

# SINGLETON C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL



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21<sup>st</sup> September 2018

## NEWSLETTER NUMBER 3

Dear Parents/Carers,

### FROGSS (FUNDRAISING GROUP FOR SINGLETON SCHOOL) – AN APPEAL FOR HELP!

FROGSS is a charity fund raising committee which organise fun and enjoyable activities for our children as well as social events for their parents in order to raise funds to support the school. They meet on a regular basis to discuss and organise future events as well as having many regular ‘helpers’ who we rely upon to support our activities. The success of the Friends depends upon the support of the parents and we do need a parent (or two – job share!) to lead the group as they organise events for this term, Christmas and beyond. If you feel this is a role you could take on, please speak to Mr Todd as soon as possible. Thank you

### SWIMMING PAYMENT

Swimming has now started and a reminder to parents of pupils in Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 that payment is now due for this term. We ask for a contribution of £35 per child per term towards the cost. If you have more than one child in school, you may pay £35 for the older child and £30 each for the others.

**AS YOU WILL KNOW FROM NATIONAL AND LOCAL PUBLICITY SCHOOL BUDGETS ARE UNDER CONSIDERABLE STRAIN AT THE MOMENT AND WE RELY ON PARENTAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO ALLOW SWIMMING TO CONTINUE.**

Please see the office for payment – thank you.

### DATA CHECKING SHEETS

Attached to the newsletter last week (or sent home separately if you get your newsletter by email) is the current contact and other information for your child(ren) – NOT Reception Year. Please check the details and **only if there are any changes** please return with any amendments before the end of September. Thank you!

### PLAYGROUND SUPERVISION AND PUNCTUALITY

For the sake of clarity, a reminder that the playground is supervised from 8.10am in the morning and that children line up and school starts at 8.25am. Punctuality is important to ensure a brisk start to the day!! After school, pupils remaining on the playground are parent’s responsibility at all times. Thank you.

### LITTLE CANADA, ISLE OF WIGHT 2019

A reminder to parents of Year 6 children - the next payment of £50 for the residential visit next summer is **due by 1<sup>st</sup> October**. Please make payment to the school office. Thank you.

**DATES FOR THE TERM** - there will be more details about many of the following in separate letters/future newsletters.

Wed 26 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Willow Class trip to Droke Farm – morning – letter already sent – please return slips
Mon 15 <sup>th</sup> Oct from 8.30	School Nurse Drop-in for parents – a session for parents sharing information &



	advice regarding any aspect of children's health & well-being – all welcome (please leave younger siblings at home)
Tues 16 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Dedication of Prayer Garden with Bishop Mark/Harvest Festival
<b>MONDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> OCTOBER ~ FRIDAY 26<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER – HALF TERM</b>	
Wednesday 31 <sup>st</sup> October – 9am	Beech Class assembly – parents welcome
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> November	Beech Class trip to Weald & Downland Museum – letter to follow
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> November	Parents Evening – more details to follow
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> November	Parents Evening – more details to follow
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> November - am	Individual pupil photos
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> November	Last swimming
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> December – 1.30pm	Infants Christmas performance
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> December – 9.30am	Infants Christmas performance
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>END OF TERM</b>
<b><i>TERM DATES FOR 2019</i></b>	
<p><u>Spring term 2019:</u>  Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2019 to Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2019  INSET DAY: Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February 2019  Half term break: Monday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2019 to Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2019  Easter break: Monday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2019 to Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2019</p> <p><u>Summer term 2019:</u>  Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2019 to Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2019  INSET DAYS: Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2019, Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2019, Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2019  <b>PLEASE NOTE THAT MONDAY 1<sup>st</sup> JULY 2019 IS <u>NOT</u> NOW AN INSET DAY</b>  Half term break: Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2019 to Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2019</p>	

If you have any concerns or questions, please do not hesitate to speak to us.

Yours sincerely,

Christopher Todd,  
Headteacher