

11 June 2021

Dear Parents,

We now have a plan for events for the weeks up to the end of term. These are dependent on Government advice remaining as expected but you will be advised of any changes we may have to make.

**Sports Day - Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June**

10.30am start for Kindergarten, Reception and Year 1

1.30pm for Years 3-6.

Please see attached information regarding Sports Day details.

**Whole School Photograph: Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> June**

This was cancelled last year but will go ahead this June as it is outside and the children will be standing in their pods. We will also be taking photographs of each class. (Individual photographs are taken in the autumn term). Children should wear summer uniform but no blazers, jumpers or cardigans are required. Socks for girls must be white and long hair tied back. Polished shoes too please.

**Rounders Match 24<sup>th</sup> June, 4.30pm for Yr 6, Yr 7 and Yr 8.** Families of players are welcome to attend. It is always good to see our ex pupils.

**Move Up Afternoon: Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> July** - This is the day when children formally spend time with their new teachers and any new children joining the school will attend.

**Production for Years 3-6:** We have added a third performance to enable parents to socially distance in the sports hall. **Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2pm** for parents in these year groups plus children in Reception and Year 1 will watch this performance. Performances at **6pm on 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> June** are also for parents to attend. Tickets will be available to families of Year 6 one day in advance of the other year groups. Year 6 may bring up to four people, Years 3 to 5 may bring 2. Please do not split families over different performances. Should there be further tickets available we will let you know. Tickets will be available from next week pending government advice on restrictions.

**Prize giving Celebration: 7<sup>th</sup> July 2.30pm** - This year we are restricted for numbers so parents of Year 5 and 6 are invited. Parents of children in Reception to Year 4 who are receiving certificates will also be invited. We are grateful to Sackville School for allowing us to use their marquee this year. Parents are to park at Fosse and walk over to Sackville.

**Leavers Assembly: Friday 9<sup>th</sup> July 1.15pm** - This is our less formal goodbye to Year 6, and Year 6 parents are invited to attend, this will take place in the Gazebo or the Sports Hall if the weather is inclement.

**End of term: School finishes on 9<sup>th</sup> July at 2pm.** After School Club is available 2-6pm

**Staffing:** Next year some staff will be changing year groups as listed here

Reception with Mrs Maier

Year 1 with Mrs Coates-Dale

Year 2 with Miss Davies

Year 4 with Mr Tipler  
Year 5 Mrs Gow and Mrs Rose  
Year 6 Mrs Baumhauer

I am particularly pleased to have Mrs Rose returning to Year 5 teaching. This will be two days per week with a further two days teaching PE throughout the school as usual.

Following her year with us as a Newly Qualified Teacher, Miss Williamson is moving down the road to Hildenborough Primary School to spread her wings and teach Reception. She has been a great colleague and talented teacher for Year 4 and we will miss her very much.

I am pleased to say that Mrs Richardson is recovering well, (if not very patiently!) from a planned operation on her foot and will rejoin us in September.

Sadly, after 14 years of being at Fosse in many different roles, Ms Dench has decided to move on to new adventures at the end of this term. She is best known to the children from Forest School and Phoenix After School Club, and, among many other kindnesses, was a huge part of keeping school going for our children in school during lockdown. She will be missed by all of us next year.

Lastly, Miss Stevens, our efficient office apprentice leaves Fosse next Friday to continue her apprenticeship in finance and we wish her all the best for the future.

My apologies for sending so much information, but I hope it sets out events for the rest of this term.

Best wishes,

*Alison Cordingley.*

Miss Alison Cordingley  
Headmistress

### **Fosse Association Campover**

As many of you already know it is with regret that the FA Campover has been cancelled for this year due to ongoing pandemic restrictions.

### **Sports News**

Year 3 and Year 4 were delighted to attend a cricket fixture at Hilden Grange on Thursday - for most of them, it was their first time playing in a match away from Fosse.

Despite no wins, it was lovely to see some brilliant team work from all three teams and their positivity throughout the matches was commendable.

Hannah and Mary worked seamlessly together when batting; their communication was fantastic, as was Hannah's bowling.

Joshua and Jonah showed superb focus on the game (both fielding and batting) and Lavinia also showed some accurate bowling.

Ellie showed great resilience and John struck almost every ball faced.

We are very proud of all the children, especially their positive attitude. Well done!

Mrs Rose and Mr Tipler

### Diary Dates

<b>Half term</b>	<b>Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May- 4<sup>th</sup> June</b>
11+ Session – Year 5	Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup> June – 9am-12pm
11+ Session – Year 5	Saturday 19 <sup>th</sup> June – 9am-12pm
Sports Day	Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June
Whole School Photograph	Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> June 10.00am
FA Campover	Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> June – CANCELLED
Year 6 trip to Biggin Hill	Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> June – AM only
11+ Session – Year 5	Saturday 26 <sup>th</sup> June – 9am-12pm
Summer Production – Yrs 3-6	Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup> June – Matinee – 2pm Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup> June – Evening Production – 6pm Wednesday 30 <sup>th</sup> June - Evening production – 6pm
11+ Session – Year 5	Saturday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July – 9am-12pm
Sports Assembly	Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> July
Prizegiving	Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> July – 2.30pm (Years 5 & 6 Parents only at Sackville)
Leavers' Assembly	Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> July 1.15pm – (Year 6 Parents, Gazebo/Sportshall)_
<b>Term Ends</b>	<b>Friday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2pm</b>
11+ Holiday Sessions – Year 5	Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> August - Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> August – 9am-11.30am
<b>Term Starts</b>	<b>Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2021</b>
FA AGM	Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> September 2021 – 9am
FA September Social	Saturday 18 <sup>th</sup> September 2021 (date change from calendar)
Individual School Photos	Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> September 2021
FA Pumpkin Treat	Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> October
<b>Half term</b>	<b>Monday 18 October – 29<sup>th</sup> October</b>