



NEWSLETTER



Friday 27th September 2024

Dates for the week ahead:

Monday 30th	YR to come in P.E. kits Music lessons for Y1/2 Forest School for Year 1 and 2: appropriate clothing please Clubs Y1-6 today 3-4pm please pick up from playground
Tuesday	Netball Club for children who have signed up: 3- 4pm pick up from playground
Wednesday	P.E. day for Willow (all children) and Oak Forest School for Beech Groundforce Club 3-3.45 pick up from playground
Thursday	
Friday	Harvest Celebration led by Worship Leaders P.E. day for Beech and Oak

Harvest

On Friday 4th October we shall come together to celebrate Harvest. this will be led by our Pupil Worship Leadership Team.

The Foodbank reached out to schools at the start of term as they are supporting an increasing number of families, but unfortunately have very empty shelves now.

Please can all children bring at least one item for Chichester District Food Bank who we have agreed to support this year. If you are able to donate more of the listed items, we have a special crate in the school entrance area, where you can easily drop off items at the start / end of the school day.

Thank you

**WE'RE COLLECTING FOR
CHICHESTER DISTRICT FOOD BANK
THIS HARVEST!**

Please donate an item or two from the list and drop them off with us.

**SHOPPING LIST
TOP 5 ITEMS**

- Tinned Fruit, Rice Pudding or Custard
- Nappies size 6
- Shampoo and Conditioner
- Shaving Gel
- Tinned or Packet Soup

Last Friday the children in Beech Class went to Chichester Framer's Market as part of their Design and Technology curriculum. They are learning what constitutes a healthy meal, how to cook soup and homemade pizza and to learn more about where the ingredients come from.

Miss Cain said the children responded brilliantly to the opportunity to purchase items and taste new flavours. The stall holders were great at giving free samples and tasters and the children came back on the bus with plenty of bread and vegetables for this week's learning.

Our school smelt delicious this week as the children prepared pizzas to eat at home and soup to take to Forest School.

A brilliant week of learning – thank you to Miss Cain for organising and Mrs Norris, Mrs Hall and Mrs Goodge for supporting. And of course, thank you and well done to our children who behaved brilliantly whilst out and about.

Phonics Meeting

Thank you to the families able to attend the Phonics meeting for Reception children. If you were unable to make this date or it slipped your memory, I would be happy to re-run this. It is important to make sure you know how we approach Phonics as it supports reading and writing. Please email me if you do wish for another meeting to be organised.

Golden Book

This week we say congratulations to: Finley Lerwill (YR) for showing that after only 2 weeks of school, he knows what being kind, respectful, responsible and ready to learn means – amazing! Ruby (Y2) for her brilliant learning attitude when she is stuck with a piece of learning – her resilience shines through! Oliver (Y4) for his approach to learning since starting back in Year 4 – his maturity in social situations and when working with learning partners has enabled some great learning to take place – well done! Charlie (Y6) for his excellent learning behaviours across **ALL** aspects of learning and for **ALL** teachers who work with him – thank you and well done!

Learning Behaviours

As you will see from the Golden Book we are focusing on children having the right behaviours to enable them and everyone around them to learn effectively. We have a diverse community and every child will have different needs. Learning and environments are adapted to meet individual needs. We use a restorative enquiry approach to work through any fall outs / conflicts. But our 3 rules: be **ready** to learn, be a **respectful** learner and be **responsible** in your learning are for **everyone**. As we have come back together as a community, we are working hard to ensure every classroom, space in school, lesson and learning reflect this expectation.

Worship

This week we reflected on how lucky we are to have the meals our family and others prepare for us each day. The children have started to make special cards to say thank you - I imagine you may receive a card next Friday!

Wishing you all a lovely weekend

Theresa Smyth and the Singleton Team