

# NEWSLETTER 18

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are all enjoying our whole-school Curriculum Week. The visits to Ladyland Farm and Winkworth Arboretum were both highly successful and thoroughly enjoyed by everyone. The weather has been very kind to us and a great deal of 'outdoor learning' has taken place. Thank you for all the help and support that you have given to the school to enable these outings to take place. I do understand that there has been a lot of additional expense this year regarding trips and outings. Please do not hesitate to contact the school, in confidence, if you need help with financing these trips.

We will be interviewing for the position of Key Stage Two Classteacher on July 6<sup>th</sup> and if we are successful in appointing a teacher I will inform you of the outcome as quickly as I am able to do so.

Some of our children will be singing at Loseley Park as part of the 'Celebrating Surrey' festival on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> June. Please come along and support if you are able to do so. Children taking part need to be there by 3.15pm in good time for their performance which begins at 3.45pm.

In the meantime, I would like you to remember Mr & Mrs Hellett and their family in your prayers as Mrs Hellett's father sadly passed away recently.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs Ann Ramiz  
Interim Headteacher

FUTURE EVENTS THIS TERM	TERM DATES
<p>Tue 29<sup>th</sup> Jun 1.30pm Induction PM (ends 2.55pm) Y6 St Peter's children to St Peter's</p> <p>Wed 30<sup>th</sup> Jun 9.30pm Induction AM (ends 12pm) Y6 Rodborough children to Rodborough</p> <p>Thu 1<sup>st</sup> Jul Y1 to Pizza Express and Godalming Museum</p> <p>Fri 2<sup>nd</sup> Jul Y3 to Wintershall (back late, 4.45pm earliest)</p> <p>Sun 4<sup>th</sup> Jul 10.15am Going Forth Mass; 12pm PSA BBQ</p> <p>Mon 5<sup>th</sup> Jul Year 5 Taster Day at St Peter's</p> <p>Thu 8<sup>th</sup> Jul Sports Morning</p> <p>Fri 9<sup>th</sup> Jul Y3 Assembly; District Sports (pm); 3pm PSA AGM</p> <p>Tue 13<sup>th</sup> Jul 3pm Music Event (for instrumentalists and their parents)</p> <p>Wed 14<sup>th</sup> Jul Y6 Away Day at Ladywell Convent</p> <p>Thu 15<sup>th</sup> Jul Y6 Leavers' Show (time TBC)</p> <p>Tue 20<sup>th</sup> Jul 10.30am Leavers' Mass at Ladywell Convent</p> <p>Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> Jul 2.00PM EARLY CLOSE</p>	<p><b>INSET Day</b> Monday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2010</p> <p><b>Induction Programme</b> Storytime III Thurs 24<sup>th</sup> June 2.50pm Induction PM Tue 29<sup>th</sup> June 1.30-2.55pm Induction AM Wed 30<sup>th</sup> June 9.30am-12.05pm</p> <p><b>Next Year's Dates:</b> Mon 6<sup>th</sup> Sept-Tue 21<sup>st</sup> Dec 2010 Wed 5<sup>th</sup> Jan-Fri 8<sup>th</sup> Apr 2011 Tue 26<sup>th</sup> Apr-Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2011</p> <p><b>INSET DAYS</b> Thu 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept and Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept 2010 Wed 5<sup>th</sup> Jan, Fri 18<sup>th</sup> Feb, Fri 27<sup>th</sup> May 2011</p> <p>All these dates are now confirmed</p>

June 25<sup>th</sup> 2010

# Important Information

## **APPLICATIONS FOR SEPTEMBER 2011 INTAKE**

The school would like to remind all parents of children whose fifth birthday falls between 1<sup>st</sup> September 2011 and 31<sup>st</sup> August 2012 that if they wish their child to attend St Edmund's they must ensure that they fulfil the application process correctly by completing the school's own application form as soon as possible, but no later than October 2010. All those who have completed a St Edmund's application form will automatically be alerted to the Surrey County Council application procedure which is now done mainly on-line. Failure to comply with the application process, particularly with regard to the application deadline, could result in your application not being considered.

**PSA BBQ**: Please don't forget that our annual **Going Forth Mass** is at 10.15am next **Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> July** at St Joseph's. We really do hope to see as many of you there as possible! Also, following on from that Mass, there is the PSA BBQ which begins at 12pm and ends at 3.30pm and takes place at Busbridge Village Hall. If you have not yet bought tickets then please pop into the school office where you can pick up a ticket application form. Tickets are £4.50 for adults, and £2.50 for children.

**YEAR 6 AWAY DAY – CHANGE OF DATE AND VENUE!** Please note that both the day and venue for this has changed! Previously Y6 had been booked to go to the Franciscan Friary on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July. **This has changed to Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> July at Ladywell Convent.** We will be writing to parents of children in Year 6 shortly with fuller details.

**YEAR 5 TASTER AT ST PETER'S: MONDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> JULY**: All parents of Year 5 children should by now have received a letter regarding the forthcoming Year 5 Taster Day at St Peter's. Students should come to school as normal, from where they will be collected and delivered back by a bus which has been arranged by St Peter's. Students can choose to purchase a school lunch at £1.95 or take a packed lunch with them.

**ST PETER'S OPEN EVENING**: St Peter's has asked us to advertise to Yr 5 parents that their Open Evening is on **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> October** from 7pm - 9pm with tours throughout the evening, and further tours of the school on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> and Friday 15<sup>th</sup> October at 9.15am. Unfortunately, they are not able to do any tours prior to this date, but all the information they require will be available at their Open Evening. They also have some helpful information about admissions criteria and the transition process on their website [www.st-petersschool.co.uk](http://www.st-petersschool.co.uk)

**DIETARY NEEDS**: If your child has any specific dietary needs of which the kitchen / school needs to be aware, please pop into the office with a view to completing a 'Special Diets Request Form'.

**CLUNK-CLICK EVERY TRIP!** Please can we remind you all that it is a legal requirement to ensure that all children are safely strapped into cars at all times for every journey regardless of distance.

**NEWSLETTERS IN FUTURE** : With effect from next month, all newsletters will be delivered via e-mail. If you are someone who doesn't have an e-mail address than a paper copy can be collected from the school office.

**NICK GRAMMEL'S MIDSUMMER COFFEE MORNING** : Everyone is invited to attend a Midsummer Coffee Morning Bring & Buy Sale this **Saturday, 26<sup>th</sup> June** between 10am and 12pm in aid of the Cystic Fibrosis Trust. Venue: Maryland, The Drive, Godalming (right opposite the school). Coffee, tea, hot chocolate, cold drinks, cakes, cookies, plants, gifts, books, bric-a-brac, mini-manicures, face paints and much more. Raffle prizes generously donated by local companies such as Westwood Rocks, The Lime Tree Beauty Clinic and Fresh Face.

**BUS/TAXI QUERIES**: Please note that the telephone number for any queries relating to school transport is: **0300 200 1004**

## **Money Matters: first half of Autumn Term 2010**

Dinners	£70—35 days at £2 / day up to the end of the half term, cheques payable to "Surrey County Council"
Governors' Fund	£20 per family per TERM, cheques payable to "A&B Diocesan Trust St Edmund's" or Standing Order
Outings:	Please make cheques payable to "St Edmund's School Fund"

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