

# William Penn Newsletter 10<sup>th</sup> May 2017

#### **PE Kit**

Mr Ruff has asked that children do not wear hooded tops whilst doing PE. This is because of health and safety considerations; namely potential injury caused by hoods becoming caught on equipment or other children.

In addition, please be reminded that PE is part of the National Curriculum and compulsory in the same way as English or mathematics. Children will only be excused on medical grounds as communicated from parents via the red Home Contact book or school office. It is essential that children have PE kits in school ready for PE lessons.

We have also been informed that a child's PE kit in a red bag has gone missing. Could we please ask you to check at home in case it has been brought home by mistake.

## William Penn Summer Barbecue - Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2017

We have recently sent out the message below to local businesses regarding donations for the Tree of Fortune at the Summer Barbecue. We are aware that some members of the parent body may represent businesses that might be in a position to contribute. Please see the message below for details. Thank you

Dear Sir/Madam

We wish to thank you for the support you have shown previously in respect of our raising funds for our school.

We are currently organising our Summer Barbecue and would be delighted if you were able to make a contribution to our key stall which is the Tree of Fortune/Lucky Prize Square (value from £5). We would emphasise that any contribution at all this year is truly appreciated.

The proceeds of this event are being spent on equipment and resources to enrich the children's education.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any queries via the school.

Thank you for your interest and many thanks once again.

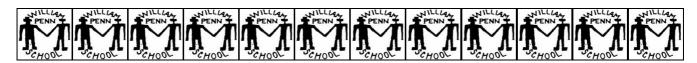
Mrs Sue Lutman on behalf of the Parent Body

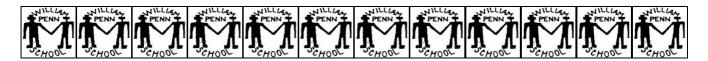
# May Day Friday 26th May 2017

This year our May Day celebrations take place on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May at 1.30pm. Mrs B and the children will



be working very hard to rehearse the traditional dances and routines. We are very grateful to her for managing the event so smoothly and especially as this will be her last year in charge of proceedings.





For those of you who are new to the school, we are happy for girls to come to school in summer dresses/skirts/flowers in hair and boys to come to school in colourful T-shirts with school grey trousers/shorts. We would ask that all children wear plimsolls.

This is a community event and we are happy to welcome friends, neighbours and extended family.

If you have any flowers or greenery to dress the bower, please pass these to Mrs B on the Friday morning.

In keeping with one of our May Day traditions refreshments will be available during the afternoon. If you are able to donate a bottle of Pimms for the occasion then this would be gratefully received. Thank you

### Week by Week Planners on Website

This term's week by week overview sheets and topic webs will be available shortly on the school website. These sheets will give you a much better idea about what is happening in your child's class on any given week. They are working documents and subject to change but will help you to support your child's learning. The documents will be available under the Teaching and Learning tab.

#### **Pupil Achievements**

If you have any pupil achievements that you would like mentioned in the newsletter, please e-mail the office: office@williampenn.w-sussex.sch.uk

