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Dear Families

We have had a great start to the summer term and we have been blessed with a spell of lovely, warm weather. We started the term with our launch assembly based around 'Resilience'. We talked about what this looks like and gave the children the example of salmon swimming upstream and how their efforts and determination make them successful.

The focus this half term in Collective Worship is 'Attitude to Gratitude' and this week, we have talked about having a mindset of appreciating the good things in life and being thankful for what we have.

Have a great weekend.

Jane Sharrock

GARDENING CLUB

Don't forget that Gardening Club will **NOT** be taking place on Friday, 9th May.



ROWAN CLASS

This week, Rowan Class completed a pyramid cooking lesson, with Mrs van Zanten, to finish off their cooking sessions for the year. The children at the front of the pyramid were given instructions which they had to pass back to the next table, before completing the actions themselves. They did a fantastic job of listening and relaying the instructions and all managed to produce three chocolate chip rock cakes.



Recent correspondence

- PTA Sponsored bounce letter and sponsorship form
- PTA Revels Art Competition
- Y5&Y6 Quad Kids event at Angmering School (8th May)
- Y5 & Y6 Production Rehearsals permission slip

DATES FOR THE SUMMER TERM

Over the weeks, we will add **new dates/events in red**, so please make sure that you regularly check this list and update your diaries.

MAY 2025

Mon 5 May	Bank Holiday, school closed
Tues 6 May	KS2 Walk to Cissbury Ring (pm) – please return £2 contribution
Fri 9 May	No Gardening Club
w/c 12 May	Year 6 SATS and Year 6 Breakfast Club
Mon 12 May	Y5 & Y6 Production Rehearsals start (3.20 – 4.15pm)
Mon 19 May	Oak Class Assembly (2.45pm)
Wed 21 May	PTA Sponsored Bounce
Fri 23 May	RNLI visiting Year 3 to Year 6 – details to follow
26 – 30 May	Half-term break

JUNE 2025

Mon 2 June	INSET Day
Tues 3 June	Back to school
Thurs 5 June	PTA Committee Meeting in school at 3.30pm
w/c 9 June	Year 1 Phonics Screening
Fri 13 June	PTA non-uniform day – please bring in cakes for Summer Revels – info to follow
Sat 14 June	SUMMER REVELS
Mon 16 June	Rainbow Theatre Company visiting Ash & Willow – details to follow
Wed 25 June	Year 6 Leavers' Service at Chichester Cathedral (1.15pm service)

JULY 2025

Wed 2 July	Secondary transition day
Tues 8 July	Y5 & Y6 Production (6pm)
Wed 9 July	Y1 & Y2 Assembly for parents (2.45pm) Y5 & Y6 Production (6pm)
Fri 11 July	PTA Summer Disco – details to follow
Fri 18 July	Leavers' Service at school (9am)
Mon 21 July	Year 6 Leavers' party (3.30pm)
Tues 22 July	Last day of term