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# "The Splash!"

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## **SCHOOL NEWS**

**Meet the teacher evening** – Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> September – come along at either 6pm or 6.45pm to meet your child's teacher, and hear their plans and expectations for the year.

There is a **meeting** on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> September at 2.45pm for the **parents** of Yr 6 children who are going to the **Isle of Wight**.

Mrs Young, the Headteacher of **Chailey School**, is coming on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> October to meet parents of year 6 children, and answer any questions they may have. This will be in the music room at 3pm.

Many thanks to those who took part or helped out in the making of the **film about local food in Forest Row**. The half-hour film will be shown in the Village Hall on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> October at 8 p.m. and will be followed by a discussion. Below is a link to the Transition Forest Row website, with more details.

<http://transitionforestrow.ning.com/events/film-growing-food-locally>

## **CLUBS**

In future when you pick your child up from a club it will be from the fire exit of the classroom they are based in. This will enable the cleaners to do their job without anyone slipping on a mopped floor for example, and as the office is not manned from 4.00 it will avoid people waiting at the front entrance waiting to be let into the building. The following is a list of the classrooms where the children will be dismissed from:

Monday	Art Internet café	Ash IT Room	Ash classroom fire door Door beside Willow classroom
Tuesday	Dance Gardening	Hall	Hall fire escape Garden area
Wednesday	Dance Art	Hall Resource area	Hall fire escape Door beside Rowan classroom
Thursday	Chess	Hall	Hall fire escape

If it is raining the area outside reception is a covered area where you can shelter.

If for any reason your child is to walk home after a club we must have a letter instructing us to allow them to do so.

## **KITCHEN NEWS**

Would children having packed lunch please bring the appropriate cutlery with them to eat their lunch, ie, teaspoons for yogurts/jelly, fork for pasta etc.

## **PTA NEWS**

The PTA would like to welcome you all to an informal gathering to talk about the fast approaching Christmas Fayre and generally have a natter. Join us on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> September from 1pm at the Baptist Church. There will be tea and cake and a play area for your pre-schoolers. It would be fantastic to see some new faces with new, fresh ideas.

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> October will be childrens' discos and the Christmas Fayre is on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> December.

## **COMMUNITY NEWS**

**SWIM SCHOOL' at BRAMBLETYE** - If you are looking for a small, friendly Swim School for your child to have swimming lessons, there is one on Tuesday evenings [term time] at Brambletye School. Your child must already be able to swim a little on both front and back, and be aged between 6 and 11 years. He/she will improve his/her swimming and develop good stroke skills. For more information, if you are interested, phone Les or Sheila on 01342 834749.

**Forest Row Bike Ride** – the Annual Village bike ride will be on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> October. It is for children and parents and the route visits all the different schools in Forest Row, as well as Tablehurst Farm, Weirwood reservoir, the old railway, Sports Pavilion etc. Entrants have a form which is stamped at each station, although there is no set route, and cyclists can start wherever they like. Participation is free, and stamping stations are manned from 9.30 – 12.00 and from 2.00 – 4.00. During the lunch break there is a silent film accompanied with live music in the village hall, and at 4pm there will be prize giving on the Green.

We have been asked to provide volunteers to man the stamping station outside school on the day, and also to provide cake and/or biscuits for the prize giving. Please let the Office know if you are able to help with either of these.

## **Updated Calendar**

### **September**

Wednesday	1st	INSET for staff
Thursday	2nd	School re-opens for pupils - start of Term 1
Monday	6th	East Sussex Music Service music lessons start
Friday	10th	Choir taster session 2.15pm
Monday	13th	After school clubs start (unless otherwise told)
Tuesday	21st	Isle Of Wight Parent Information talk 2.45pm
Wednesday	22nd	Meet the teacher evening 6pm and 6.45pm - all classes
Thursday	23rd	Sackville School open evening
Friday	24th	Cake and catch up PTA, Baptist Church 1pm

### **October**

Friday	1st	Harvest festival service at Holy Trinity Church 10am
Saturday	2nd	Forest Row Bike Ride
Monday	4th	Year 6 to Isle of Wight all week
Tuesday	5th	Head of Chailey to talk to yr 6 parents 3pm
Thursday	7th	Chailey School open evening
Monday	11th	Chailey School open morning 9.15 - 11.30am
Friday	15th	School Discos PTA
Friday	22nd	End of Term 1
Monday	25th	Holiday all week

### **November**

Monday	1st	INSET for staff
Tuesday	2nd	School re-opens for pupils - start of Term 2
Wednesday	3rd	Swimming starts for Sycamore class - tbc
Monday	8th	Individual school photographs - <b>changed date</b>
Monday	15th	Scholastic Book Fair this week
Tuesday	16th	Parent/Teacher consultation evening 4 - 6pm
Thursday	18th	Parent/Teacher consultation evening 6 - 8pm