



# Arunside Announcements



Week Commencing  
Monday 20th April 2026

## Welcome Back!

We hope you enjoyed the break and that the children have enjoyed seeing their friends and teachers again!

## After School Clubs

For external club information, please liaise with the providers directly.

School-led clubs will begin next week.

## Year 1 Forest School Club



There are still a few spaces left if you wish to enrol your child in the after school club.

Please note that Mrs Yuille has extended the time by 15 minutes, meaning it will end at 4.30pm.



## Sunny days ahead!



With brighter days come strong sun rays! Please refamiliarise yourselves with our [Sun Safety Policy](#) to ensure you protect your children sufficiently in preparation for outdoor play and activities.



## Fund-Raising Efforts



As the PTA had plenty of left-over cake after the bake sale on Tuesday, two of our year 5 students took to their local area and raised an additional £70.00 in 3 hours! Well done girls!

## Parent Readers

Please do get in touch if you have regular weekly availability from 9am -11am or 1pm-3pm to read with students. This is such a rewarding role and is very much appreciated. School readers must undertake safeguarding training and pass a DBS check

## March into Reading - Tanbridge Update

Wow! I wanted to say a personal thank you to every Primary School, teacher, pupil and family member that joined in and supported our very first Horsham Reading Challenge. We have been blown away by the support from our local school community; to have read over 650,000 pages is incredible and you should all be rightly proud!

I'll be in touch next year when March into Reading will be even bigger and better!

Mr Sheridan,  
Headteacher



## Community Support from Gwyn's Bakery

Gwyn's Bakery are taking part in an upcoming community initiative on 28th April. As part of their commitment to supporting local families, they will be offering free meals to those in need between 17:30 and 20:00.

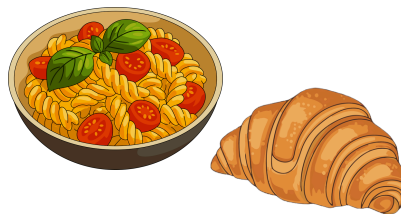
Event Details:

Date: 28th April

Time: 17:30 – 20:00

Location: Gwyn's Bakery

Offering: Free meals for individuals and families in need



We believe that working together as a community makes a meaningful difference, and your support in sharing this information would be greatly appreciated.

## Sussex Green Living - Free Gardening Session

Sussex Green Living would like to invite 15 children from Arunside for a FREE gardening session at the Growing Hub.

- When: Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> April anytime between 10am and 2.30pm
- Where: United Reformed Church, Springfield Road, Horsham, RH12 2RG
- Session: children will be provided with free seeds, pots and soil, and a session with our expert gardener. The children are welcome to come with their families. There will also be free food provided by Horsham Community Fridge between 10 and 11am.

Please contact [marketing@sussexgreenliving.org.uk](mailto:marketing@sussexgreenliving.org.uk) as soon as possible to register your interest as it will be first come, first served!

## Missing Scooter



At the time of writing this, the missing scooter has still not been recovered. Please can all families check at home to see if their child accidentally collected it in error at the end of last term.

### Lost Property

Any lost property not claimed by Friday 24<sup>th</sup> April will be re-purposed and removed from the school premises.

## Year 6 Final Art Project - bottles required

Mrs Sofoglou is seeking 2-litre bottles for the year 6 final art project. Please donate them (rinsed and empty) if you have any at home.



## Amazon Wish List

Thank you to those who have kindly been donating.

For those who are looking to donate, the school Amazon Wish List can be accessed via this link:

[https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1YY1ZY6RW8E5Z?ref\\_=wl\\_share](https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1YY1ZY6RW8E5Z?ref_=wl_share)





## Key Dates for The Diary

Date	Details
Thursday 23rd April 2026	Y5 Presentation for PGL trip 2027 3.30pm
Monday 11th May - Thursday 14th May 2026	SATS Week
Thursday 21st May 2026	Sports Day Morning KS2 9.15am - 11.45pm Afternoon KS1 1.15pm - 3.15pm
Monday 1st June 2026	Inset Day
Friday 5th June 2026	Class Photos
Wednesday 10th June 2026	Year 5 Houses of Parliament and Westminster Abbey Trip
Wednesday 16th June 2026	Y5 Production Show 1 of 2 1.30pm
Thursday 17th June 2026	Y5 Production Show 2 of 2 6.30pm
Wednesday 24th June 2026	Behaviour Management Strategies Workshop 9.00am - 10.00am
Friday 3rd July 2026	PTA Summer Fair
Monday 6th July 2026 - Friday 10th July 2026	Year 6 PGL Marchants Hill Trip
Thursday 16th July 2026	Wellbeing Coffee and Chat Drop-In 2.00pm - 3.15pm
Thursday 16th July 2026	Year 1 Arundel Castle Trip