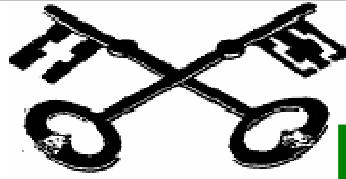


# St Peters C.E Junior School Newsletter

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Issue 2 Spring Term



Headteacher: Mrs J Southern  
Dep. Headteacher: Miss C Oakes

## Headteacher's News

Dear Parents,

A really **BIG THANK YOU** to Mr Newell and all the parents who helped clear the snow at school including the footpath between St Peter's and Yateley Infant School!

Once again, please accept my apologies for the inconvenience caused to you last week when the school was unexpectedly closed due to the adverse weather conditions.

Given the interruption to the start of the Spring Term the children have settled back in extremely well and I thank you all for your co-operation, patience and understanding. I really hope we have seen the last of this disruptive weather.

The staff had a really beneficial INSET day last week working with the English Inspector focusing on guided reading and assessing children's progress in reading.

This has been an exciting week with Year 4 starting their national curriculum swimming lessons at Yateley Manor School with Mr. Tristan Morris their swimming instructor. A group of year 5 and 6 children are attending Maths Master Classes at Frogmore Community College, for the next three Friday mornings. I look forward to hearing all about these exciting sessions.

Thanks for all the Christmas cards we have received for recycling - please check around at home as next week will be our last opportunity to help the Woodland Trust as the last day for recycling will be Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> January.

A date for your diary - I am pleased to announce that the PTA will be organising a Valentine's disco on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> February from 6.00.p.m.

With very best wishes.

**Janet Southern**  
Headteacher

## HOUSE POINTS

Red House	810 points
Yellow House	721 points
Blue House	764 points

## SCHOOL DIARY

### January 2010

Mon 25<sup>th</sup> INSET Day – School closed to Children

### February

Fri 12<sup>th</sup> PTA Disco

Half term 15- 19<sup>th</sup> February

Easter 2<sup>nd</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> April

### May

Mon 10<sup>th</sup> End of Key Stage 2 Statutory Attainment Tests' week

### Half term

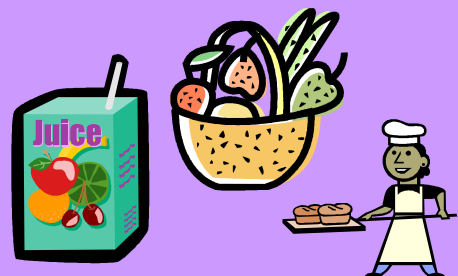
31<sup>st</sup> May –4<sup>th</sup> June

23<sup>rd</sup> July end of Summer Term



*Congratulations to Diane Marx and her family on the birth of baby Jonathan who was born on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> January weighing in at 2.79kg / 6lb 2oz.*

Fruit juice, fresh fruit and warm bread rolls are available at break time 30p





**Special Needs Information Day April 2010**

Contact a Family and Hampshire Parent Partnership Service are pleased to announce that this year's Special Needs Information Day is on Saturday 24 April 2010 at The Connaught School, Tongham Road, Aldershot.

We have now been holding these free events for thirteen years, giving families and practitioners the opportunity to gather information about support and services available across the county.

Visitors can come along at any time between 10am and 3pm to browse the exhibits, and to chat to representatives from voluntary organisations and statutory services about a wide range of special needs and related issues.

Alongside the exhibition, a series of workshops and information talks will be on offer, and visitors can pre-book their free places on the sessions of their choice. Parents and carers will be given priority but if spaces are available, then school staff and other professionals are welcome to attend. Details about the workshops and talks on offer this year will be available during the next couple of months.

Parents/carers requiring childcare facilities while they are at the workshops/information talks can book a place with the VIP Mobile Crèche Service, who will be at the event all day. Visitors to the exhibition can also make use of the childcare service, if there are spaces available.

There is ample free parking at the school. Refreshments and sandwiches will be available during the day (for which a small charge will be made).

For further information or to register interest, contact Elaine King at the Parent Partnership Service, on 01962 845870 or email enquiries.pps@hants.gov.uk Anyone interested in exhibiting at this or future Special Needs Information Days can contact Cay Byford of Contact a Family on 01252 545345, or email cay.byford@cafamilly.org.uk

We look forward to seeing you in April.

**Congratulations**  
to the following children who were all mentioned in the **BRILL BOOK** this week  
\* for their hard work and achievements:

- \* James Carrey, Surya Gautam, Hayley Jarratt, Molly Overton, Kane Lopez, Bethany Cane, Lauren Looby, Alexi Spreadborough, Miles Justice, Jack Stenning, Luke Bolus, Luke Hockley and Harry Pearce.

**FARNBOROUGH HILL**  
EDUCATING THE WHOLE PERSON

**Easter Term**  
**OPEN AFTERNOON Friday 5 February 2010**

These events are especially designed for prospective pupils and their parents. The programme for parents will consist of:

2.00pm	Talks from the Headmistress and the Pupils
2.45pm	A tour of the school with Farnborough Hill students
3.30pm	Tea in the Refectory with members of staff

A separate programme is arranged for the young people.  
Please telephone Mrs Duffin on 01252 529811 if you would like to attend.  
Loose shoes are requested not to wear stiletto heeled shoes in the school.

Farnborough Hill, Farnborough, Hampshire GU14 7NY. Telephone: School 01252 448197 Accounts 01252 529200 Admissions 01252 529211 Email: school@farnborough-hill.org.uk admissions@farnborough-hill.org.uk Website: www.farnborough-hill.org.uk  
The Farnborough Hill Farnborough, which is Registered Charity No. 233844, is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

**Give blood...**

Friday 29 January  
10:00 to 12:00 & 13:30 to 17:30 & 18:30 to 20:00

ST. SWITHUNS PARISH CTRE  
FIRGROVE ROAD  
YATELEY

...you could save someone's life...today

For your nearest venue type your postcode into  
**blood.co.uk** or call 0300 123 23 23

*Please don't leave it to someone else*

**Challengers' Easter Holiday Schemes 2010** Challengers Booking line 01483 230 939

Disability Challengers' run play, youth & young adult schemes for disabled children & young people. The Challengers Easter schemes will run between 7 - 17 April 2010.

Call the booking line 01483 230 939, 9.30am - 5pm

Families are asked to pay in advance for bookings by credit or debit card.

if you or someone you know are interested in applying please email [work@disability-challengers.org](mailto:work@disability-challengers.org) for more details. Details and an application pack will be posted on our Vacancies page soon.