

## April – Issue 10

Welcome to the newsletter,

It has been a very eventful couple of weeks, we have been extremely busy in school and at long last we have been able to enjoy the beautiful weather; the children have loved being able to play on the field. Let's hope it continues into the Easter holiday. We are continuing though, to overcome the challenges thrown up by COVID. This time around it is affecting the staff and this week has been particularly challenging. Thank you all for your support and understanding during this time. I am hopeful that the Easter holiday will give us a circuit break we need; then we can just look forward to SATS!

As they would say in parliament, the 'No's have it'. Following my email about the return to school in September very few of you voted to return on the Friday, therefore school will begin on Monday September 5<sup>th</sup> 2022.

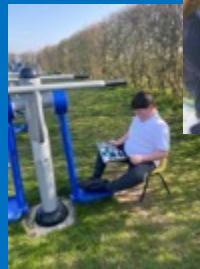
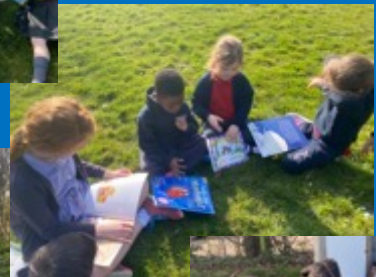
### FORS

Pre COVID our FORS teams had gone through a number of changes but all members were resolutely focused on raising money for the children. They have all done this admirably and I am incredibly grateful for the efforts that they have put in; the children have subsequently benefitted greatly.

We are now embarking on a new phase of the FORS and they are meeting this evening to re-establish the team. If you can join them this evening, I know they would be very grateful. Please see the previous information from Mrs Potter in regard to times and venue, and please do not think it is a massive commitment - every little helps!



The perfect way to spend the afternoon.....



### Book Week

The children have had some amazing experiences at school this week. We had two visiting authors and our music teacher showed the children how to play the theme from Jaws on her double base! She also demonstrated how to play the trumpet, the trombone and the flute - I am also tempted to start a band!



I liked to when the bear and the wolf made friends.



I liked it because she was good at reading the story.

He was very funny and told us some good poems



His poems were really funny

### GOOD LUCK

Rodmersham Rhino's as they embark on their very first tournament tomorrow at Minterne School.

Thank you Mr Buckingham and Mrs Phillips for giving up a Saturday morning lie in to take them all!

We raised £134.00 for Red Nose Day. Thank you to you all for your generous donations.

ALL CLUBS are cancelled in the last week of term **EXCEPT** for Maths as this has only been running for a week and it would be unfair to cancel it now!

## Dates for your Diary

March 30 <sup>th</sup>	Parent Consultations for Year 2/3	April 1 <sup>st</sup>	Easter Egg Hunt
March 30 <sup>th</sup>	Easter Church service @ 13:45	April 1 <sup>st</sup>	Break up for the Easter Break – Whoppee!
March 31 <sup>st</sup>	Easter Concert @ 2pm	April 19 <sup>th</sup>	Return to school
March 31 <sup>st</sup>	Swimming Year 4	April 25 <sup>th</sup>	Swimming – Year 2