



A message from the Heads

Welcome back to the start of the Summer Term! It has been a real pleasure to see the children returning with such enthusiasm and making full use of the school field at long last. Despite a little rain creeping in this week, the outdoor space has already been a hive of activity. As the weather continues to be changeable, please do ensure your child comes to school with a suitable outdoor coat each day.

The Easter break was an exciting time for everyone, and a particularly special one for Miss Clarke, who was married during the holidays and has returned to us as Mrs Stockley. We send her our warmest congratulations and best wishes for a happy married life.

As we begin the Summer Term, staff have also been reflecting carefully on how we can continue to improve our outdoor provision. You may have noticed that the Reception team have some ambitious and exciting plans to redevelop their outdoor area to further support early development. Any offers of help, time or resources from our school community would be very gratefully received.

Year 1 launched our Summer Term trips with a visit to Lingfield Wildlife Centre yesterday. The children thoroughly enjoyed the experience and represented the school wonderfully.

Finally, congratulations to all of our STEM competition entrants and winners, who were recognised in assembly this week. The standard of entries was extremely high, and we were thrilled to see such creativity and enthusiasm for science and engineering showcased through their impressive designs.

Please keep a look out for the weekly **'Wake Up Wednesday'** flyers - these give parents up to date advice regarding all aspects of keeping children safe online and in the virtual world.

If you have a concern, contact Mrs Davies, Mr Cook, Miss Newns, Mrs Lochhead or Mrs Higginson.

Cricket

Lingfield Cricket Club offers the popular ECB All Stars programme. All Stars Cricket provides non-stop fun for all children aged 5-8 years old. The activity and game-based programme is suitable for all skill levels, providing your child with the foundations to begin a lifelong love of physical activity and cricket, while making friends in a safe and enjoyable environment. In 2025 they offered a Friday night session that saw over 60 juniors at the club at points in the summer.

Registration is now open for ECB ALL STARS for 2026. This summer Lingfield will again be running a programme on Friday evenings from 5.15 to 6.15pm beginning 8 May 2026.

This programme is for Under 5s to Under 7s (Reception to Year 2).

The booking link is: <https://ecb.clubspark.uk/.../e1e395bd-0b6a-4654-995b...>

- Ø New All Stars - T-Shirt, backpack bag, bat and ball
- Ø Returning All Stars - T-Shirt, kit bag, set of stumps, bat and ball

There is a £50 registration fee.

A short video showing what to expect can be found [here](#).

If you are interested in joining, or have any questions please complete their [contact form](#).

Parent Coffee morning



Following the success of our recent Barnardo's visit, a few parents suggested creating a Parent Coffee Morning specifically for families of neurodivergent children.

The aim of this informal group would be to offer a supportive space for parents to connect, share experiences, and access peer support. Many families expressed how valuable it was to talk openly during the Barnardo's session, and this could be a positive way to continue that sense of connection.

We are now gathering interest and would love to hear from parents who feel this would be helpful.

Water bottles

We are increasingly noticing that children are bringing large water bottles into school, including heavy metal ones. While we fully encourage pupils to stay well-hydrated, some of these bottles are becoming difficult for children to carry and can be hazardous if accidentally dropped on a foot. To keep everyone safe and ensure bottles fit comfortably on desks and in bags, we kindly ask that pupils bring a standard-size plastic water bottle to school each day.



Diary Dates

April

- 24th April - Y6 @ forest
- 22nd April - Y5 Residential meeting @ 3.15
- 29th April - Y4 Class assembly @ 9.15
- 1st May - Y5 @ forest
- 8th May - Y4 @ forest
- 11-14th May - Y6 SATS
- 15th May - Y3 @ forest
- 15th May - PTA Quiz night @ 7.30pm
- 18th May - Class photos
- 19 & 20th May - Y5 Residential
- 22nd May - Y2 @ forest
- 25th-29th May - half term
- 5th June - Y6 @ forest
- 9th & 11th June - Y5 parent consultations
- 10th - June - New parents meeting
- 12th June - Y4 @ forest
- 17th June - KS2 Choir/Recorders concert @ 2.30
- 19th June - Y3 @ forest
- 24nd June - Sports day (pm)
- 26th June - Y2 @ forest
- 3rd July - Y1 @ forest - NO BUS
- 10th July - Y5 @ forest NO BUS
- 22nd July - Y6 leavers assembly @ 9.15am
- 22nd July - Y6 leavers assembly @ 9am
- 22nd July - last day - 2pm finish **No Amigos After School Club**

Forest School Year 2-6

If you have not paid for Forest school this year, please log on and pay. This is something we will be looking at in the summer term and whether or not it is financially viable for us to continue.

Headteacher Drop in

Informal Headteacher drop-ins take place the last Tuesday of each month. This is an opportunity to discuss specific issues with the heads. The next session will be on Tuesday 28th April 2026; to book an appointment please contact the office.

INSET DAYS 2026-27

- 1st September 2026
- 4th January 2027
- 26th, 27th and 28th July 2027

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webcal://www.dormansland.surrey.sch.uk/calendar/ics.asp?calid=1



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DORMANSLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL PTA Newsletter March 2026



£78.45 raised at last week's Cake Sale!

**Year 5
Cake Sale**
Thursday
26th February
After school in the outside classroom
50p per item

@dormanslandpta
Thank you!

You Broke The Rules And Helped To Raise

Awesome!

£293.72!!!

THANK YOU!

DORMANSLAND VILLAGE

QUIZ NIGHT

Who will be the village champions?

Teams of 6 - £5 per person entry (adults only)
If you don't have a team and still want to be involved, we can find you a team!

Bring your own nibbles • Drinks available at the bar

→ **Friday May 15th, 7.30pm**
MEMORIAL HALL
Prizes up for grabs!

All proceeds will go to Dormansland Primary School

We would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who has supported the PTA so far this year. Your support truly makes a difference and we couldn't do it without you! With many thanks, Your Co-Chairs, Sarah Davis & Sam Trim
Dormanslandschoolpta @outlook.com



To book your tickets for the best quiz in town visit:

<https://pta.events/dormanslandquiz>

**Sunday
21 June
2026**



Lingfield Circus

is coming to town!

Doors open: 12:30pm

Show starts: 1:30pm

Racecourse Road, Lingfield, RH7 6PQ

Ticket price: £15