

Petworth C of E Primary School

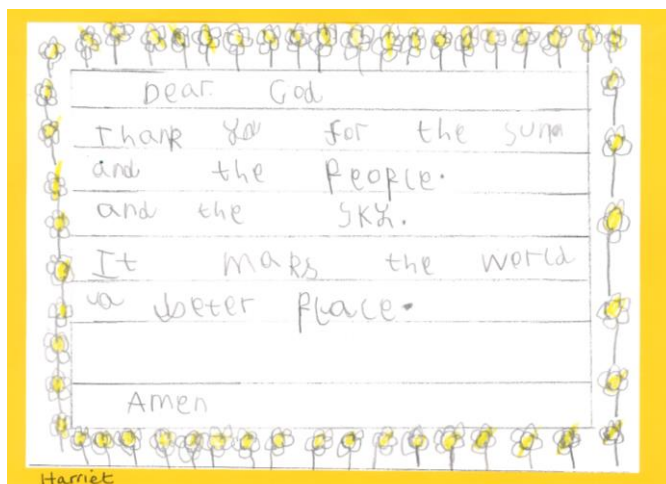
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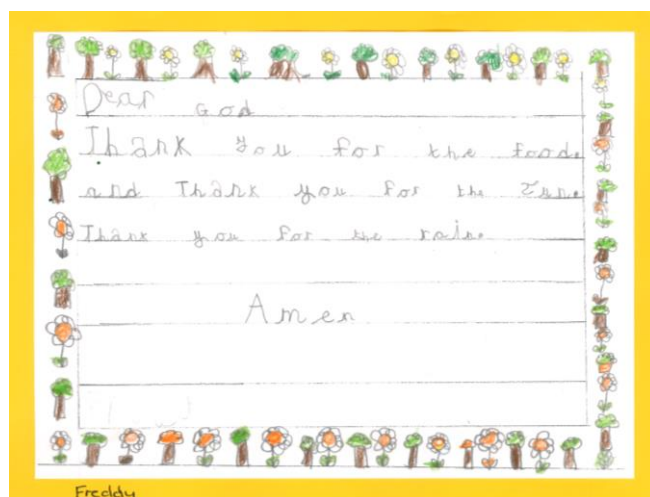
16th February 2017

Dear Parents/Carers

Children's Work
Ash Class



By Harriet



By Freddy

After School Clubs

There will be no Tag Rugby, Textile, Film, Gardening, Lego, Mindful Colouring, Science and Storytime Club week commencing 27th February due to Parents Evening.

Parent Governor

We are pleased to welcome Mrs Abbott and Mrs Welch onto the Governing Body as Parent Governors.

Cross Country Madness at MRC



Last Friday 28 children, from Key Stage Two, volunteered to participate in the latest sporting event at MRC. On a cold and wet afternoon the children energetically warmed up in the sports hall, getting ready for the adventure. In total there were eight races with

the same gender and age group running against each other in varying distances (900m to 1400m).

Throughout the event our children showed tremendous camaraderie, sportsmanship and perseverance to finish. Many of the children sprinted at the start, which they paid for later in the race. Lloyd in Year 5 and Hendricks finished second in their races, with Archie Year 4 finishing fourth in his. Jacques and Anya were winners of their races, however every child that finished earnt us points. Due to the way MRC organise this event there was no overall winners. However, it was a great experience for the children, which I hope they repeat soon.



Mayan Food by Eron



On the 10th of February, Willow Class from tried (and made) some Mayan food, as well as making Mayan pyramids. The food we tried and made consisted of:

Mayan Hot Chocolate

Mayan Chocolate Truffles

Mayan Tortillas



However, before we could do any of the cooking, we had to figure out how much of each ingredient we would need. There were three levels: Bronze, which was the hot chocolate; silver, which was the chocolate cake; and gold, which



were the chocolate truffles. Luckily, this didn't take very long, as we are all experts at ratio.



We then went down to the kitchen to cook. Once we got there, instead of starting to cook, we tried some Mayan food. This included sweet corn, tortillas, Mayan chilli chocolate, tomatoes and guacamole. Once we had done



that, we were sorted into four groups, before we started to weigh the ingredients.

Soon enough, however, it was break time. After break, we carried on weighing our ingredients, before we had to mix them together to start cooking.

After the cooking, it was lunch. Once we had finished lunch, we tried the Mayan foods we had made. After we had tried all of the foods, we went back up to class and made some Mayan pyramids with paper, duct tape, scissors, and a pencil, before the Mayan day had finished.

Midday Meals Supervisors Vacancy

We are looking to employ two midday meal supervisors to work from 11.45am to 1.15pm Monday to Friday, however we are happy to consider fewer days as part of a job share. Please see the advert attached to this e-mail for further details. If you are interested in applying for one of these posts, please come and have a chat with me.

Wakoos

Wakoos would like to thank you for supporting their cake sale which raised £63. Due to the success they will be holding a monthly cake sale on the 2nd Tuesday every month between 3-4pm.

Inset Days 2016/2017

17 February 2017

26 May 2017

05 June 2017

Dates for your Diary 2016/2017

Mon 9 Jan	Y4 Swimming at Billingshurst 1pm weekly until 27 th March
Wed 11 Jan	Maple Class Forest School Session weekly until 1 st March (Extra session)
Fri 17 Feb	INSET DAY
Mon 20-24 Feb	HALF TERM
Mon 27 Feb	BACK TO SCHOOL
Tues 28 Feb	Parents' Evening
Thurs 2 Mar	Parents' Evening
Thur 2 Mar	World Book Day
Fri 3 Mar	Daffodil Assembly 2.30pm
Wed 8 Mar	Year 5 Trip to Christ Church School Streatham
Thurs 9 Mar	PPSA Bingo 6.30pm for 7pm start
Fri 17- 20 Mar	IOW Residential
Mon 20 Mar	Oak Class Goodwood Farm Trip (TBC)
Fri 24 Mar	Red Nose Day
Thurs 30 Mar	Beech Class to Chichester Museum
Fri 31 Mar	PPSA Spring Ball (disco)
Fri 31 Mar	ALL TEACHER LED CLUBS FINISH THIS WEEK
Fri 7 Apr	END OF SPRING TERM
Mon 24 Apr	BACK TO SCHOOL START OF SUMMER TERM
Mon 1 May	BANK HOLIDAY SCHOOL CLOSED
Tues 23 May	Year 1 and 2 Planetarium Trip (TBC)
Fri 26 May	INSET DAY
Mon 29-2 June	HALF TERM
Mon 5 June	INSET DAY
Sat 24 June	PPSA Summer Fair
Wed 28 June	MRC Transition Day
Tues 25 July	END OF SUMMER TERM
Mon 4 Sept	Start of Autumn Term
Mon 11-15 Sept	Year 6 Bikeability

Yours sincerely



John Galvin
Headteacher

Midday Meals Supervisor Vacancies Part Time Term Time only

Grade W02 SP10 £7.43 per hour.

Required to start as soon as possible

We currently have two vacancies for Midday Meals Supervisors to start as soon as possible. The posts are for 7.5 hours a week, term time only. The hours will be 11.45am - 1.15pm Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. However we are happy to consider fewer days as a part of job share.

Your role will include setting up the hall and supervising lunchtime with the children, supporting play activities, providing pastoral support for the children and generally ensuring they are safe and happy.

This is an opportunity to join our friendly and supportive staff and make a real difference to the children in our school.

Please do not hesitate to contact Karen Carter for further information or to arrange a visit and an informal chat with Mr Galvin (Headteacher) on 01798 342369 or by email at office@petworth.w-sussex.sch.uk