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Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you for your support of the Macmillan Coffee Afternoon last week – we raised just under **£190** a fantastic amount for such a small school.

Newsletters

It is more economical for us, in terms of both time and cost, to send out newsletters by email. Therefore, after half term, where we have an email address on file we will use this to send newsletters. Let us know before then if your email address has recently changed and we are not aware of the change. Thank you!

Headlice

There have been cases of headlice in school this week. The Department of Health recommends a 'whole-school approach' to containing and controlling head lice transmission. This is where all the children in a school and other family members and contacts at home are checked and treated as necessary. Please check your child over the weekend and treat if required. This course of action will only be effective if all play their part. There is more information at www.nhs.uk/conditions/Head-lice/Pages/Introduction.aspx Thank you.

FROGSS

There will be a meeting to plan Christmas fundraising events on Monday at 3pm in school – all very welcome!

Dates for the term

Wednesday 7 th October – 9am in the hall	Harvest Festival Service – to include dedication of our new 'School Prayer' artwork. Parents very welcome. Donations, please, to Chichester Food Bank – most urgently required donations are: smash, tinned fruit, fruit juice, sponge puddings, UHT milk, sugar, hot chocolate, and toiletries but all donations welcome
MONDAY 26th OCTOBER ~ FRIDAY 30th OCTOBER – HALF TERM	
Wednesday 4 th November – 9am	Beech class assembly
Monday 7 th December	Infant Nativity performances – more detail to follow
Tuesday 15 th December – 1.30pm	Christmas service in Singleton Church
Friday 18 th December	END OF TERM



Welly boots!

To allow us to get more use from the field at breaktimes, as last year pupils will keep (named) wellies in school on their peg in a suitable (named) strong (canvas or similar) bag. Those without wellies will be restricted to play on the playground. This will be effective from Monday 2nd November (ie. after half term) to allow time, if needed, to purchase wellies. Pupils can bring in wellies in preparation anytime before 2nd November. Thank you for your co-operation.



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

Yours sincerely,

Christopher Todd
Headteacher

Valley Parish Harvest Services



Sunday 4th October; 10am at East Dean Church

Sunday 11th October; 10am at Singleton Church

We will be collecting food donations at all three services; Tins & packets will be given to Chichester Food Bank and vegetables, fruits & cereals will be given to St Joseph's night Shelter for the homeless.