



## NOTICES FOR ALL PARENTS Week Ending 26<sup>th</sup> January 2024

### Parent Consultation Evenings

Please remember to book your 10-minute appointment with your child's teacher if you have not already done so using the booking information emailed on 12<sup>th</sup> January. Bookings will close at **3pm on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> February.**

Consultations will take place on **Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> (4.30-7.30pm) or Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February (3.30-6.30pm).** **Woodpeckers Class only – Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February (3.30-6.30pm) and Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> (4.30-7.30pm).**

### Feeling Good Week

During the week 5<sup>th</sup> February – 9<sup>th</sup> February, we will be taking part in *Feeling Good Week* to highlight the importance of children's mental health and wellbeing. On Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February, we will be having a '*Dress to Express*' day - your child may like to dress up in clothes that make them 'feel good'! The theme of the week is 'My Voice Matters', so they may even like to dress up as their favourite singer! Alternatively, they may be happiest in comfortable clothes! If you would like to make a donation to Place2be, a children's mental health charity, we will provide you with a link. Thank you!

### Greensand Vacancies

We currently have vacancies for staff to join our fantastic lunchtime supervisor team at Holmesdale.

To view details of this vacancy and others within the Greensand MAT, please see the [eteach website](#).

### Inspire Surrey – from SCC

Surrey County Council and the Surrey Cyber Security Cluster are excited to be launching the Inspire Surrey programme this 2024. Working in collaboration with industry professionals and education organisations, we will be delivering 6 engaging projects that aims to inspire all Surrey residents, regardless of age, background and gender, to pursue a career in digital and cyber occupations.

From secondary school students and teachers to mums returning to work and career-changers, Inspire Surrey is dedicated to connecting residents of Surrey with seasoned professionals in digital and cyber occupations. We aim to breathe life into a range of industries and spark a flame of inspiration in people from all walks of life, regardless of age, gender, or background. To get involved or find out more, visit our [Inspire Surrey webpage](#)

## NOTICES FOR NURSERY PARENTS

### The Storm Whale

Next week we are reading the book 'The Storm Whale' by Benji Davies. We will be writing a

message in a bottle. Please could you bring in any small plastic bottles for the letters to go in.

### **Recycled Materials**

Please can you bring in any recycled materials for us to build with. We would like any small boxes, tubes, bottle tops, paper, ribbon, wool, pieces or materials etc. Please remember not to include anything that has contained nuts or sesame as we have children in school who are severely allergic to these. Many thanks.

## **NOTICES FOR RECEPTION PARENTS**

### **Maths Games**

We hope Ducks class are enjoying the maths games. Just a polite reminder that you can change games daily until Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> February. Games for Rabbits and Foxes will be available between Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February and Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> February (all returned on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> February).

### **Woodland Explorers**

**Rabbits on Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> January 2024**

**Foxes and Ducks on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> February 2024**

Please remember to provide named Wellington boots or alternative footwear in a bag and a suitable warm, waterproof coat on the day. If appropriate for the weather on the day, you may also wish to provide named gloves and a named hat.

## **NOTICES FOR YEAR ONE PARENTS**

### **Victorian Day**

Just a reminder that next week we will be going back in time for the day on Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> January and having a Victorian school day. If your child would like to dress up for the day, then please do! They can come to school in their Victorian outfits and stay in them all day but please ensure they have sensible shoes for running around in at playtime, plus their coats as usual. Your child may like to wear trousers tucked into socks, a shirt, waistcoat and cap, or a dress / pinafore, skirt, plain top, apron, hat. Thank you.

### **Leeds Castle Trip**

Thank you very much to everyone who has volunteered to help with our visit to Leeds Castle. We really do appreciate your support. Your child's class teacher will let you know whether you will be accompanying us on the trip, as soon as possible. You will then hear from the school office regarding either keeping your DBS up to date or applying for one.  
Thank you!

## **NOTICES FOR YEAR TWO PARENTS**

There are no Notices for Year Two Parents this week.