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NEWSLETTER – January 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy New Year and welcome back to the Spring 2024 term. I hope that you had an enjoyable break with your children.

There is still so much illness around. If your child has a fever, please do not send them to school, even if it goes with paracetamol. A fever is a sign that there is some kind of infection and paracetamol just masks this so as soon as the paracetamol wears off, they feel unwell again. The only way we can break this cycle of illness is to ensure that children are only here if they are well enough. A reminder as well - in cases of stomach bugs, children must be off for 48 hours after the last episode. Thank you for your support in this matter.

With regards

Mrs Sally Dreckmann

Christmas Shop

Thank you to those parents who helped at the Christmas Shop on Friday 8th December. The children loved buying their gifts and an amazing £236.00 was raised. Please look on our website as there are a number of photographs of the children enjoying the Christmas festivities including a visit by a 'special person' on the last day of term and a visit by the Bognor bell ringers.



Christmas Concert Collections/Christmas Tree Festival

A big thank you to everyone who gave so generously to our Christmas concert collections. We raised £340.95 which we have sent to Mount Noddy Animal Centre and to the local branch of Family Support Work.

Some of the donations from the Year 1 concert was also given to St Richard's Church, following the Christmas Tree Festival on 10th December. It was lovely to see so many families at the Church Service and we were delighted to receive first prize in the People's Choice Award for our decorated Christmas Tree. Thank you to Ivan Bull for donating the tree and for his help in transporting it to and from the Church. After the service, we raffled the tree, which was won by Thea in Hedgehog Class.



Christmas Jumper Day

We had a lovely day on Wednesday 13th December wearing our Christmas jumpers to school. We raised £188.30 which we have sent to the "Save the Children Fund" appeal.



Before/After School Clubs

Just a reminder that all clubs will be starting back during the week commencing 8th January. Further information is available from the school office.

Transfer to Juniors and Starting School Forms

Monday 15th January is the deadline for applications for transfer to Junior School and also Starting School Admissions for the September 2024 Reception intake. Please ensure you have completed this on-line application if relevant to you.

Parent Consultations

We are planning to hold parent consultation appointments during the weeks commencing 5th and 19th February. We will be going back to sign up sheets for appointments this term while we look into electronic sign-up systems in the future.

Henry Adams Christmas Competition

Many congratulations to Lelo in Oak Class for her winning entry in the Henry Adams design a recycled Christmas decoration competition. Dee from Henry Adams had the difficult job of choosing a winning entry at a special assembly on Thursday 7th December. Well done to everyone who took part in the competition - we were blown away with the amount of entries and the lovely designs. They all looked amazing!



Parking

We are still receiving complaints from local residents about inconsiderate parking at the start and end of the school day. Please can you avoid parking across residents' driveways and in the residents' parking area in Hawkins Close. Thank you.

Parent Governor Vacancy

Details have recently been sent out regarding a current vacancy for a Parent Governor. If you are interested in standing for election, please can you return the nomination form to the school office by 12 noon on Thursday 18th January. We would like to express our thanks to Mrs Diane Thas and Mrs Laura Hearn who are standing down from the Governing Body.

And finally - if anyone has any children's comics or magazines they could donate for the school library, we would really appreciate it.

Dates for your Diary - more details to follow (New dates in **Red**)

| Event | Date | Time |
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| Start of Spring Term | Wednesday 3 rd January | |
| Parent Consultation Week | w/c 5 th February and 19 th February (more details to follow) | |
| Welcome Wednesday | Wednesday 7 th February | 2.30 pm |
| Inset Day | Friday 9 th February | |
| Half Term | 12 th - 16 th February | |
| Maths Week | w/c 11 th March | |
| Book Fair | Monday 4 th March | 3pm |
| Red Nose Day (non uniform) | Friday 15th March | |
| Welcome Wednesday | Wednesday 27 th March | 2.30 pm |
| Easter holidays | 29 th March - 12 th April | |
| Start of Summer Term | Monday 15 th April | |

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| Class Photos (re-arranged date from 15 th May) | Thursday 25 th April | am |
| Creative Week | w/c 29 th April | |
| Bank Holiday | Monday 6 th May | |
| Welcome Wednesday | Wednesday 15 th May | 2.30 pm |
| Walk to School Week | w/c 20 th May | |
| Reception Sports Morning | Monday 20 th May followed by picnic lunch | 10.30 am |
| Year 2 Sports Morning | Wednesday 22 nd May followed by picnic lunch | 10.45 am |
| Year 1 Sports Morning | Thursday 23 rd May followed by picnic lunch | 10.45 am |
| Half Term | 27 th - 31 st May | |
| Inset Day | Monday 3 rd June | |
| Phonics Testing Week | w/c 10 th June | |
| Sports Week | w/c 17 th June | |
| Reserve Reception Sports Morning | Monday 24 th June followed by picnic lunch | 10.30 am |
| Reserve Year 1 Sports Morning | Thursday 27 th June followed by picnic lunch | 10.45 am |
| Reserve Year 2 Sports Morning | Friday 28 th June followed by picnic lunch | 10.45 am |
| Transition Day | Wednesday 3 rd July | All day |
| Summer Fair | tbc | |
| School Reports to go home | Friday 5 th July | |
| Welcome Wednesday/Open Afternoon | Wednesday 10 th July | 2.15 - 3.15 pm |
| Year 2 Concert for parents | Wednesday 17 th July | 2.00 pm |
| Year 2 Concert for parents (no babies or pre-school children) | Thursday 18 th July | 9.00 am |
| Year 2 Leaver's Disco | Thursday 18 th July | 4.00 - 5.15 pm |
| Outside Playday | Friday 19 th July | All day |
| Year 2 Leaver's Assembly (for parents) | Tuesday 23 rd July | 9.00 am |
| Last day of Term | Tuesday 23 rd July | |

Would you like to come and join the
Rose Green Infant School Staff Team?



We have a Vacancies for:
Casual Midday Meals Supervisors
Grade 2, Point 2

Midday Meals are currently being served in the hall

Lunch times can vary between

11:30 am - 1.35 pm

11:45 am - 12:45 pm

12:15 pm - 13:15 pm

depending on school requirements

Application forms can be obtained from the
school website www.rosegreeninfant.school
and main office.

Rose Green Infant School is committed to safeguarding and all applicants must be willing to undergo screening including checks with past employers and the Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS)."

