



St Michael's CE Junior School

Message from Mrs Jones

I am pleased to advise that we have welcomed back Mrs Bundy, the Deputy Headteacher from maternity leave this week – it is lovely to have her back! I would like to thank Mrs Ellis-Davies for covering the Deputy Headteacher role in Mrs Bundy's absence and to advise that she will now resume her role as SENDCo.

We are very happy and relieved that we managed to get sports day in when it was not too hot and it was dry. The children had a great day; it was lovely to see so many parents there watching the children compete. We had some lovely comments from some parents saying that it was a great display of sporting achievements as well as a lovely display of children demonstrating our three school values (courage, resilience and respect). Thank you to our new PTFA who served drinks and ice-creams, helping people to keep cool and raising money for the school.

The Year 6 children attended the leavers' service at Guildford Cathedral on Monday 20th June. This was a lovely event. The children visited 4 activity stations called – thank you, please, regret and wow. These provided opportunities for reflection about their time in their current school and their thoughts about their new school. There was a service at the end which the children participated in very well. All children got a bible to take home. The children were excellent ambassadors for the school, polite, respectful and excellent singers.

Children's Achievements

If your child takes part in activities outside school which merit a mention in our newsletter, e.g. sporting or musical achievements, please let the School Office know, and we shall ensure it is included in the next newsletter.

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INET Day

A quick reminder that **Wednesday 6th July** is an INSET day – school will be **CLOSED** to pupils.

Non Uniform Day

We have our next non uniform day on Friday 8th July where we are asking parents to donate bottles for the bottle tombola at the fete - Year 3 and 4 soft drinks, Year 5 and 6 alcoholic drinks.

Summer Fete

Please do keep 15th July free for the school summer fete. This will be a great event running from 3.30pm – 6pm. Each class is running a fun stall, there are the bottle tombolas, the raffle with some amazing prizes, hot dogs and hopefully a fire engine. This will be a great community event for everyone to come along to.

Water Bottles

Please can you ensure that your child comes to school with a named water bottle. The weather is particularly warm at the moment and the children need to make sure that they are drinking plenty of water throughout the day!

Healthy Snack

Please can we remind you that we encourage the children to have a healthy snack whilst they are in school - studies show that eating sugary foods affects concentration. Fruit or vegetable sticks are much better than manufactured products which contain high levels of sugar.

Nut Free Zone

Please can you ensure that your child does not bring anything with nuts in it into school as there are children with severe nut allergies in the school, this includes chocolate hazelnut spread.

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Moving House

Can we please remind parents that if you are moving house, or have moved recently, that you let the School Office know. It is a legal requirement that we hold the correct home address for our pupils. Thank you.

Apex Court

We have been contacted a couple of times by people who work at Apex Court. This is a private centre, just down the road from the school. The road is a private road and must be kept clear. We have sent out a separate letter about it with more details. Please do not park there, it is essential they have access at all times. They have started to take number plates and report those who park there.

Diary Dates

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| 27 th June - 1 st July | Y6 PGL Residential |
| 29 th June | Y6 Non PGL pupils to Three Peaks Centre |
| 30 th June | Year 4 Jorvik virtual tour |
| 4 th July | Year 6 Thinksafe |
| 5 th July | Year 6 Swimming |
| 6 th July | INSET Day |
| 7 th July | Y4/Y5 Netball vs Alderwood @ St Michael's |
| 8 th July | Non Uniform Day |
| 8 th July | Remainder of Y6 to Surrey Sports Basketball Visit |
| 12 th July | Year 6 Swimming |
| 13 th July | Whole School Transition Morning |
| 14 th July | Rocksteady Summer Concert |
| 15 th July | PTFA Summer Fete |
| 19 th July | Year 6 Swimming |
| 21 st July | Last Day of Term – finish at 3:20pm |
| 1 st & 2 nd September | INSET days |
| 5 th September | First day of term |

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