

Twineham CofE School



Nurture Togetherness Resilience Creativity

Summer Term 12th May 2023

Diary Dates (newly added dates in red)

12th May Cake Sale after school

18th May Outdoor Classroom Day

29th May-2nd June Half Term

14th June Class Photos23rd June Sports Day

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2nd July FOTS Summer Fair

6th July Y6 Leavers Service at Christ's Hospital (just Year 6)

14th July Day of Sport

18th July FOTS End of Year Party

19th July Leaver's Service @ St Peter's (all welcome)

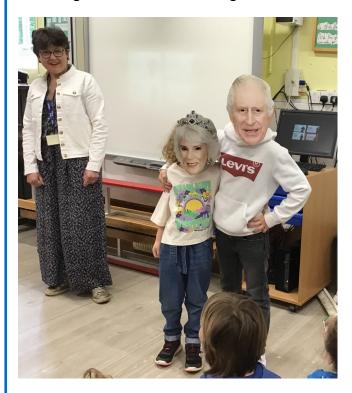
20th July Last day of the summer term!

21st July INSET day (school closed to all children)

There are 700 rooms in Bucking-ham Palace

Coronation

We hope you had a great weekend celebrating and helping out. The children have loved finding out more about King Charles and celebrating in lots of different ways around the school.



He's 74 years old

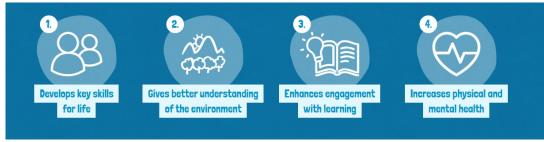


Outdoor Classroom Day

On Thursday we will participate in Outdoor Classroom Day along with thousands of schools worldwide.

At Twineham we feel outdoor learning is a central part of the children's school experience because of its

proven benefits...



Check out: https://outdoorclassroomday.org.uk/ to find out more and to spot us on the map. A 5 teampoint bonus for anyone who lets Mrs Cotton know the strange thing about our school on the map!

Children should come to school in school uniform as normal. However, please wear long trousers or leggings if possible. Don't forget wellies and waterproofs

Teaching Assistant Opportunities

Mrs Earnshaw has gained a brilliant position as a Higher Level Teaching Assistant at another school and will be leaving us at Half Term. She has been a fantastic part of the Twineham team and we will miss her. We wish her every success in her new role.

We are therefore recruiting for her role and may have additional roles available for September as we have a bumper group of new Reception children to welcome in!

If you are interested in being a Teaching Assistant, or know someone who might be, please search for Twineham on the West Sussex School Job page to find out more, or catch Mrs Cotton on the gate for a chat.

https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/jobs/school-jobs/

Worship Spot

Reverend Rachel joined us for Collective Worship this week. We thought about God's family and our own families. We are all different from each other but recognised that this makes us stronger together. We each thought of something we are good at that we could help someone else with.

Every child is a gift and every child is gifted

This Week's Celebrations...

On Thursdays, we celebrate children who have been doing some great learning, showing amazing behaviour for learning or living out our school values. This week the value we have been focussing on is: nurture.

Buttercups: Noelle

Poppy: Boden and Jasper

Willow: Rhys

Oakwood: Max and Lonnie

FOTS Update

Don't forget we have a bake sale TODAY after school! Please bring in a bake and grab yourself some yummy treats at home-time.

If you have not yet given your fundraising in from the Welly Walk, please do so by Monday (15th).

Dates for the diary:

Summer Fair - 2nd July

End of Year Party - 18th July, 4pm at Rawson Hall, Bolney





Further information you may be interested in....

Invitation to Community Consultation Day at Borde Hill: Saturday 13th May 10am-3pm

As you may be aware, here at Borde Hill we are developing exciting plans for our *Reinventing Borde Hill* project, which seeks to connect communities with the restorative power of nature, helping local people feel mentally and physically replenished and inspiring future generations through outdoor learning. We know that access to outdoor spaces has huge benefits for wellbeing, but that easily accessible community facilities and outdoor spaces can be hard to find. We're developing plans to open up new areas of Borde Hill's South Park to visitors in a sustainable and accessible way, with new facilities that will allow communities to learn, play, and reconnect with nature. We care passionately about our natural environment and this project will enable us to unlock 110 acres of listed heritage parkland to new and diverse audiences, while enhancing the biodiversity that lies within the South Park and beyond.

We are working in close consultation with local groups, volunteers, and schools to develop the plans for this project, ensuring our local community plays a meaningful role in shaping the plans.

We are hosting a **Community Consultation Day at Borde Hill on Saturday 13th May from 10am-3pm**, and would be delighted if you would join us, as we would like to share our plans with you and hear your thoughts and feedback.

Visitors to our Community Consultation Day will discover:

- Displays showing the latest plans for the future of the South Park, providing an opportunity to hear directly from the Architects and enabling them to hear your thoughts
- Outdoor learning and wellbeing taster activities for all ages including world seed sowing
- A Dinosaur Children's trail around Robertsmere Lake
- An opportunity to find out about Sugworth Farm, our biodynamic farm

A fun day out in nature with food and drink available to purchase, or bring a blanket and enjoy a picnic in the beautiful South Park landscape

If you and your family/organisation or other group are planning to attend this free event, please could you kindly register at the following link: https://forms.gle/HNvsR7iH81TQv8TM7.

Borde Hill is located just outside Haywards Heath, and the postcode is RH16 1XP.

We hope to see you on the 13th May!