

SAH BULLETIN 1 – 6th September 2022 - this is the **FIRST** Bulletin of the academic year (2022-2023).

Bulletins will be sent home every Tuesday via email. Please note that all past Bulletins can be found on our website.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION regarding PICK UP and DROP OFF

For normal drop off and pick up arrangements, **we ask that parents do not park on site or exit cars unnecessarily to ease congestion.** If you do need to enter the school building for any reason at the beginning or end of the day, please park in one of the car parks nearest to the road. Please **DO NOT** leave your car unattended in the drop off/ pick up zone. Please also note that we do not allow dogs on site (this includes dogs being carried).

we operate a no right-turn into school at drop off and pick up time as this does ease the congestion in and around school. Please do adhere to this as it really does make a difference. Please also note that turning right in to Trumps Mill Lane (by the post box) is also causing congestion so if possible please approach school from the Thorpe Green direction. We appreciate that this might not be the easiest or most direct route for you to take but it makes an enormous difference to the traffic at the beginning and end of the day.

If you would like your child to walk out of school to meet you (or to walk home) please ensure you have completed a consent form. The form can be obtained on our website (under 'Guide to the school day' tab) or via the school office. Please be aware that we would prefer that only Yrs 5 & 6 children walk out of school unaccompanied.

NEWS and EVENTS

- **Please remember that ALL YEAR GROUPS have PE/GAMES on Mondays and Fridays.** Please ensure your child comes to school on those days in their full PE Kit bringing with them school shoes and socks to change into in case of wet weather. Please also note that, ideally, we ask that children remove their earrings at home on PE days. If they do come to school wearing them they have to be able to remove them themselves before participating.
- **Monday, 12th September we will have a Bags2School Collection at drop off.** Bags2School is a company that specialises in the reuse and recycling of good quality secondhand clothing. All donated bags will be weighed and the school will be paid for the total weight collected. Items that can be donated - men's, ladies and children's clothing, paired shoes, handbags, belts and accessories. No uniforms, workwear, pillows, duvets or pieces of fabric please. Items can be placed in any type of bag and left with staff and volunteers at drop off on Monday Morning until 9am only—all donations will be gratefully received.
- **Next Week - Year Group Welcome Meetings**—all parents (& children welcome). The meetings can be attended in person or you can attend virtually via Teams—a letter detailing how to link in will be sent home on Thursday this week
Monday 12th September – Year 3 @ 3.45pm, Tuesday 13th September – Year 6 @3.45pm
Wednesday 14th September – Year 4 @ 3.45pm, Thursday 15th September – Year 5 @3.45pm
- **SCO-PAY and School Lunches.** All new parents to the school should now have received a LINK UP code to join Sco-Pay which is our system for ordering and paying for school meals, trips and other additional events (including school planner payment). There is a guide to ordering lunches and a copy of the current menu on our school website but if you need any help let please let Mrs Cleaver in the school office know. **Please make sure you order your lunches asap for next week because we have reduced the lead time from 8 days to 4 days to enable you to order for Monday.**
- **School Planners** for the year are now available to purchase for your child. The cost is £2.50 per child (with our PTA FOSAH kindly covering the additional cost). It is really quite important that each child has a planner so please send in £2.50 in cash to the classteacher or pay via SCO-PAY if you haven't done so already
- **Individual/Sibling photographs will be taken on Wednesday, 21st September**—please pop the date in your diaries and ensure your child/children look extra smart that morning.

Please note that all before and after school clubs will start this week. Please check our website for all the details on how to book a place. Places should be booked and paid for before your child attends please.



Secondary School Open Days - Year 6 children and parents (and possibly some Year 5) may be interested to visit secondary schools over the coming weeks in advance of applying for a Year 7 in 2023/2024. **Please be aware that the cut off date for 2023 Year 7 applications is 31st October 2022.**

Chertsey High School (www.chertseyhighschool.com)

Open Evening (*no booking necessary*): Thu, 29th Sept (6pm - 8pm)

Open Mornings (*pre-booked appointments only*):

Wednesday, 21st September (9am - 10am)

Wednesday, 5th October (9am - 10am)

Wednesday, 19th October (9am - 10am)

The Magna Carta School (www.magnacarta.surrey.sch.uk)

Open Evening (*no booking necessary*) Tuesday, 20th September 6pm-9pm

There are also tours available—please see website for more details

Jubilee High School (www.jubileehigh.surrey.sch.uk)

Open Evening Wed, 21st Sept (5pm –8pm) - booking required—see website

Open Mornings - Thu 15th, Thu 22nd September and Tues 4th October (from 9.15am) - booking required - see website

Charters School (www.chartersschool.org.uk)

Tuesday 4 October 9 - 11am **Tours**—booking required—see website

Wednesday 5 October 9 - 11am **Tours**—booking required—see website

Thursday 6 October 9 - 11am **Tours**—booking required—see website

6.30 – 7.30pm Headteacher **Presentation** to Parents/Carers only—booking required—see website

Future Dates for the Diary

Monday, 12th September Bags2School Collection (until 9am only)

Wednesday, 21st September Individual/Sibling photos today

Half term - Monday, 24th to Friday, 28th October

Monday, 14th November Flu immunisations in school (more information to follow)

All dates and events can be found on our website—www.stannsheat.org

Each Year Group has a page on our website, which over the coming week, will be updated with curriculum overviews and current learning journeys. Please do visit our website regularly for updates, school forms and information.