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Dear Parents,

Details of the events for the last few days of term....

TOMORROW - TUESDAY 20TH JULY

WELLY MORNING & PICNIC

Children should wear wellies and wear old gardening clothes. They should bring shoes for the afternoon. **NO SCHOOL UNIFORM.**

They must bring a sun-hat and wear sun cream.

They may also need a waterproof coat as we will be outside whatever the weather. ☺

We are also having party food for lunch. Children should bring 'food to share' for a picnic lunch.

We would suggest the following party food for lunch:

Class R - biscuits

Class 1 - sausages/party savouries

Class 2 - sandwiches/wraps

Class 3 - fruit (pre-prepared please)

Class 4 - crisps/breadsticks

Class 5 - puddings/cakes

Class 6 - vegetables (pre-prepared please) e.g. carrots, celery pepper sticks etc.

Thursday 22 nd July - 2pm	Leavers Service at St. Peter's, Westhampnett - Year 6 parents welcome
Friday 23 rd July	END OF TERM
Friday 3 rd September	Autumn term begins

Please note that instrument lessons and all clubs (except Fencing) have now finished for the term.

Summer Fair

Many thanks to all who attended the recent Summer Fair. Particular thanks to the Friends, led by Justine Howard and Fiona Ellis, who organised such a fantastic event which raised over £1400 for school funds. The weather was glorious and the day was enjoyed by everyone - all in all a great success!



This has been a busy but enjoyable year with many events and activities across all classes:

New kitchen completed and hot meals now served
Year 6 attend Goodwood Revival Meeting, 1940s day in school
Family Learning event - KNEX
Happy Puzzle Day
Year 3 to Marwell Zoo
Cycling Proficiency for Yr 6
Year R to Eartham Woods
Year 4 to Weald & Downland Museum
Year 1 to Seeley Copse
Year 2 to Fishbourne Roman Palace
Year 6 to Anne Frank exhibition at Chichester Cathedral
Year 2 - Roman Day - Paul Ullson
Year 6 to Bishop Luffa - ICT
Year 5 - Saxon Day - Paul Ullson
Year 3 India Day
SNOW!!

Year 3 visit to Hampton Court
Year R & 2 - Theatre visit
Farmhouse Breakfast Morning
Raised over £1000 for Haiti
Paul Ullson (Chichester Museum) with Year 4 - Egyptians session
Year 5 performance 'Enchanted Voices' at Festival Theatre
Paul Ullson (Chichester Museum) with Year 6 - Viking Craft session
Year 5 to 'Safety & Me' event
Sport Relief - run/walk the mile
'Joseph & the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat' by Years 3 & 4
Year 4 & 5 to British Museum
Year 1 to Weald & Downland Museum & Goodwood Home Farm

Year R to Gaston Farm
Year 6 to Chichester Cathedral - Environmental Workshop
Year R to Cowdray Park
Year 2 Goodwood Area School Singing Morning @ Tangmere
Year 6 to Fairthorne Manor
Year 1 to Selsey Lifeboat Station
Year 2 - Paul Ullson visit - 'Knights & Damsels'
Year 3 to Pulborough Brooks Sports Day
Year 5 - Visit to East Head
Year R - Paul Ullson visit - Pirates
Year 6 to Levin Down
Year 2 to Arundel Castle

PLUS THE DAY TO DAY LEARNING AND LIVING TOGETHER!!

As I move on from the March I wish pay tribute to the outstanding staff team here and thank them for their support and dedication to the school. With the support of parents, together with the governors and the enthusiasm and eagerness of the pupils, I am sure that the school will go from strength to strength in future years - I shall watch developments with interest!

Have a great summer break ready to return, refreshed and relaxed on 3rd September!

Yours sincerely,

Christopher Todd
Headteacher