

WEEKLY WRAP UP

St Andrews C. of E. Infant School

Autumn 25/26 - 003

Head Teacher Awards

Demonstrating our school values



**Oliver
Margaux**



**Esme
Kit**



Bishops



Diary Dates

27th September	Open Day (prospective families) 1pm
1st October	PTFA AGM 7.45pm (School Hall)
6th October	Individual school photos
21st October	Flu Immunisation
22nd October	Parents Evening (details to follow)
23rd October	Parents Evening (details to follow)
24th October	INSET Day
27th-31st October	Half Term
3rd November	INSET Day
19th December	Break Up at 1.20pm

Highlights

International Day The children thoroughly enjoyed their interactive and immersive learning experiences in school today, as they were introduced to the delights of Poland, France and Italy.

Welcome BBQ The sun literally shone down on us last Friday, as we all enjoyed the annual Welcome BBQ! It was lovely to see so many new faces and we hope you all enjoyed yourselves. Thankyou to our BBQ organisers for all the efforts - we are always looking for more helpers at these events, so please do get involved.

Farnham Charity Bike Ride The fabulous weather contributed to the huge success of Sunday's event. Final total to be revealed. Thank you to the St Andrew's Bike Ride Team and also to the many parent and staff volunteers helping on the day.



Lots of fun at Glockenspiel Club - a few remaining spaces if anyone would like to join? Friday 12.30-1pm

A Note From Mrs Lloyd

What an action packed week this has been! We all enjoyed the Welcome BBQ last Friday, and it was wonderful to welcome so many new families to the school.

The Charity Farnham Bike Ride was a HUGE success and has raised so much money for the school - the final total will be revealed very soon! Thank you to everyone volunteering as marshals and on Refreshment points - we couldn't have achieved the success of the event without you.

International Day has been amazing and I hope your children have come home talking about what they have learned about Poland, France and Italy. The pizzas certainly smelt heavenly wafting down the corridors!

Wishing you all a wonderful weekend!







Farnham Charity Bike Ride - thank you to all of our volunteers!!!!!!

half term activities

Spark your child's imagination and creativity with our programme of fun events and activities

- Sat 25 October - Halloween Soap Making
- Sat 25 October - Theatre: Stories in the Dust
- Mon 27 October - Junk Puppets Workshop
- Mon 27 October - Filmmaking: Spooky Sustainable Horror
- Mon 27 October - Halloween Polymer Clay Jewellery
- Tue 28 October - Learn to Crochet Together
- Tue 28 October - Cinema: Flow
- Wed 29 October - 3D Design & Make
- Wed 29 October - Crafty Kids at Farnham Museum
- Thu 30 October - Crafty Kids at Farnham Museum
- Thu 30 October - Artbox Mixed Media
- Fri 31 October - Cupcake Decorating



scan or click here for more information

farnhammaltings.com/half-term
Bridge Square, Surrey, GU9 7QR



PTFA DATES...

**PTFA AGM
WEDNESDAY 1ST OCT
7.45PM AT SCHOOL**



FARNHAM ROUND TABLE FIREWORKS SATURDAY 8TH NOV

Tickets are now on sale!
FREE FAMILY TICKETS ON OFFER
(2 adults and 2 children) for anyone
who would like to volunteer to help
the Round Table with the torch lit
parade. More info to follow.



**CHRISTMAS FAIR
FRIDAY 28TH NOV
AFTER SCHOOL**



The 'Really Useful Information' Section

PE Days Autumn Term

Caterpillars - Thursday

Butterflies - Monday & Wednesday

Otters - Tuesday & Friday

Space2Grow Caterpillars - Monday afternoon

Gates Opening Times

8.25—8.40am - Early Morning Work

8.40am - Registration

School Office - Open each day 8.15am-16.45pm *

Office is closed each day between 12.30pm-13.05pm

* Wednesday 8.30am-15.30pm

- Please do involve your child when making lunch selections to ensure they like what you have chosen for them. Please book by Thursday each week for the following week. Please select the L code if your child is bringing a packed lunch from home.
- PE kit should consist of plain navy sports shorts or navy joggers, blue PE t-shirt, blue PE hoodie and trainers
- Black trainers should NOT be worn as an alternative to school shoes
- **MID-MORNING SNACKS** If you are supplying your own snacks, please ensure they are only fruit, veg, cheese or cut up grapes.
- Water only in drinks bottles.
- Reminder that a Half Session at Care Club finishes at 4.30pm, if you arrive later you may incur a charge

For more really useful information, please refer to our school website: www.standrews-infant.surrey.sch.uk

**** ATTENDANCE NOTICE ****

Just to remind parents/carers that if they take their children out of school without authority for 5 or more days (which do not have to be consecutive), then the following will apply:

1. If you have not incurred a penalty notice relating to this child/children in a rolling 3 year period since 19 August 2024, then the penalty notice will be charged at the rate of £160.00, **per parent/carer per child**, if paid within 28 days. This will be reduced to £80.00 if paid within 21 days of receipt of the notice. Failure to pay the Penalty Notice will result in Surrey County Council considering legal proceedings against you in the Magistrates Court.

2. If you have incurred a penalty notice relating to this child/children since 19 August 2024, the rolling 3 year period will be activated from the date of the first penalty notice and the second penalty notice will be charged at the flat rate of £160.00, **per parent/carer per child**, if paid within 28 days. There will be no ~ reduction for payment within 21 days. Failure to pay the Penalty Notice will result in Surrey County Council considering legal proceedings against you in the Magistrates Court.

3. If you have incurred 2 penalty notices relating to this child/children in the rolling 3 year period since the first penalty notice was issued, then you will NOT receive a third penalty notice – Surrey County Council will have no option but to consider a prosecution, **per parent/carer per child**, in the Magistrates Court under s 444 Education Act 1996.

Surrey County Council is not responsible for authorising pupil absence and therefore cannot withdraw any Penalty Notice requests without the written permission of the Headteacher.