

# SINGLETON C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL



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## MISSION STATEMENT

Singleton C.E. Primary School is a happy and caring community in which good manners, excellent behaviour and a desire to continuously improve and learn are expected from everybody.

We are a Church of England School teaching Christian values and beliefs. We also promote awareness and tolerance of, and respect for other religions and cultures.

13<sup>th</sup> May 2016

## Newsletter Number 5

Dear Parents/Carers,

Congratulations to our Year 6 children who have tackled their SATs test this week with cheerfulness, determination and a positive approach. We are truly proud of each and every one of them!!

**Dates for the term** - more details to follow for many of these events

MAY	Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup>	Y6 'Maths in Action' Day @ Goodwood Racecourse – letter already sent
	Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup>	Sports Day – see below
	Friday 27 <sup>th</sup>	<b>INSET DAY – school closed to pupils</b>
	Mon 30 <sup>th</sup> – Fri 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	<b>HALF TERM</b>
JUNE	Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> – 8.45am	Willow Class assembly
	Friday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Queen's 90 <sup>th</sup> birthday celebrations – see below
	Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup>	Whole School/Yr6 photo
	Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> – am	Yr 6 to Diocesan Leavers Service at Chichester Cathedral
	Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup>	Transition Day – Y6 to new schools, new Reception intake in school
JULY	Saturday 9 <sup>th</sup>	Singleton Village Fete
	Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> – 6pm	School Production
	Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> – 9am	School Production
	Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> -1.30pm	End of Year service in Church
	Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	<b>LAST DAY OF TERM</b>
	Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> September	<b>FIRST DAY OF AUTUMN TERM</b>

### **Sports Day arrangements - Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> May**

Sports Day is on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> May and as last year the children have been divided into teams (Red, Green, Yellow). We are asking that the children come to school on the day dressed in a t-shirt of their team colour, PE shorts, socks and plimsolls. This will eliminate changing time and ensure that it is clear who is in which team. If your child is unsure which team they are in please check the list which is on the noticeboard.



Team events will be held earlier in the day. Parents are welcome to attend from 1pm to watch the Sports Day individual and team races.



### End of Year Production - 'Reach for the Sky'

Rehearsals have already begun for the end of year production 'Reach for the Sky'. This feel-good musical production takes a celebratory (and typically humorous) look back at some of the sporty and PE-based things that happen at primary school. Designed to link with the 2016 Rio Olympics, we look forward to the performances in July. Please bear in mind that the timing of the performance on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> July (6pm) will mean pupils will need to return to school during the late afternoon. As last year, please note that pupils will not be required for after school rehearsals on Tuesdays every week as different children are in different scenes – they will be told on a week to week basis. Thank you for your support.

**SINGLETON & CHARLTON ANNUAL PARISH MEETING**  
**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May at Singleton Village Hall**  
Cheese & wine served at 7 pm for a 7.15pm start

All residents are encouraged and warmly invited to attend.

**What's important to you?**  
We would like to hear your views about issues important to you and how the parish council can help in making Singleton and Charlton a great community

There will be a roundup of the parish council's work during the last year and an opportunity to share information and seek views on important issues in our community including:

**Preparing a Village Design Statement**  
Helping us to influence the design of future development in our villages

**Reclamation of the Victorian Churchyard**  
Project to turn the church yard back to a self-sustaining wild meadow and a village asset

For further information or any queries please contact Jane Landstrom, Clerk  
T: 01798 669118 E: singletonparishcouncil1@gmail.com W: singletonparishcouncil.co.uk

### Sun protection

Summer has arrived so pupils need to wear appropriate clothing. All the Infants have their sunhats stored in school but Juniors are responsible for their own hats. Sun cream can be applied before pupils come to school as staff are not able to do this.

It is also useful if pupils have their PE kits in school all week as we take advantage of this sunny weather. They can be taken home and washed over the weekend. Thank you!



### Queen's 90<sup>th</sup> birthday celebrations

On **FRIDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> JUNE** we will be having a special day to join in the national celebrations of the Queen's 90<sup>th</sup> birthday. We will be having a right royal range of regal activities during the day including crown making, flag making and traditional games. We will also be holding a 'street party' style celebration and are asking for donations of food as follows:

Willow Class	Crisps/snacks (but NOT nuts)
Beech Class	Small individual cakes (eg. cupcakes)
Oak Class	Finger sandwiches or savouries (eg mini sausage roll/cocktail sausages)

We are asking that children dress in red, white & blue and we hope that the children have a memorable and enjoyable day!!

If you have any concerns or questions, please do not hesitate to speak to us. Have a glorious sunny weekend!

Yours sincerely,

Christopher Todd  
Headteacher