



ROSE HILL SCHOOL

ROYAL TUNBRIDGE WELLS

SUMMER TERM

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Newsletter

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DIARY SHEET 13th—21st June 2015

			venue	Arrive/ Depart	Collect/ Return
Sat 13th Jun	9.00	Rainbows trip to Blackland Farm	away	10.00	6.30
	1.00	U11 Rose Hill Rounders Festival	home		4.00
Mon 15th Jun		Y8 Leavers Trip to Rockley Sands			
	4.15	NO SEWING CLUB			
Tues 16th Jun	8.30	M:Tech Assembly			
	3.45	No Rainbows (due to trip last Saturday)			
Wed 17th Jun	11.00	IAPS Rounders U11 A @ Holmewood House	away		3.30
	2.30	Rounders U11 B v Hazelwood	home		
		Rounders U10 A & B v Hazelwood	home		
5.30	Y4 Consultation Evening in Double Classroom	DC			
Thurs 18th Jun	8.00	Y7 trip to the Olympic Park (Geography Fieldwork)	away	8.00	5.00
	2.15	Cricket U9 A & B v Claremont Prep	home		
	2.30	Rounders U9 A /B & C v Hazelwood	away		
Rounders U8 A & B v Hazelwood		home			
Fri 19th Jun	9.00	Y1 trip to the British Wildlife Centre	away		3.00
	4.00	Setting up for Summer Fair—help required			
	5.15	Year 8 return from Rockley	away		5.15
Sat 20th Jun	10.30	Summer Fair & Art Exhibition			1.00
	1.00	ORHS Reunion			
	2.00	ORH Cricket Match v 1st XI	home	1.45	5.00
Sun 21st Jun	1.30	ORH Rounders v U13	home	1.15	3.30
	2.00	Fathers Cricket Match			

PRE-PREP SUMMER SHOWS

Just a reminder of the dates for the forthcoming Summer Shows:

EARLY YEARS—TUESDAY 23RD JUNE

LATER YEARS—FRIDAY 26TH JUNE

Both shows will begin at 9.15am and coffee will be served beforehand in the dining room.

Further details and tickets will be sent home shortly.

May I also respectfully request that younger siblings do not attend the performances? This initiative has been greatly welcomed by parents in the past, who appreciate that words spoken by children are special and some are easily overwhelmed by background noise

REMINDER

There are 3 compulsory Saturdays for **Prep School children** coming up:

Saturday 20th June Summer Fair from 10.30am

Saturday 27th June Sports Day from 10.00am

Saturday 11th July Speech Day & Prize Giving – 10.30am



Head's Lines

CONGRATULATIONS TO....

All of Year 8 on their excellent Common Entrance 13+ exam results.

ZAYD ABU-LABAN

OLIVER BATEMAN

WILLIAM BULL

KAYLAN COETSER

CHARLIE CROOKE

ELLA D'ALTON

LEANA FEE

ALBAN FENN

REECE FOUAD

MANON HUGHES

PHOEBE LLOYD

MAX MARTIN

HELENA PHILLIPS

SAM RILEY

STAN RUSSELL

LAURA SAUNDERS

MARY WHITLOCK

The following children were congratulated in Assembly this week:

- **AMELIA HEMMING**—Grade 1 horse riding
- **ANDREAS PURSE**—3rd in a recent Eastern Sailing Championship
- **BLAKE BAKER**—Stage 5 Swim Certificate
- **Tilly Spark**—Rounders Ball for scoring 3 rounders in one match
- **YEAR 4 CHILDREN**—for their Projects which have been on display in the Library this week
- Lorna Pearce—Lexia Reading Strategies for Older Students Level 2
- Louise Heller—Lexia Reading Strategies for Older Students Level 5 - completed the course
- James Moore—FastForWord language to Reading v2 Certificate

Form 4S presented a Form Assembly on Thursday on the theme of 'safety in the home'. Well done to all involved and thank you to the parents who supported.

SAFETY

A reminder that the zebra crossing in the car park should be treated in the same way as a regular one.

LOOK OUT FOR - AND GIVE WAY TO - PEDESTRIANS!

Thank you

MINIBUS ROUTES – MORNING COLLECTION

Many of you will be aware that we currently offer two routes, one around Tunbridge Wells and the other around Crowborough/Groombridge. Whilst we hope that this is a useful service we do periodically check with parents to ensure that we are meeting demand in the areas where it is most needed.

With this in mind please would you contact me (nick.powell@rosehillschool.co.uk) if you would like to use this service and we are not currently operating in your town/village. We will assess the demand and try to organise a route that will be useful to the majority of parents.

The minibus service operates in the mornings only and charges vary from £80 to £125 per term depending on location.

Nick Powell
Bursar



Music at Rose Hill

On Tuesday morning, our String teachers entertained us with their instruments along with **CONNIE FITCH, FREDDIE COCKADAY** and **LILY SANDOR**. We learnt about the Cello and Violin, and enjoyed listening to the string group performing a Tango. Miss Williams told us how the violin is not just a classical instrument anymore and can be used in many genres of music - and she even told us that she had played with Robbie Williams and on the soundtrack for 'Lord of the Rings'.



There are spaces available to start learning the violin and cello (alongside all the other instruments on offer at school), and taster lessons are available. Please contact Mr Everist if you are interested in lessons.

david.everist@rosehillschool.co.uk

Menu

Week beginning 15th June

Monday	Chicken Casserole, New Potatoes, Broccoli & Sweetcorn Cheese & Tomato Omelette Apple & Blackberry Crumble & Custard
Tuesday	Roast Pork, Roast Potatoes, Green Beans & Carrots, Apple Sauce Vegetarian Roast + Veg as above Quiche Strawberry Muffin
Wednesday	Sausages, Mashed Potatoes, Peas Vegetarian Sausages Rice Pudding & Jam
Thursday	Chicken Fajitas with Salad Mixed Bean & Pimento Tacos Fruit Flan
Friday	Fish, Chips, Peas Minestrone Soup with Baguette Chocolate Sponge & Custard
DAILY SALAD BAR	<i>At least 2 options of a meat /fish based dish & at least 1 vegetarian main course. Up to 10 side salads, plus freshly baked baguettes for added carbohydrate, grated cheese as an option with the vegetarian soups on Tuesdays for added protein.</i>



Sports Results

CRICKET RESULTS

DATE	OPPOSITION	MATCH	SCORE	MAN OF THE MATCH	REPORT READ BY
Thurs 4th June	Hilden Grange	U9 A (a)	Hilden Grange 47 for 1 Rose Hill 44 for 6 Hilden Grange won by 3 runs	Jonny Shaw	
		U9 B (a)	Hilden Grange won by 26 runs	Max Halfhide, Blake Baker, Tom Fyffe	Tom Fyffe
		U8 A (h)	Hilden Grange 158 Rose Hill 144 Hilden Grange won by 14 runs		
		U8 B (h)	Hilden Grange 175 Rose Hill 154 Hilden Grange won by 21 runs		
Wed 10th June	Claremont Prep	1st XI (h)	Rose Hill 51 all out Claremont Prep won by 9 wickets	Charlie Crooke	Tom Meek
		Colts A (h)	Claremont Prep 80 all out Rose Hill won by four wickets	Tommy Whitlock Jimmy Hasell	Freddie Goodfellow
		Colts B (a)	Claremont Prep 42 for 1 Rose Hill 103 for 3 Rose Hill won by 61 runs	Excellent performance from the whole team!	Andrew Bell
Thurs 11th June	St. Michael's	U8 A (a)	St. Michael's 79 runs Rose Hill 49 runs St. Michael's won by 30 runs		Luca Caruso
		U8 B (a)	St. Michael's 64 runs Rose Hill 49 runs St. Michael's won by 15 runs	Joseph Stafford	Thomas Parker

ROUNDERS RESULTS

DATE	OPPOSITION	MATCH	SCORE	GIRL OF THE MATCH	REPORT READ BY
Thurs 4th Jun	Marlborough House	U9 Pink (h)	Rose Hill won 17—8	Millie Bateman	Claudia Enoch
		U8/9 mixed (h)	Marlborough House won 3½ - 3	Nina Moon	Madeleine Kilgarriff
		U8/9 mixed (h)	Rose Hill won 4½ - 3	Amy Townsend	Rosie Maitland-Shadwell
		U8 A (h)	Drew 12—12	Connie Fitch	Connie Fitch
Wed 10th Jun	Kent College	U11 Grey (h)	Drew 10—10	Charlotte Froud	Aquila West
		U10 Pink (a)	Rose Hill won 8½ - 4½	Amy Hall	Anisa London
		U10 Grey (a)	Drew 17—17	The whole team!	Clara Dickinson
Thurs 11th Jun	Kent College	U9 Pink (a)	Rose Hill won 24½ - 10½	The whole team!	Anabella Woodward
		U9 Grey (a)	Rose Hill won 18½ - 10	Rosie Maitland-Shadwell	Elise Patel
		U8 Grey (h)	Rose Hill won 13—8	Lucia Bell Claudia Hodgkinson	Amelia Hemming



Y2 Trip to Bedgebury Pinetum

2L LEARNED...

A Pinetum is a tree zoo

Sam Gray

The Giant Redwood has the biggest circumference of all trees.

Ahren Bhagrath

Pinecones of the Douglas Fir have whiskers.

Izzy Groves

The cones of the Sitka Spruce are used to make nappies.

Amelia Wynne

If you run your finger over the cone of the Sitka Spruce it feels like paper.

Greta Wood



2S's favourite things...

The seed game.

Ned Marsh

Measuring the Giant Redwood.

Max Manning

Making the memory stick.

Jemima Waller

Playing the camouflage game and finding nine different animals.

Alex Ford

Seeing lots of different trees.

Lily Pinon



Library News



Many of you will be familiar with the 'Eyewitness' series from DK publishers. DK has launched a new on-line encyclopedia called 'DKfindout!' Aimed at children in Key Stage 2, 'DKfindout!' is safe and age appropriate. The site, which is designed for homework help and support on school projects, showcases DK's unrivalled bank of amazing images and content in a clear, interactive and immersive way, and uses sound, animation, video and quizzes to make the page come to life. The information included is authenticated by experts and updated regularly. Free to use, it is easily accessible on all devices including tablets and mobile phones. Discover more at www.dkfindout.com

'What Kids Are Reading' Report 2015

'What Kids are Reading' is the biggest annual survey of children's reading habits in the UK and this year 426,000 children in more than 2,000 schools were asked to participate. According to the 6th and most recent report Jeff Kinney has become the UK's most read children's author knocking the late and much-loved Roald Dahl off the top spot, for the first time since the report was launched in 2009. This is a "remarkable achievement considering Jeff Kinney's relatively small number of books published compared to Roald Dahl" say the researchers. Britain's Got Talent judge David Walliams who only launched his career in children's books in 2008 has become the fifth most read author in UK schools behind Horrid Henry creator Francesca Simon, in fourth place and Roderick Hunt (Oxford Reading Tree) in third. Read the report here : www.whatkidsarereading.co.uk



Year 4 Projects

Everyone who has visited the Library in the past week has enjoyed reading the Year 4 projects. Topics as diverse as Cadbury's chocolate, Lego and Horse Riding alongside projects on personal family history have entertained and informed. Well done Year 4.



Apps Round-Up

- There's a free Gruffalo game! - The Gruffalo and the Vanishing Wood (5&under)
- For fans of Holly Webb there's a free App - Holly Webb : Puppies and Kittens (6-8)
- Lumikids Park and Lumikids Beach - explore these open-ended worlds for free (5&under)
- Cbeebies Storytime - an amazing free app offering stories from the TV channel (5&under)
- Go CBBC - a pretty fantastic free app crammed with content, games, clips and full episodes (6-8)

There's A New Children's Laureate...

... and it's the really quite remarkable Chris Riddell. We're big Chris Riddell fans in the Library - he's the author of the Goth Girl and Ottoline series and he also regularly collaborates with Paul Stewart (The Edge Chronicles series) and Neil Gaimen (Fortunately the Milk, Coraline). Here's his website: <http://www.chrisriddell.co.uk>

Children's laureate Chris Riddell spells out joy of doodling:
www.bbc.co.uk/news/entertainment-arts-33046917

Happy Reading,
Mrs Macdonald-Brown
School Librarian.

