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Dear Parents and Carers,

Kingswood meeting (Y4)

There is a Kingswood information meeting for parents next Tuesday (25th) at 2.30pm.

School Journey/Osmington Bay PGL meeting (Y6)

There will be an information meeting for parents on Tuesday 2nd May at 2.30pm.

Parents will get more information for these residential trips during both of these meetings and there will be an opportunity to ask questions. Information will also be sent home after the meetings. If you are unable to attend and have any questions, please contact the class teachers via email or arrange an appointment to speak to them directly.

Academic testing for secondary schools (Y5)

Registration for academic testing for some secondary schools opens on Monday and closes in June. Information will be sent separately.

FOSP News

There are still a few spaces left for the photograph session at school tomorrow. If you would like a sitting for your child/family, please call or text Annabel on 07966 563321.

On Monday we have the Happy Bag collection. Please bring in old clothes and materials in the bags that should have come out at the beginning of the week. Thank you.

Diary Dates

(new events highlighted)



April

- 22nd – Photographer (FOSP)
- 24th – Happy Bag Collection
Registration opens for academic testing (Y5)
- 25th – Y2 at Sportspace
Y4 Kingswood meeting
- 26th – JRock Final in
Portsmouth
- 27th – Governor committee
meetings
- 28th – Y3 value assembly: Peace

May

- KS1 SATs and Phonics screening throughout May
- 1st – Bank Holiday
- 2nd – Online safety workshops
and parents meeting
Y6 Osmington Bay meeting
- 3rd – 5th – Y4 to Kingswood
- 8th – 12th – KS2 SATs week
- 8th – Y2 to Whipsnade Zoo
- 9th – FOSP meeting at
Blackwells
- 10th – Y3 tag rugby
- 11th – Full Governing Board
- 12th – Y4 Kingswood assembly
- 15th – 19th – Y6 to Osmington
Bay
- 17th – Y3&4 tri golf
- 19th – Yr5&6 netball
tournament at Cavendish
- 24th – **Y1 to Windsor Castle**
- 25th – Class and team photos
Mixed kwick cricket
Y6 school journey
Assembly
- 26th – INSET school closed to
children

Reflective area

Those of you who have been on the playground will have noticed our new summer house. This will be part of our reflective area which we are developing outside. We would like a table and some chairs/benches to put inside; if you know of any that are going spare and still in good condition, please contact the school office.

Pathway - help needed

We have had an offer of help from one parent with the planning of this project to build a path around the school field (part of becoming more active, promoting well-being and walking a mile). If you think you may be able to help with providing materials or the actual building of the path, please contact the school office. Thank you.

JRock: Southern Final in Portsmouth

Our JRock team will be making their way to Portsmouth for the final on Wednesday. It is an incredibly long but also very exciting day. We wish them luck as they represent St Paul's. A lot of hard work has continued to go into this production - many thanks to the dedicated staff and group of parents who have made this possible, and well done to the children for being such a great team!

Herts Boat Rescue:

I have been asked to pass on thanks to all parents who voted for Herts Boat Rescue team to win a competition to receive funding. They have now been informed that £47,516 of National Lottery Funding will be awarded to them thanks to the many votes they received.



This Week's Attendance Figures:

Yr 5	Yr 1	Yr 4	Rec	Yr 6	Yr 3	Yr 2
100%	99.2%	99.2%	98.8%	98.2%	95.8%	94.6%

Overall school attendance: 98%



Silver Award	Y3 - Megan, Olivia, Fin, Poppy, Jude, Eva, Gray and Lana
Gold Award	
Headteacher trophy	Isla (Y5) for making good progress this year through positive attitudes to learning and perseverance, particularly with subjects that she finds difficult - she doesn't give up. She also displays a fantastic attitude towards others and is very inclusive of others. Isla is full of enthusiasm and smiles.

Coming up next week:

Monday 24 th April	Happy Bag collection Registration opens for Y5 pupils who are applying to schools that sit academic tests
Tuesday 25 th April 2.30pm	Y2 at Sportspace Y4 Kingswood meeting
Wednesday 26 th April	JRock southern final in Portsmouth
Thursday 27 th April 6pm onwards	Governor committee meetings
Friday 28 th April 2.45pm	Y3 value assembly: Peace

Have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes,

Caroline Moore

Headteacher