday 22nd July

LAST DAY OF SUMMER TERM - WEDS 20th JULY 1.30pm



DIARY DATES - Summer Term 1

Monday 25th April - Parents Evening 3.30-6pm (School and Nursery)

Tuesday 26th April - Parents Evening 12.45-2.45pm (just Nursery)

Wednesday 27th April - Parents Evening 3.30-6pm (School and Nursery)

Monday 2nd May - Bank Holiday Monday

Tuesday 3rd May - Year 1 and Year 2 report portal opens
- Wonderful Writers Week - in school event

Wednesday 4th May - Owls Parent Lunch at 12pm

Monday 9th May - Happy Bags Collection

Wednesday 18th May - Hedgehogs Parent Assembly - 9.10am

Friday 20th May - World Bee Day - visit from a local beekeeper

Monday 23rd May - Royal Jubilee Celebration Week!

Wednesday 25th May - Squirrels Parent Lunch at 12pm

Thursday 26th May - Royal Street Party - more details to follow - End of Term at 3.10pm

Friday 27th May - INSET DAY - school closed to children

DIARY DATES - Summer Term 2

Monday 6th June - First day back to school

Week commencing 6th June - Feeling Good Week

Year 1 phonics screening week

Thursday 16th June - Year 1 trip to Hobbledown

Friday 17th June - Father's Day assemblies - 9.15 - Year 1 / 2 10 - Nursery / Reception

Wednesday 22nd June - Moles parent assembly - 9.10am

Week commencing 27th June - Amazing Artists week

Tuesday 28th June - Reception 2022 induction meeting - 6pm

Wednesday 29th June - Moving up day - children go to new classes for the morning. (Year 2 moving up to Junior school days may be different)

Wednesday 6th July - Reception trip to Bocketts farm

Friday 8th July - Sports Day

Sunday 10th July - Frimley Green Carnival

Monday 11th July - Reports home to parents/guardians - all year groups

Wednesday 13th July - Year 2 leavers play to parents - 9.30

Thursday 14th July - Open school celebration - 3.30-5pm

Friday 15th July - Reserve sports day

Friday 15th July - School disco

Wednesday 20th July - End of the summer term - 1.30pm

HOLIDAY ABSENCE

With the summer holidays only a few months away many of you are thinking about booking your family holiday.

There are 200 days in the school year and 165 days when your children are at home. Please help us to ensure that your child gains the most out of their time at Sandringham by ensuring that holidays and trips are booked out of term time.

Please see the statement below from Surrey regarding penalty notices.

Just to remind parents/carers that if they take their children out of school without authority for 5 or more days (which do not need to be consecutive), they will be liable to receive a penalty notice. Currently the amount payable under a penalty notice is £60.00 per parent/carer per child if paid within 21 days. Thereafter the amount increases to £120.00 if paid between 21 and 28 days. If the penalty notice remains unpaid after 28 days, the Local Authority will consider a prosecution in the Magistrates Court. Please note that penalty notices are issued per parent/carer per child so a family of two parents and two children will receive 4 penalty notices.

