THIS WEEK'S DATES TO REMEMBER

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Tuesday 17th Eagles Forest Schools (AM) Reception Forest Schools (PM) Art Club (3.20pm to 4.20pm)

Wednesday 18th

Football Club (3.20pm to 4.20pm) Karate Club (3.25pm to 4.25pm)

Thursday 19th

Y6 Swimming at Brambletye (8.50am) Y1 Forest Schools (AM) Falcons Forest Schools (PM) New Reception Parents Meeting (5pm)

Friday 20th

Sports Day KS1 (AM) KS2 (PM) Collect your PTFA Pizza Kits (3.20pm) (see poster attached)

Ashurst Wood School Newsletter

Week 33 – 16th June 2025

Attendance this week: 95.84% Attendance from September 2024: 94.62%

Polite Reminders & Notices

<u>Year 6 Swimming</u>

The next Year 6 swimming session at Brambletye School is **Thursday 19th June.** Please can parents transport their children directly to Brambletye School for **8.50am** where Mr Gowers will meet them. Swimming will commence between 9am and 10am and the children will be walked back to school afterwards.

Sports Day

We look forward to welcoming families to our annual Sports Day taking place on **Friday 20th June** (reserve date Friday 27th June if wet). It will be a whole day event with Key Stage 1 in the morning and Key Stage 2 in the afternoon with a picnic lunch opportunity for parents and their children during the lunch break. For a detailed timetable please refer to the letter sent out on 6th June.

<u>Uniform</u>

Please can we remind parents that the children need to wear white socks when wearing the pink gingham dress, otherwise it is **grey** socks. Thank you.

Summer Holiday Clubs

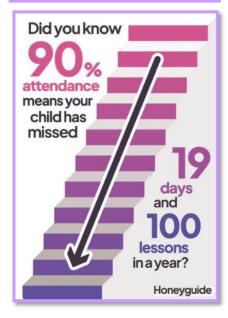
Please find attached details of holiday clubs from West Sussex Music and Goodwood Education Trust. Both these organisations are offering free HAF funded places for children receiving free school meals. Also attached are details of football camps taking place at Lingfield College for children from Y2 upwards.

ACHIEVEMENTS

We would like to congratulate our Year 3 children for taking part in The Big Sing on Thursday 5th June at Crawley Down Village Primary School. Although our children were the youngest to take part, they sang beautifully, and we are extremely proud of them.

Thank you to Mrs Pease and Mrs Tjong who accompanied the children to this event.

Attendance matters



This week's top Doodlers

Doodle Math's: Kestrels – Year 4 (78% of pupils in the green zone)

Doodle Tables: Falcons – Year 3 (12% of pupils in the green zone)

Doodle English: Kestrels - Year 4 (56% of pupils in the green zone)

Doodle Spell: Falcons (35% of pupils in the green zone)

Ashurst Wood Primary

Summer Show

Lion King Jr

Rehearsals have begun in earnest, and we are delighted that we will be having **three** shows to enable everyone to attend. Please support the children and the school by encouraging friends and family to save the date and purchasing tickets.

Thank you so much to the parents that have taken on costume tasks or donated items from the wish list.

We now have very few outstanding requests but still desperately need:-

- Large cable ties
- 100 new green garden sticks approx. 30cm
- Black Straps to attach some costume items to children?? Braces! Bag straps! Luggage strap! Thick black elastic!

We have just a couple of costume jobs remaining

- Make 2 hats for Bird Dancers (all materials provided).
- Attach draped material to Lioness head dress and add elastic for wrists.

We now have a full team of hair and make-up volunteers but would welcome some backstage support to get into costumes and support backstage throughout the performance. We know you will be watching, but if you could support just one show that would help.

Show Dates & Times

Tuesday 8th July at 7pm

Wednesday 9th July at 3.30pm (KS1 can be collected at 3pm to enable them to attend the show)

Wednesday 9th July at 7pm



Tickets available to purchase from the PTFA shop

Music Opportunity

On Tuesday 24th June, the children will have an assembly and workshop with the <u>Rock Steady music school</u>. The company offers music lessons through a rock band format appealing to children who would not usually look at learning an instrument. Feedback from local schools who offer this has been overwhelmingly positive and we hope that enough families will be interested so that we can offer this opportunity to the children in September.

Summer Term Dates

Thursday 19th June – Parents Meeting for new Reception parents (5pm)

Friday 20th June – Sports Day

Monday 23rd June – Falcon Class Assembly (2.45pm)

Wednesday 25th June – Area Sports at Sackville School

Thursday 26th June – Story time for new Reception children (9.45am to 10.15am)

Friday 27th June – Reserve Sports Day

Tuesday 1st July – Story time for new Reception children (1.30pm to 2pm)

Wednesday 2nd to Friday 4th July – Y6 Sackville Transition Days

Wednesday 2nd July – Y7 New Parents Meeting at Sackville School (6pm to 7pm)

Thursday 3rd July - Y5 PGL Parents Meeting (3.30pm)

Tuesday 8th July – Y5 Taster Day at Sackville School (details to follow)

Tuesday 8th July at 7pm – Lion King Performance - new date added.

Wednesday 9th July – Lion King Performances (3.30pm and 7pm) – please note later time for evening performance.

Monday 14th July – Y6 Leavers Treat

Wednesday 16th July – Ashurst Wood Transition Morning

Thursday 17th July – Year 6 Leavers' Assembly

Tuesday 22nd July – Term Ends at **1.30pm**