



Dear Parents

NURSERY TEA PARTY

Nursery parents and grandparents are reminded that they are welcome to attend the Nursery Tea Party on Monday 30th September at 11am. Please come to the School Office to sign in. You will be escorted to the party by a member of staff.

PARENTS' FORUM

The first Parents' Forum session of the year takes place on Wednesday 2nd October at 7.30pm. The agenda includes:

- Key objectives from our School Development Plan
- Feedback on Welcome Evening
- Residential Trips – who should go and for how long?
- Prize Giving feedback
- Information about our upcoming RE inspection

All parents have been sent a form via ParentMail, so even if you are unable to attend the meeting, you can give your views.

GRANDPARENTS' LUNCH

Thank you to everyone who has indicated that their child/ren's grandparents will be joining them for lunch next Friday to celebrate National Grandparents Day. There are over 40 people who will be attending so we are now in the process of making sure we can get everyone through the lunch service in a timely manner. If you completed the Parent Mail form, you will receive an email early next week indicating what time your guests should arrive. In order to help everything run smoothly, please try to keep to time.

Due to numbers we are, unfortunately, unable to accept any more bookings for this event.

INDIVIDUAL SCHOOL PHOTOS

We have an interim inspection for RE taking place next Tuesday 1st October, which means we have had to change the date of our individual School photos. These will now be taken on 19th November. Prêt-a-Portrait have reassured us that they will be able to get the orders out to parents before the School breaks up for Christmas.

OCTOBER HALF TERM—Holiday Clubs

This October we have arranged a selection of holiday clubs which will hopefully interest children of all ages.

Monday 21st October: Musical Theatre Following the hugely successful Musical Theatre camp in the summer, Mrs Flude and Miss Quinn are back with another day on Monday 21st October. The day is from 9am to 4pm and costs £45. Children should bring their own nut-free lunch and snacks. Booking via ParentMail will be available from next week.

Wednesday 23rd & Thursday 24th: Forest School Mrs Morris has prepared two days of fun-filled activities for all ages from Kindergarten to Form One. Children can build their own shelters using various forest school tools, cook their own two course lunch over an open fire and spend time with Mrs Baker, from BeeArty, in the conservatory making lots of messy arts and crafts. The day is from 9am to 4pm and costs £45 including lunch (£80 if booking both days). 10% sibling discount available.



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PREPARATORY SCHOOL & NURSERY

NEWSLETTER: 27th September



Monday 29th to Wednesday 31st October: Synergy Dance Club. Back by popular demand, Synergy Dance will be keeping everyone busy with a Greatest Showman Adventure Camp, Circus Dance Acrobatics, Toy Story and Super Heroes dance activities. To ensure everyone goes home feeling relaxed, each day ends with an hour of wellbeing and mindfulness. The day is from 9am to 4pm and costs £37.50. Children should bring their own nut-free lunch and snacks. Booking is now open via Parent Mail for children from Lower Transition to Form One. Siblings and external friends are also welcome.

All of the above clubs can also be paid for by childcare vouchers direct to the School. Please email Mr Parr for details: finance@rydeshill.com

FREE DONATIONS FOR FRHPS

As a registered charity we are able to benefit from free donations via easyfundraising and AmazonSmile. Easyfundraising alone has raised £3,037 for FRHPS in recent years. Raising the funds couldn't be simpler as we are given free money for simply shopping online. We would love for more parents to sign up to be eligible to receive the free donations. See below for details of how to get started:



Simply register at easyfundraising.org.uk and follow a few simple steps to activate a donation reminder in your browser every time you shop with one of their 3,745 retailer partners.



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Mrs Norville

Diary Dates for next week

Mon 30th Sept	Nursery Tea Party—All Nursery Parents
Tues 1st Oct	Winter Uniform for All Pupils
Tues 1st Oct	U11 A and B Netball Match v St Catherine's at Home
Tues 2nd Oct	7.30pm: Parents' Forum Meeting in the Main Hall
Fri 5th Oct	From 11.45 Grandparents lunch

Happy Birthday!

30th September

Ruby B

House Points for this week

CAMPION	GERALD	PATRICIA	PETER
148	164	34	97





U11 'A', 'B' AND 'C' NETBALL V QUEEN ELENOR'S

On Tuesday 24th September we invited the whole of Form One to participate in Netball matches against Queen Eleanor's. It was our first home fixture of the year and the girls were feeling nervous yet excited. The 'A' team got off to a flying start taking the lead within the first few minutes which resulted in a fantastic win of 10-1. The 'B' and 'C' squads shared a match against QE 'B' team and took the lead and at half time the score was 4-1. The 'C' team came on determined and the second half proved to be competitive from both sides. Many goals were scored but we just missed out with a final score of 8-10. Thanks to all the parents for your continued support (even through the downpour of rain!) Well done to all the girls!

Player of the match was Scarlett T, Charlotte C and Josie P.

PE Department



Silver Awards

YEAR GROUP	EXCELLENT WORK	EXCELLENT CONDUCT
Nursery	Fenella L	Addison D
Kindergarten	Ava M	Kiana A
Lower Trans	Shayna A	Ruby S
Upper Trans	Emily B	Mehvish Y
Lower Prep	Amelia B	Alice McA
Middle Prep	Lily B	Beth N
Higher Prep	Lola B	Izzy L
Form One	Sophie H	Mathilde H-L

Special Awards

Music Award: Alina W-C (MP) for lovely work at her piano
Ballet Award: Isabelle H-F (UT) for huge improvement
Science Award: Isabella D (MP) for her curiosity and extra research on the human skeleton
RE Award: Alice L (F1) for her thoughtful insights and contributions to a discussion about the Kingdom of God
PE Award: Charlotte C (F1) for excellence all round in PE this week
French Award: Angel L (HP) for fantastic behaviour in listening, following instructions as well as spending time on homework
Special Award: Zuri T (F1) for her amazing organisation and Minute taking at the Chaplaincy Group
Kindness Award: Iseult R-C and Middle Preparatory for donating money to an animal charity rather than on party bags

Lower Preparatory's Trip to Butser Ancient Farm

