



Newsletter

Week 2 – 02 - 05 - 25

FOREWORD



Dear Parents and Carers,

What a week of sunshine! We hope you have enjoyed it and thank you to 'Friends' for selling ice creams today...much appreciated.

This week Year 5 experienced the planetarium that came to the school. It was amazing a really supports their learning in class.

Thank you to those parents who came to the Year 2 phonics meeting on Tuesday. It was great to talk openly about how we can work together to support children in and out of school. More details to come.

We also had our Wandle Workout today. It was hot but the children did great and we kept the sessions short. Thank you to everyone who sponsored the children. It has been a great success!

David Masters

UPDATES

Week Attendance:

National Target: 95% +
National Actual YTD: 95.1%
FCVS Infants: 94.1%
FCVS Juniors: 95.2%

- **Next Week:**

Please be aware that it is a Bank Holiday on Monday so both schools will be closed. We will be open again on Tuesday, usual time.

Cedar Class will be off on their residential on Tuesday for 2 nights to Beaulieu Farm. I hope they get some rest this weekend as they will need it!

On Tuesday after school we will be hosting and taking part in a Year 4 mixed football festival that involves 11 schools. We have asked the coffee van who normally comes to our sports day to serve refreshments. They will be open for the end of the school day, so go a along. We receive 10% of takings!



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Diary Dates

Key	
<p>This is a working document and will change over the year, therefore we use this colour key to show how updated versions are the same or different to previously sent.</p> <p>It is intended to be a list of events so they can be saved in diaries. Alternatively, you can subscribe to our online calendar using this link: https://farnhamcommonjunior.secure-primariesite.net/diary/grid/2024/01/</p>	
	What has stayed the same
	What is new
	What has been changed from previously stated
ED	An 'Event Details' document will be sent home

Date/Time	Event
<p>Summer 1 2024-25 Tuesday 22nd April – Friday 23rd May</p>	
Monday 5th May	BANK HOLIDAY – Schools closed
Tuesday 6 th May	Hosting a Year 4 Football Festival
Tuesday 6 th May – Thursday 8 th May	Cedar – Beaulieu Farm Residential
Thursday 8 th May	VE Day events in both schools
Friday 9 th May	Pret-a-Portrait – Photo Day
Monday 12 th May – Wednesday 14 th May	Hawthorn – Beaulieu Farm Residential
Monday 12 th May – Thursday 15 th May	KS2 SAT's Week – Year 6
Tuesday 13 th May	Year 4 Trip to Woolley Firs
Thursday 15 th May	Reception Trip to Library
Monday 19 th May	Walk to School Week
Tuesday 20 th May AM	Gold Junior Challenge Trip Sky Studios
Wednesday 21 st May	Walk to school from Burnham Beeches in the morning for Infants and Juniors
Friday 23 rd May	INSET Day – Schools Closed



Summer 2 2024-25 Tuesday 2nd June – Wednesday 23rd July	
Monday 2 nd June – Friday 13 th June	Year 4 Multiplication Test Window
Thursday 5 th June	Meeting about Secondary Transfer Test and applying for secondary school – Year 5's
Wednesday 11 th June	KS2 Celebration of Work Year 3 to Year 6 ED
Thursday 12 th June	EYFS and KS1 Celebration of Work Nursery to Year 2 ED
Monday 16 th June – Friday 20 th June	Year 6 River Dart Residential
Tuesday 24 th June	New Reception Parents Meeting
Thursday 26 th June	New Year 3 Parents Meeting
Thursday 26 th June	Junior Clock Sports
Thursday 26 th June	New Classes Letters to Parents
Friday 27 th June	Sports Day ED
Tuesday 1 st July	Transition Day
Tuesday 8 th July	Nursery Transition Afternoon
Wednesday 9 th July	Nursery Transition Afternoon
Tuesday 15 th July	Reports to Parents
Tuesday 15 th July	Year 4 to Oakwood
Tuesday 15 th July	Year 2 Show
Wednesday 16 th July	Year 6 Show - Afternoon
Thursday 17 th July	Year 6 Show - Evening
Wednesday 23 rd July	Year 6 Leavers Assembly
Wednesday 23 rd July	End of Year



Next Week's Menu

Week Three

W/C: 5/5, 9/6, 14/7

Meat Free Monday

Vg Tomato Pasta with Peas
V Baked Potato with Grated Cheese & Baked Beans
All accompanied by carrot sticks and cucumber
Fresh Seasonal Fruit or Yoghurts (v)

Tuesday

* Pork Sausage, V Mash Potato & Mixed Vegetables
Vg Vegetable Sausage, V Mash Potato & Mixed Vegetables
V Baked Potato with Grated Cheese
All accompanied by a fresh seasonal salad
V Lemon Drizzle Cake
or
Fresh Fruit

Wednesday

GF Roast Chicken Fillet Vg GF Roast Potatoes,
Seasonal Vegetables & V GF Gravy
V Mac and Cheese, Vg, Seasonal Vegetables
V Baked Potato with Grated Cheese
All accompanied by a fresh seasonal salad
Fresh Fruit selection or Yoghurts (v)

Thursday

V Green Pesto Pasta & Baby Carrots
Vg Vegan Sausage Roll with Baked Beans
V Baked Potato with Grated Cheese
All accompanied by a fresh seasonal salad
V Vanilla Ice Cream
or
Vg Fresh Fruit

Friday

* Breaded Fishcake, Vg GF Oven Chips & Baked Beans
Vg Vegetable Samosa, Vg GF Oven Chips & Baked Beans
V Baked Potato with Grated Cheese & Baked Beans
All accompanied with sliced cucumber salad
V Ginger Bread Biscuits
or
Vg Fresh Fruit

- Vegan Cheese is available upon request.
- A selection of Gluten free products are available upon request



A r t i c l e s :

Eco Club Cake Sale: Wednesday 7 May, 3.15pm, Junior School Field

As part of our biodiversity work, the Eco Club have been busy planning how to make our school bee-friendly. We would like to hold a cake sale next week to help raise funds to buy some pollinator-friendly plants and gardening equipment. All donations of small cakes are gratefully accepted for our sale. We look forward to seeing you there.

VE Day - 8th May

To commemorate the 80th anniversary of VE Day, on Thursday 8th May the pupils in the junior school will be having a special assembly. This will include singing a special VE Day song that they have been learning.

The children in the junior school will also be joining together to eat their lunch on the field, along with staff. Pupils who have school dinners will also be able to eat outside. If your child has a picnic rug that they would like to bring in, that would be lovely but certainly not essential. As this will be a special VE Day picnic, you may wish help them get into the mood by including a piece of cake for them to eat as part of their picnic lunch.

SEE BELOW FOR DISCO DETAILS!!!!



FRIENDS OF FCVS PRESENT

FESTIVAL DISCO

FRIDAY 16TH MAY 2025

SONG REQUESTS / TOYS / TUCK SHOP

JUNIOR SCHOOL HALL

4.15 - 5.45PM

TICKETS £3

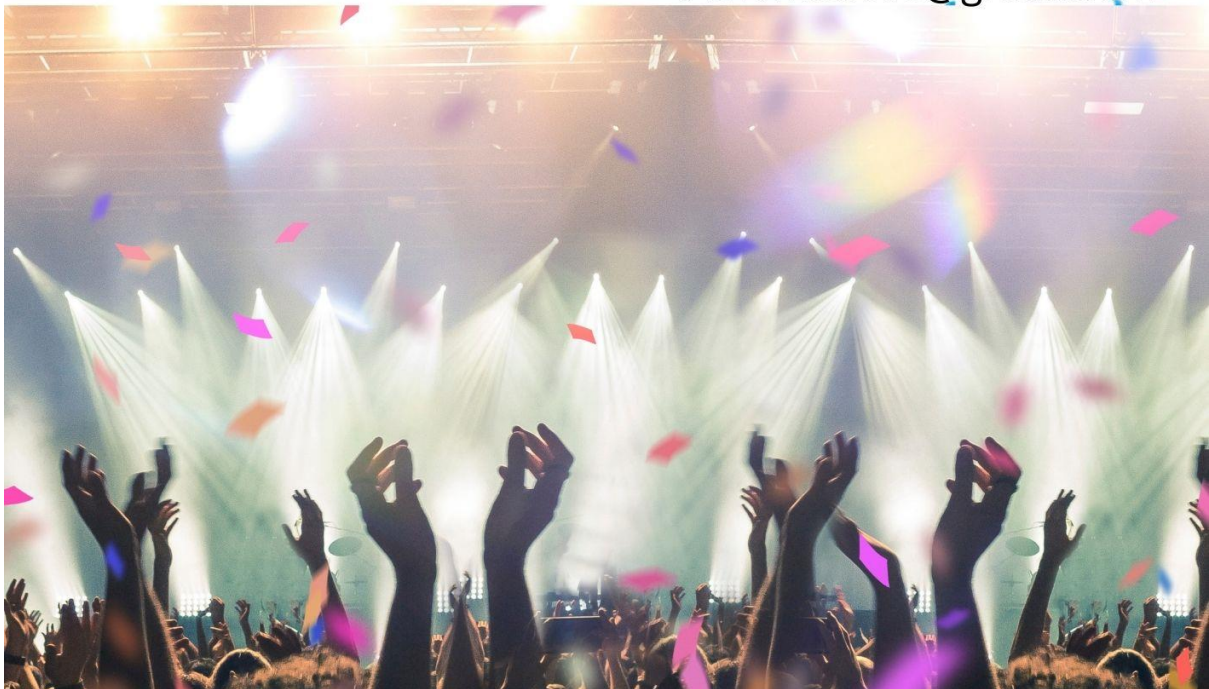
PRE-PURCHASE ONLY VIA PTA EVENTS UNTIL 14TH MAY

OPTION FOR AFTER SCHOOL CLUB TRANSFER

POCKET MONEY STALLS 50P - £2

ALL PROCEEDS GO TO THE SCHOOL - NO MOBILE PHONES

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