Rusper Primary Newsletter

June 2019

Catching Up With News

The best way to keep abreast of school events now is through our school Twitter account. Photos and headlines are updated frequently, and give a good flavour of the events we are celebrating.

To access our Twitter feed, you can either follow us directly on Twitter **@RusperPrimary** or you can view the home page of our school website where we have a live stream.

For parents of pupils attending the PGL residential, viewing our Twitter feed will be the best way to access daily updates and photos.

FORPS

Tickets for the Pazaz Circus show, the climax to this year's Summer Fair on Friday 19th July are now on sale from the school office priced £8 each. Under twos are free but they will need a ticket so that they are included in our head count. All seating is unreserved so its first come first served once the big top opens at 17:00. The show will start at 17:30. We have a maximum capacity in the big top of 230 and need to sell as close to this as possible to cover the cost of the show and the circus workshops that all our children will enjoy during the day. Please do come along and invite all your family and friends to join you because we have a voucher for a 'cut and colour' from The Chapel in Horsham which will be given to person who sells the most circus show tickets!

For the diary...

17th – 21st June: Hobbit PGL trip

2nd July: (pm) Y6 ASSH Problem Solving

3rd July: (am) whole school Transition Day – new classes/teachers

5th July: (pm) Sports Day

7th July: (am) Horsham Parade

10th July: (2:45pm) Y1&2 Music Concert in V Hall

12th July: School Reports + Test Results out

15th July: (2:45pm) Rocksteady Gig

16th & 18th July: (Time tbc) KS2 present 'Treasure Island' in V Hall

19th July: (3:45pm -) Summer Fair & Pazaz Circus

22nd July: (am) Rusper Ramble

23rd July: (2:30pm) Y6 Leaver's Assembly

23rd July: END OF TERM



Staffing/Organisation for September 2019

Gruffalo: YR only Mrs Rodgers & Mrs Jones

Unicorn: All Y1 and 2 Ms Clarke & Mrs Russell

There will be flexibility worked in for all Y1s to continue accessing learning through play, with Ms. C and Mrs R planning/using play space together.

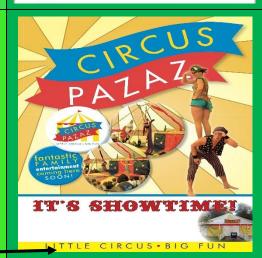
Pegasus: Y3 and Y4 Mrs Comber + __TBC__ & Mrs Michell + Mrs Budd

RPS is currently recruiting for a teacher to job share with Mrs Comber. Confirmations to follow

Hobbit: Y5 & 6 Mr Snook & Mrs Lord



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Governors

Firstly we would like to thank all parents who have kindly completed the short survey sent out by governors recently. We really appreciate it as the outcome of this together with the views of pupils, staff and governors will form our new Strategic Plan which will be in place for the next 3-5 years.

Thank you also for your continued support for all the fundraising that takes place at Rusper. FORPS do a fantastic job and work really hard organising these events. Some of the funds raised will go towards a much needed redecoration around the school which will take place during the summer holidays.

Still on the subject of fundraising, Mrs Rogers raised an amazing ± 600 with her cake sale and 10k run, so thank you to those of you who either donated or bought cakes.

Also, we have been overwhelmed by very generous donations to the school this year from D S Air for which we are extremely grateful. Thank you.

Rather sadly one of our longstanding governors David Warren stepped down last term. During his time as governor and associate, amongst other things, David chaired our Provisions and Outcomes Committee and lead staff and governors in re-setting the values for the school and creating a strap line and mission statement. He more recently led the School Effectiveness Strategy working party. We would like to thank him for his input over the years and for all the support he has given the school.

A couple of governors were involved in the SATs process in May. We were very impressed by how well the Yr6 pupils applied themselves and how hard they worked. Well done!