

Upper Beeding Primary School

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Spring 02 - Wednesday 25th January 2017

Dear Parent

Last week some of our children, parents and teachers had a fantastic day at the O2 Young Voices Concert. This is a super event that is thoroughly enjoyed by everyone who goes! Thank you to Mrs Wellby for organising this concert and to all the staff who accompanied the children. We will be taking 40 of our children early tomorrow morning to sing at the West Sussex Headteacher's Conference tomorrow and both I and all the other headteachers are really looking forward to it!

Safety of Children and Parking

Sadly, we are still receiving complaints about parents' inconsiderate and dangerous driving and parking in front of the school, as well as in and around the roads surrounding the school.

This morning, David Barling - Cabinet Member for Residents' Services, came to see for himself the issues we are having and in particular, the appalling state of the non-parking zone in front of the school. He will be working on behalf of the school to secure a date in the imminent future for this to be resurfaced. This will include very clear signs and markings showing **that it is not a place to park or drop off outside of school.** Governors are also exploring other avenues to support the safety of our children based on the survey completed by parents last term and we will keep you updated on this. Thank you to all the parents who are actively parking safely elsewhere.

SPAG Parent Workshops - Thursday 9th February 6:00pm KS1 (Y1/2), 7:00pm KS2 (Y3/4/5/6) – Re-arranged dates!

A letter giving more details about these workshops will have come home with your children this week. We hope that you will find the time to be able to attend one or both workshops. Mrs Gilpin and Mrs Wellby, who are leading the sessions, promise to make it fun, interactive and not too hard!





Residential October 2017 for Year 6 Last week all the children in Year 5 and Year 4, as well as some parents who came along, were told about the residential trip planned for October 2017. A letter went home with the children for parents to complete if you would like your child to go. It is a fantastic week and priority will be given to children who will be in Year 6 next academic year. Please return your forms by Friday 27th January so we can then offer any availability to the children who will be in Year 5 next year.

Chartwells Could we please ask parents of children in Years 3-6 who order meals through Chartwells to check their child is registered in the correct class and year group on their website:- www.mealelector.co.uk. Thank you.



Reminder to Parents If your child is unwell please call the office **before 9:30am** in the morning to let the Office know. Thank you.

Sainsbury's ACTIVE kids Vouchers Please keep a look out in the front entrance for the collection box – vouchers start from 25th January! The Sainsbury vouchers are great in helping replace used sports and positive play equipment. Thank you for your support with this.





Lost Property We have an increasing amount of un-named lost property piling up, especially coats. Please can you come and have a look for missing items. Naming clothes really does help us return them to their rightful owner. Thank you for your help.















Recruitment in Schools Are you looking at a career in Schools, West Sussex Country Council are holding a recruitment event on Saturday, February 11th. Please see attached a flyer with further information. Thank you.

Church Cats Youth Group Is open after school between 3:30pm-5:00pm at the Gladys Bevan Hall. Please see attached flyer for dates and contact details about this group.

Leisure Access Card-Horsham District Council Please find attached a leaflet from Horsham District Council regarding discounts at leisure centres/local attractions for low income families.

Best wishes

Becky Linford Head Teacher



Dates for Spring Term 2017

Fri 27th Jan Fri 27th Jan Wed 1st Feb

Fri 3rd Feb Fri 3rd Feb

Fri 3rd Feb

Mon 6th Feb

Thu 9th Feb

Thu 9th Feb

Thu 9th Feb

Fri 10th Feb

Fri 10th Feb

Fri 10th Feb

Mon 13th - Fri 17th Feb

Mon 13th Feb

Fri 17th Feb

Fri 17th Feb

Mon 20th Feb

Fri 24th Feb

Tue 28th Feb

Wed 1st Mar

Thu 2nd Mar

Fri 3rd Mar

Fri 3rd Mar

Thu 9th Mar

Fri 10th Mar

Fri 10th Mar

Fri 10th Mar

Tue 14th Mar

Fri 17th Mar

France Class Assembly Swimming Lesson USA and Italy Yr 3/4 Trip to Brighton Museum **Swimming Lesson USA and Italy Poland Class Assembly** Australia and Ireland Trip to Wildlife Centre

Kenya and France Yr 1/2 Trip to Wildlife Centre Yr 6 Netball Tournament

KS1 SPaG workshop 6:00pm KS2 SPaG workshop 7:00pm

Swimming Lesson USA and Italy

FUBS Uniform Sale MATHS MADNESS Week

Australia Class Assembly

Yr 3 Benchball Participation

Mexico Class Assembly

Swimming Lesson USA and Italy Start of Half Term Last Day of Half Term

Yr 5/6 TAG Rugby Participation

Parents Meeting Parents Meeting Italy Class Assembly

Swimming Lesson USA and Italy

FUBS uniform sale

Last Swimming Lesson USA and Italy Y5/6 choir to Chichester Cathedral **Kenya Class Assembly**

Yr 3 Benchball Tournament

USA class Assembly















Mon 20th Mar Mon 20th Mar Tue 21st Mar Fri 24th Mar Mon 27th Mar Tue 28th Mar Tue 28th Mar Fri 31st Mar Fri 31st Mar Mon 3rd Apr Thu 6th Apr Fri 7th Apr Mon 10th Apr Fri 14th Apr Mon 17th Apr Fri 21st Apr

Yr 3/4 Gym Competition

Time to Dance Performance
Chanctonbury Music Festival
Comic Relief organised by Yr 5/6
1 x Yr 5/6 class Preston Manor Trip
2 x Yr 5/6 classes Preston Manor Trip
Yr 4 Benchball Participation

Yr 2 Multisports

Ireland Class Assembly

Big Draw!
Yr 3/4 Girls Football Participation
FUBS uniform sale

Start of Easter Holiday Good Friday Easter Monday Last day of Easter Holiday



Dates for Summer Term 2017

Mon 1st May Thu 4th May Mon 8th May Mon 15th May Thu 18th May Fri 19th May Tue 23rd May Mon 29th May Tue 30th May Fri 2nd Jun Mon 5th Jun Tue 6th Jun Mon 12th Jun Thu 15th Jun Mon 19th Jun Fri 23rd Jun Sat 24th Jun Wed 28th Jun Thu 29th Jun

Fri 7th Jul Mon 17th Jul Tue 18th Jul Thu 20th Jul

Wed 5th Jul

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Yr 6 Rounders Tournament start of SATS week start of Walk to Schools week Yr 5 Rounders Tournament Yr 1 Multi Sports Yr 4 Rounders Tournament **Spring Bank Holiday Start of Half Term Last Day of Half Term School Closed INSET DAY** Yr 4 Stoolball Participation Yr 4 Swimming Gala Yr 5/6 Outdoor Athletics **Cricket Tournament** Non School uniform Day **FUBS Summer Fair** 1:30-3:00 Yr 4 Outdoor Athletics S ports Day Yr 6 Transfer Day **School Closed INSET DAY** 6:00pm KS2 Show 6:00pm KS2 Show

School Closed May Day Bank Holiday















4:00-5:30pm Leavers Party

Thu 20th Jul Mon 24th Jul Tue 25th Jul

5:30-7:00pmKS2 Disco 10:00am Leavers Assembly Last Day of Term













