

Padnell Post



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25th June 2021. Summer Term No 9



Covid Update

Further guidance has now been provided by the Department of Education regarding a contingency framework, should we have a local outbreak. I can inform you that currently it states that as education remains a priority, all children of Padnell Infant school age will continue to attend school, unless there are cases in the school causing bubble closures.

The school will then need to risk assess and decide whether a return to internal restrictions needs to be applied. The guidance for junior aged children is different and only some children will attend school if a local lockdown is declared.



World Music Day

It was lovely to see and hear the children enjoying music on Monday. We hope they have treated you to a performance with their instruments. If you would like a little more of a tuneful experience, ask them to sing along to the song of the day: "Stand by Me" by Ben E. King.



Governor Needed

We have a vacancy for a new Governor who would like to make a difference to our children and their families. Ideally you will have a free couple of hours every fortnight to visit the school along with regular attendance at our Monday evening meeting which occur 9 times a year.

In addition, a desirable asset, but not a necessity, would be someone who is keen to ensure our school environment is a safe place for children to learn and play. If you feel you are able to be confidential, supportive yet challenging and you want to make a positive contribution to your community, then we would love to hear from you. In the first instance contact Mrs Grayson for an initial discussion. We look forward to hearing from you or indeed someone in your extended family or work community. Please share widely. Thank you.



School Trips

Trip Letters for each class/Year Group will be sent later today.



Padnell Junior School

Mrs Luker and I met this week to discuss how we can work together again going forward.

We are very keen to re-introduce community events if at all possible.

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Eat them to Defeat them!

**Next week's Eat Them to Defeat Them
LIVE Cookalong with Mr BG**

Spotlight Vegetable: Carrots

Guest Chef: Mrs Glanville

Recipe: Mr Baker's Carrot and Orange
Cupcakes

You will need:

For the cupcakes:

- 175g light soft brown sugar
- 100g wholemeal self-raising flour
- 100g self-raising flour
- 1 tsp bicarbonate of soda
- 2 tsp mixed spice
- zest 1 orange
- 2 large free-range eggs
- 150ml sunflower oil
- 240g carrots (approximately 2 large carrots)

For the fresh orange buttercream:

- 250g slightly salted butter
- 500g icing sugar
- zest 1 orange
- 2tbsp orange juice
- 1-2 drops of orange extract (optional)

To decorate:

- A handful of freshly chopped walnuts or pecans

Don't forget to tune in at 4:30pm on: 29th
June 2021



Absence Honesty

Thank you to all the parents who have honestly asked for time off of school for a special event or holiday.

Although unable to authorise, working with the rules of my employment, it is appreciated when the correct procedures are followed.

Sadly, recently we have had cases where parents have lied about absences and placed their children in the awkward situation feeling guilty in school when sharing where they were and the fun they had.

AAA Summer Holiday Sports Camp

Please find attached information from AAA Coaching, who run our after school Gymnastic Club, about their summer holiday sports and activity camps.

Kind Regards,

Mrs Grayson
Headteacher

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Dates

Date	Event	Who	Details
w/c 28 th June	Phonics Testing week	Year 1	
w/c 28 th June	SATS week	Year 2	
Monday 5 th July	New Class Notification letters home	Whole School	
Monday 5 th July	Internet Safety Session	Year R	
Tuesday 6 th July	Internet Safety Sessions	Year 1 & Year 2	
Wednesday 7 th July	Deadline for Uniform orders	Current Years R & 1	For delivery before Summer Holidays
Thursday 8 th and Friday 9 th July	INSET Days	Whole School	School Closed
w/c 12 th July	Transition Week	Whole School	
Tuesday 13 th July	New Year R "Stay & Play" session for Rabbits Class	New Year R Rabbits Class	10am to 11am
Wednesday 14 th July	New Year R "Stay & Play" session for Foxes Class	New Year R Foxes class	10am to 11am
Thursday 15 th July	New Year R "Stay & Play" session for Squirrels Class	New Year R Squirrels class	10am to 11am
Friday 16 th July 4pm	Owls Leavers Picnic	Owls	
Monday 19 th July	Reports to be sent home	Whole School	
Monday 19 th July	PIPSA End of Year event	Whole School	
Tuesday 20 th July	School Trip to Fort Purbrook	Butterflies	
Tuesday 20 th July 4pm	Woodpeckers Leavers Picnic	Woodpeckers	
Wednesday 21 st July 4pm	Finches Leavers Picnic	Finches	
Wednesday 21 st July	School Trip to Staunton Country Park	Year R	
Wednesday 21 st July	School Trip to Fort Purbrook	Ladybirds	
Thursday 22 nd July	School Trip to Fort Purbrook	Dragonflies	
Thursday 22 nd July	School Trip to Stubbington Study Centre	Year 2	

Friday 23 rd July	Last day of term		
Monday 26 th July to Wednesday 1 st September	School Closed – Summer Holidays	Whole School	
Thursday 2 nd September	Return to School	Years 1 & 2	

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