



**REFURBISHMENT OF THE ORCHARD ROOM GARDEN**



The refurbishment of the Orchard Room Garden is almost complete. We think you will agree that the transformation is a remarkable achievement. Thank you to the Ewell Grove community for helping to raise funds for this project.

**PHONICS WORKSHOP FOR PARENTS – ALL YEARS**

Phonics is the bedrock of learning to read and spell. Our aim is for **all children to crack the phonics code and become fluent readers and spellers.**

We look forward to you joining us for this workshop on **Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> November** in the **school hall at 2:00 pm.** There will be an introduction followed by two break away sessions:

1. Introduction to Phonics - Early Years (Nursery and Reception) with Miss Rising
2. Embedding Phonics to develop writing skills with Mrs Lacourarie

To confirm or decline your place please ensure you complete the online ParentMail form that has been sent to each parent/carer.

**SCHOOL MEALS – INCREASE IN COST**

Due to increased food inflation, Aspens are raising the price of their school meals from £2.25 to £2.35 from January 2023

**WEDNESDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER**

**Dress Up for Christmas Day** - children are welcome to attend school wearing something with a Christmas theme; for example a Christmas jumper, t-shirt, hairband or socks.

**School Christmas Lunch** – if your child wishes to have Christmas Lunch you **must place the order by 1pm on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> November** using the Select System

<https://select.aspens-services.com>

There is usually a larger increase in numbers, therefore, Aspens do require a little more notice for the Christmas meal.

As you will see you have 3 options to choose from:

1. Roast Turkey **with** roast parsnips, potatoes, carrots, pigs in blankets, stuffing and meat gravy
2. Quorn Roast **with** roast parsnips, potatoes, carrots, stuffing and vegetarian gravy
3. Jacket potato with beans and/or cheese

**Included is a chocolate muffin pudding**

**ADMISSIONS FOR SEPTEMBER 2023**

**Reception** visit [surreycc.gov.uk/admissions](http://surreycc.gov.uk/admissions) to access the application form and more information on the application process. Your online application must be **completed by 15<sup>th</sup> January 2023**

**Nursery** - full details of the Ewell Grove offer can be found on our website under 'virtual office' 'admissions' where you will find the [Nursery Prospectus and online Application Form](#). Your application form must be with the School Office by **15<sup>th</sup> January 2023**.

**Open School for Prospective Parents**

**Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> November / Monday 9<sup>th</sup> January**

Please note this is adults only; **no children or babies** For further information and details on how to book please follow the [link](#) to our website.

**FRIENDS OF EWELL GROVE EVENTS**

**Meeting** – the next meeting is on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> November 7:45<sup>pm</sup>

**Non Uniform Day** - Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> November – further details will follow soon

**Christmas Fair** - Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December 4-6<sup>pm</sup>

**Cinderella Pantomime** - Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> December

**ROYAL BRITISH LEGION 2022 POPPY APPEAL**



Royal British Legion merchandise will be on sale in school during the week. Children will be given the opportunity to purchase these during the day.

**CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCES**

Christmas Performance will take place in the **School Hall starting at 9:15am**

Nursery	Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December
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*Please note - there is only one Nursery Performance to which all children (Morning and Afternoon Classes) are invited*

Reception	Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> December
Year 1	Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> December
Year 2	Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> December
Year 3	Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> December
Year 5	Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> December

*Please note - Year 4 and Year 6 will both have performances in the Summer Term*



Gunpowder Treason and Plot,  
Meet Guy Fawkes  
Saturday November 12  
See attached for full details