



Newsletter

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Great News

As you may have heard from the children we have been named as the Green School of the Year in the National Costa Community Awards. This is a very prestigious award and we are so excited to have won it. There will be a presentation at school on Tuesday 11th July at 9.30 am. We have not had time to finalise exactly what is happening but will keep you posted as we would like members of our parent community to attend if possible.

Can you help!

We are keen to give the grounds a spruce up before the Award Ceremony if you can help please let the office know. We propose to have a small working party on the morning of Tuesday 27th June and the afternoon of Wednesday 5th July. Many thanks in anticipation.

Village Day

A huge thank you to Julie Welby and the Friends for the amazing Village Day costumes. Polesden Lacey Infant School cut quite a dash and we have had a lot of very complimentary feedback about our costumes and singing. We are delighted to have been awarded a trophy for our efforts.

A huge thank you also to Mrs Hadden and Badger Class for the superb dancing.



Plastic Pledge

We are hoping that our wall of pledges will be big enough to fill the big noticeboard outside the foyer. Remember we are looking for pledges on how your child and family can take action for a greener world. In particular we are hoping the pledges will be about reducing use of plastic.

Well done for the pledges made so far.

Mindfulness (Reminder)

A workshop for parents is taking place on Tuesday 27th June 2017 at 1.30pm
Many of you have already signed up please let us know if you have not signed up but plan to attend.

Our Value

Please let us know if your child demonstrates Fairness at home.

Forest Schools Year 1 and 2 reminder

Please ensure your child has a light long sleeved top and long trousers for Forest Schools.

Tesco award (last week to vote for us)

We are still hoping to win some money for Forest Schools equipment from the Tesco award fund. Please help us to win by shopping at the following Tesco stores and asking for a token at the checkout. Then place your token in the Polesden pot!

Very many thanks if you have been voting for us already.

The stores are; Leatherhead Superstore; Craddocks Ashted Express; Epsom Station Express; Epsom Horton Express; Epsom Ruxley Lane Express and Ewell Express.

Sports' Day Wednesday 12th July

Sports' Day will take place from 10.30 am – 12.00 on Wednesday 12th July. Chairs will be provided by school. Please arrive a little before 10.30am to take your seat.

Due to the limited space that we have in our orchard we are only able to accommodate two adults per child. If you have a sibling that you wish to bring to sit on your lap this is fine. The races will be followed by a Sports' Day school lunch. Please feel free to bring your own picnic and blanket to sit on. The pupils will be provided with a school lunch suitable to eat in the orchard.

Please complete the reply slip below and return it to Mrs. Scott, as soon as possible and, by 9:00 am on Wednesday 5th July at the very latest. If you wish you may send in your reply via email. Tickets will be issued on Friday 7th July and will be in your child's book bag that evening.

Summer Fair

We are looking forward to seeing everyone at our Summer Fair on Sunday 2nd July at 12.00

News from the Friends Committee

What a memorable Village Day! We shall never forget melting slowly down the High Street while our children gently baked in tin foil! Thank you for all your efforts for Village Day which, despite the heat, was a great success with our school securing the Runners-Up Trophy. Thanks are due to all those who volunteered their time in the lead up to the event, but in particular to Julie Welby who master-minded our costumes, designed everything and spent a huge amount of time planning, drawing and cutting out! THANK YOU!

Not long at all now till our Summer Fair on Sunday 2nd July at 12 till 2pm. Thank you to all those who have signed up for a stall so far. There are still a few gaps so please do consider giving us an hour of your time so that we can make sure that all the stalls are running for the whole of the Fair. The sign up sheet is outside the office.

Please remember to return raffle money and tickets to the box outside school. We are still collecting pre-loved toys and games for our toy stall - there is a box outside Mrs Scott's office. Thank you!

As mentioned last week, following its popularity last year, our competition for the teddy or toy with the best dressing up outfit, is running again at the Summer Fair. The theme this year is 'heroes', dress your teddy or toy up as the hero of your choice, from superheroes to the doctors and firefighters who help us every day. Bring your toy to the fair and register it for £1 to enter the competition.

Finally, if you have a gazebo that you could lend us for the Fair, please get in touch. Gazebos help to protect us from the sun or drizzle, depending on the day, so the more we have the better!

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Request for Whole School Sports Day Tickets

Child's Name and Class:

I would like 1 or 2 (max 2) tickets for the Whole School Sports Day on Wednesday 12th July
(Delete as applicable)

Please return your request for tickets to Mrs Scott in the School Office as soon as possible but by 9am Wednesday 5th July

Tickets will be issued on Friday 7th July and will be in your child's book bag that evening

Forthcoming Dates Reminder

Monday 26 th June	3 – 4pm Netball and Multi Sports Club
Tuesday 27 th June	Judo Club (last session this term) 1.30 – 2.55pm Mindfulness Workshop for Parents in school hall 3 – 3.45pm Tennis club (last Tuesday session this term)
Wednesday 28 th June	Whole School Photograph 3 - 3.45pm Tennis club (last Wednesday session this term)
Thursday 29 th June	3 – 4pm Lego club
Friday 30 th June	3pm – 4pm Musical Theatre Club
Sunday 2nd July	12 – 2pm Our Summer Fair
Monday 3 rd July	3 – 4pm Netball and Multi Sports Club
Tuesday 4 th July	9.15am Whole School Music Assembly (Ticketed event) Street Food Themed Menu for lunch 3 – 4pm Open Afternoon (Parents and carers opportunity to see their children's work)
Wednesday 5 th July	Year 2 visit new school – all day Year 1 & Reception classes move up for the day
Thursday 6 th July	3 – 4pm Lego club (last session this term)
Friday 7 th July	3pm – 4pm Musical Theatre Club (last session this term)