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Friday Flier



As we come to the end of another busy and exciting half term, we would like to thank all of our children, staff and families for their continued support. The past few weeks have been filled with lots of fun activities and memorable experiences across the school. As well as some sad ones as we said a sad goodbye to our friend and colleague, Mrs Pratt.

Year 2 thoroughly enjoyed their Bugfest experience and creative Art workshop, before ending the half term with a lovely picnic alongside parents and carers.

Year 1 stepped back in time with their visit to an old-fashioned Sweet Shop and also enjoyed exploring the local area on a walk linked to their learning.

Our Year R children had a wonderful trip to the Arundel Wetlands, where they explored nature and wildlife.

INSET Days for Next Year: Purbrook Infant and Purbrook Junior School

- Tuesday 01 September 2026
- Wednesday 25 November 2026
- Monday 22 February 2027
- Monday 07 June 2027
- Wednesday 21 July 2027

Busy Bees

These children received their Busy Bee Stamp this week and this was celebrated in a year group assembly:

Year R: *Pippin Atkins, Freddie Fletcher, Logan Kyriakou, Rueben Longman and Ava McAndrew.* **Year 1:** *Florrie Ackerman, Freda Beech, Bambi Goodeve, Dhyllen Johnson, Poppy Manson, Ruben Morgan, Freddie Pearce, Tobias Russell, Chester Snowdon, Victoria Soueidan and Charlie Tribe.*

Class Reading Challenge: Raffle Winners

I am delighted to let you know that the class winners of this week's raffle were:

- Robins' Class
- Woodpeckers' Class
- Owls' Class

Makaton Star of the Week is: *Robyn Canaway*

Reporting Absence

A reminder that as well as telephoning the school, you can also report your child's absence via a company called **Studybugs** which enables you to go online via a phone or computer to report your child's absence securely. To get the free Studybugs app, or register on their website go to (<https://studybugs.com/about/parents>). If your child is unwell, it is your responsibility to inform the school of this.

Forest School Sessions

Timetables for next half term have been sent today and the timetable for the first week back is shown below. Paper copies are on the notice boards by the North Door and the South Door. Additional PE sessions will take place on Tuesday for children in Year 1 and on Friday for children in Year 2. You are also able to check the timetable by clicking the links on the next page:

[Year R Summer B Forest and PE Timetable](#)

[Year 1 and Year 2: Summer B Forest and PE Timetable](#)

Date	Forest School	PE
Thursday 04 June	Robins	Wagtails
		Kingfishers

Year 2		
Date	Forest School	PE
Wednesday 03 June	Eagles	Kestrels
		Owls

Year 1		
Date	Forest School	PE
Thursday 04 June	Blackbirds	Woodpeckers
		Doves

Lunch Menu

This is available for parents to view and order online. Please go to <https://app.schoolgrid.co.uk/> where you can view and order a lunch for your child.

Ordering in Advance: You can order in advance for the whole week (possibly longer). If you do this but then your child is not in school before 9.15am because you are late or are taking them to an appointment but you haven't informed us of this, **their lunch request will be cancelled** and you will need to provide them with a packed lunch. Whilst lunches are free to parents, the school has to pay for these.

If your child has an appointment and will be in late but requires a lunch that day, please let us know by leaving the school a voicemail. We have set up a designated telephone option – option 4. You can pre-order a lunch or leave us a message (before 9.15am). We just need you to let us know that your child will be in later that day. Please do not leave a message on the normal absence line as staff may not get to your message in time and your child's lunch will be cancelled.

The school closes today for the half term break and reopens on **Tuesday 02 June at 7.45 for children attending Breakfast Club and 8.45am for all other children.** Monday is an Inset day and the school is closed to pupils. I hope that you have a peaceful and relaxing break with your children and that the weather is fine so we can all enjoy getting out and about.

Yours sincerely



Mrs L A de Carteret
Headteacher