

Headlines

13th February 2026



Dear Parents,

It is pretty incredible that we have already come to the half way point in the year – it seems to have just flown by!

The next half term is equally as short and we have lots of learning to do and exciting events to take part in.

I hope you all have a great half term and that the sun shines, at least some of the time. I will see you all on Monday 23rd February at 8.50am
Mrs T L Good

Staffing News

Miss Pocock in our office is leaving us and her last day is today. Lorraine joined us when her little boy was in reception and then stayed on after he left! Lorraine has been a wonderfully reliable presence in our school office and is well known for her ability to find a good deal when ordering resources and is a calm presence in cases of first aid and emergency. She has also personally supported me and the Governors through the last 10 years and we will miss her. Good luck, Lorraine!

Taking her role will be Mrs Jo Rose who will be learning the ropes from Miss Pocock over the next few weeks.

Parents' Evening

Thank you to all the parents who attended parents evening this week. I hope you found it a valuable opportunity to talk to the class teacher and see some of your children's work and learning. If you did not attend, a report will be sent home with you child tonight.

Attendance

If a child is not at school they are not learning and not spending valuable time with their friends. While we realise that sometimes school has to be missed because of illness, the office staff are always ready to call parents if needed once a child gets to school. We encourage every child to come to school every day – and parents to talk to us if they are having difficulty.

Surrey asks us to remind you that, if you take your children out of school without authority for 5 or more days (which do not have to be consecutive), then you may be fined.

Staffing News

As many of you are aware Miss Watts was absent from school for just over a year being treated for, and recovering from, breast cancer. She returned to us in September to teach Year 5, with Ms Chaudhry, and was her vibrant, amazing and full-of-life self, enjoying being with the children, taking part in the residential and teaching fantastically.

I am very sad to have to tell you that Miss Watts' cancer has returned, quite suddenly. She is currently considering treatment and will be absent from school for the foreseeable future.

Ms Chaudhry will now be teaching Y5 for most of the time and this week Mrs Carter has been supporting the class, alongside Mrs Meyer and Mrs McAllister. I will confirm any changes to these arrangements with the Year 5 parents after half term. Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any concerns.

I am sure you will join me in sending Miss Watts and her family all our strength and love.

Dates for your diary

Further information will be sent out.

Description	Date	Time
y5&6 To Rose Theatre	13/02/26	09:00 - 13:30
Spring Half Term	16/02/26 - 20/02/26	
Y5 game against Stepgates	25/02/26	15:00 - 16:30
Break the Rules Day	27/02/26	all day
2pm Y5 football Holy Family	27/02/26	14:00 - 16:00
Family Learning Week	02/03/26	all day
Book Fair this week	02/03/26	all day
Dance Festival @ Notre Dame -	05/03/26	11:30 - 15:30
Bikeability Level 2	09/03/26 - 13/03/26	
Y6 football game Sayes Court	11/03/26	15:00 - 16:00
Rock Steady Performance TBC	19/03/26	14:30 - 15:00
Notre Dame district X country	21/03/26	08:30 - 14:00
PTFA School Disco	23/03/26	17:00 - 19:30
Macbeth Performance to Parents	24/03/26	14:00 - 15:30
Easter Holiday	28/03/26 - 12/04/26	
Runnymede Sportability festival	16/04/26	
Governors Meeting	21/04/26	18:30 - 20:30
Year 1 Lookout Discovery Centre	22/04/26	09:00 - 15:00
Bikeability Level 1	24/04/26	09:00 - 12:00
May Day Holiday	04/05/26	all day
SATs week	11/05/26	all day
Year 3 Haselmere Museum	14/05/26	all day
Reception trip Gatton Park	19/05/26	all day
Chess Tournament in Hall	19/05/26	13:30 - 16:00
Summer Half Term	25/05/26 - 29/05/26	
Governors Meeting SDP	09/06/26	18:30 - 20:30
District Sports	10/06/26	all day
Class Photographs	19/06/26	08:30 - 11:00
Full Governing Body Meeting	07/07/26	18:30 - 20:30
Rock Steady TBC	09/07/26	14:30 - 15:00
End of Term 17 th July 1.30pm		

See PTFA Newsletter over the page.