

Petworth C of E Primary School

Autumn Newsletter No.8



3 November 2016

Dear Parents/Carers

Chance to win £1000

We have a chance to win a £1000 to improve our school grounds. Please vote for us at



<https://community-fund.aviva.co.uk/voting/project/view/16-3086>.

Thank you to everyone who has already voted.

Staff News

It is with much sadness that I announce that Mrs Duffy will be leaving the school at the end of this term. Mrs Duffy has had her fingers in many pies since she first started at Petworth; none more than helping lead the school through some difficult times during the last academic year. In addition to this she has raised the profile of physical education across the school and encouraging our children to participate in numerous competitions.

She will be sorely missed by everyone and we hope she will still play a part in the school's future one way or another.

Tag Rugby Club

Unfortunately there will be no Tag Rugby Club on Monday 7th and 21st November.

Midday Meals Supervisors Vacancy

We are looking to employ two midday meal supervisors to work from 11.45 am to 1.15 pm 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.

Teaching Assistant

We are looking to employ a Teaching Assistant to work from 12pm to 3.15pm Monday to Friday. Please see the advert attached to this e-mail for further details.

School Photographs

Just to remind you that the school photographer will be here tomorrow.

Childrens Work

Beech Class

Rounding Code Breaker

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
400	450	55	510	0	550	22,000	900	10	2000	200	56	40

N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
940	100	3000	3300	6000	1400	1000	990	1320	520	1	4000	9999

Answer the following questions to crack my code.
The order of the letters in each word has been muddled up.

Question	Answer	Letter
387 is between 300 and <u>400</u>	400	A
1489 is between <u>1400</u> and 1500.	1400	S
980 is between 900 and <u>1000</u>	1000	T
32 is between 30 and <u>40</u>	40	M
863 is between 800 and <u>900</u>	900	H
Round 7 to the nearest 10	10	I
Round 1420 to the nearest 100	1400	S
Round 3,522 to the nearest 1000	4000	X
Round 35 to the nearest 10	40	M
Round 1318 to the nearest 10	1320	V
Round 995 to the nearest 10	1000	T
Round 12.6 to the nearest 10	10	I
Round 430 to the nearest 1000	1000	T
Round 52 to the nearest 100	100	O
Round 554 to the nearest 10	550	F
Round 5,555 to the nearest 1000	6000	R
Round 397 to the nearest 10	400	A
Round 994 to the nearest 10	990	U
Round 1970 to the nearest 100	2000	X
Round 54.69 to the nearest whole number	55	C
Round 1429 to the nearest 1000	1000	T
Round 45 to the nearest 100	0	E
Round 986 to the nearest 10	990	U
Round 452.9 to the nearest 10	450	B
Round 1363 to the nearest 100	1400	S

The answer:

MATHS, IS, MX, FAVOURIT, SUBJECT

Code breaking by Ben

Scrooge the Pantomime

This year the Petworth Players are putting on a production of Scrooge on the 24th, 25th and 26th November at the Herbert Shiner. Tickets are available from Baytree Bakery or www.petworthplayers.co.uk

Inset Days 2016/2017

03 January	2017
17 February	2017
26 May	2017
05 June	2017

Dates for your Diary 2016/2017

Fri	4 Nov	School Photos
Mon	7 Nov	Willow Class visit to Globe Theatre London
Mon	7 Nov	PPSA Daffodil Planting
Mon	7 Nov	No Tag Rugby today
Wed	9 Nov	Midhurst & Petworth Rotary Music Festival at MRC 7pm
Fri	11 Nov	Year 5 Quick Sticks Hockey MRC 2pm-4pm
Fri	18 Nov	Children in Need come to school dressed in spots for a £1 donation
Fri	18 Nov	Kid Club Xtra 3.15-4.15pm (family tea from 4.15-5.15pm)
Sat	19 Nov	Petworth Fair
Mon	21 Nov	No Tag Rugby Club today
Wed	23 Nov	Peer Mediation Meeting 3.15pm
Fri	25 Nov	Maths Calculation and Reasoning Strategies 9.00-10.00am
Fri	2 Dec	PPSA Christmas Fair 6-8pm
Wed	7 Dec	Key Stage One Navity 1.30pm
Thurs	8 Dec	Key Stage One Navity 6pm
Fri	9 Dec	EYFS/KS1 Peter Pan Panto in school 1.30pm
Mon	12 Dec	Year 1 only Petworth House Christmas Party
Tues	13 Dec	KS2 Panto Horsham 1.30pm
Thurs	15 Dec	Christmas Service at St Mary's Church at 9.30am
Fri	16 Dec	END OF AUTUMN TERM
Tues	3 Jan	INSET DAY
Wed	4 Jan	BACK TO SCHOOL START OF SPRING TERM
Mon	9 Jan	Y4 Swimming at Billingshurst 1pm weekly until 27 th March
Fri	17 Feb	INSET DAY
Mon	20-24 Feb	HALF TERM
Fri	7 Apr	END OF SPRING TERM
Mon	24 Apr	BACK TO SCHOOL START OF SUMMER TERM
Mon	1 May	BANK HOLIDAY SCHOOL CLOSED
Fri	26 May	INSET DAY
Mon	29-2 June	HALF TERM
Mon	5 June	INSET DAY
Wed	28 June	MRC Transition Day
Tues	25 July	END OF SUMMER TERM

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

Teaching Assistant

Grade 3 Point 11-13 £15,507 - £16,191 (pro-rata)

16.25 hours per week, term time only 12 noon to 3:15 pm

Actual salary £5,658 - £5,908

The Governors of Petworth C of E Primary School are seeking to appoint a temporary, part time Teaching Assistant, to start on Wednesday 4th January, to provide one to one support for a specific child until the end of the 2017 summer term. The hours are from 12 noon to 3:15pm as we are looking for someone to support a child during their lunch time as well as supporting this child in class and away from the classroom focusing on specific tasks.

We are looking for:

- An enthusiastic and caring individual to support a child with special educational needs.
- An inclusive individual, with high expectations of every child.
- A Teaching Assistant who can demonstrate good interpersonal skills, be an effective team member and be prepared to use their own initiative.

The successful candidates will:

- Be patient, flexible and adaptable, who is able to feedback to the class teacher.
- Be committed and keen to work as part of a team.

Petworth C of E Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of our children and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. All appointments are subject to pre-employment checks, including an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service with barred lists check. This will be done by means of applying for a DBS certificate through the Disclosure and Barring Service. Disclosures include details of cautions, reprimands or final warnings as well as convictions, spent or unspent. As the role will be working with children under 8 the successful candidate will be required to sign a declaration form declaring they are not disqualified from undertaking this work under the Childcare (Disqualification) Regulations 2009.

Visits to the school are welcomed and encouraged. To arrange a visit or for further information please contact Karen Carter, on 01798 342369 or email office@petworth.w-sussex.sch.uk.

Closing date for applications: Wednesday 30th November 2016 at 9.00am

Shortlisting: Wednesday 30th November 2016

Interviews: Monday 5th December 2016