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Dear Families

We have had lots going on in school this week. The children have been working on projects around art and culture focusing on a particular artist and country. Keep an eye out for the final pieces appearing on our website and Facebook page.

Year 5 and Year 6 attended the Locality Angmering Legacy Games and competed against other schools in various events. They had a great time.

On Wednesday, Worthing Fire Service visited the children in Ash and Willow. The children got to look at all the fire engine tools, and to climb up and sit inside the fire engine. The children had such an exciting time.

We combined our EY/KS1 and KS2 Sports Day to take place during the morning based on feedback from last year. Our children participated in competitive events and showed positive attitudes, resilience and great encouragement to others. They showed great sportsmanship. Thank you to our PTA for providing refreshments and as ever to our parents for supporting us. Do take a look at the photos on our Facebook page. Our Year 5 and Year 6 children took some leadership roles to support the event. They did a great job of organising our younger children and the equipment. Thank you.

Enjoy your weekend

Jane Sharrock

PTA NEWS

Thank you to all who bought refreshments yesterday at the sports day and we hope everyone had a great time! Just to let you know, we are still in the process of confirming the funds raised from the Summer Revels and please be assured that we will get this figure out to you all as soon as we can! We are just waiting to hear from a few sponsors.

SECOND-HAND UNIFORM

Please send any requests for second-hand uniform to our email. We are running low on larger sizes of polo shirts, jumpers, cardigans and PE tops but have plenty of smaller sizes available. We have lots of gingham dresses, shorts, trousers and skirts (in all sizes). If you are able to donate any items, we would be very grateful and feel free to pop any items in our bin (with a blue lid), which is under the stairs in the car park.

VOLUNTEERS

WE NEED YOUR HELP! We would really love to have a good group of PTA volunteers behind us, even if you can only spare your time for one event a year, we would still be super grateful. In the coming weeks, we will be setting up a WhatsApp group for volunteers. If you would be able to help in any way or would like to be involved, please do send over your number to our email so that we can ensure you are included.



DONATIONS

We are always looking for donations for items that are needed for the PTA events to save us having to buy extra things. In particular, we are looking for the following items: gazebos, ice packs, a thermal flask with a spout for serving hot drinks (ideally 3L or larger). If you are able to help us at all, please let us know or contact us via email.

SUMMER DISCO – FRIDAY 12 JUNE

We will be selling some refreshments for parents during the disco. It would be lovely to see you all and hopefully the weather will be nice for you to enjoy a drink or two together, whilst your children are enjoying the disco!

Sorry for the information overload, and we know that there is always so much to keep track of at this time of year, so thank you for reading!

The PTA Committee

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DATES FOR THE SUMMER TERM 2024



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.

Wed 26 June	Y6 Leavers' Service at Chichester Cathedral (11am collection)
Fri 28 June	FINAL Chelsea Football Club session
Wed 3 July	Y1& Y2 Class assembly (2.45pm) – parents invited
Mon 8 July	KS2 trip to Pulborough Brooks – please return slips
Tues 9 July	Year 3 and Year 4 Legacy Games at The Angmering School (9am) – letter to follow
	Last Boys' Vocal Club
	Last Dance Club
Wed 10 July	PTA meeting at The Black Horse (6pm)
Thurs 11 July	Rowan Class guitar concert (9am) – parents invited
	Last Recorder Club and Clay Club
Fri 12 July	PTA SUMMER DISCO
	No Clay Club
Mon 15 July	Open Afternoon (3.30pm – 4pm) – more information to follow
Tues 16 July	Meet the Teacher (3.20 onwards) – more details to follow
Wed 17 July	Leavers' Service at school (9am)
Mon 22 July	Year 6 Leavers' party (3.30pm)
Tues 23 July	Last day of term