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Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy New Year and welcome back to the Spring term. I would like to take this opportunity to welcome those new families who have joined us, as well as Mrs Macura-Miller, Mrs Whelligan and Miss Morrison who have joined our staff team. You will find details below of our staff led club offer this term. These clubs were incredibly popular last term and unfortunately, quite a few children missed out. If your child did get a spot last term in Football, Lego or Choir please do not initially take a place in any of the clubs this term, this will allow those that missed out, a chance to experience a club. Should there be spaces left, I will of course inform you all and reopen bookings to everyone again.

I wish you all a relaxing weekend.

Miss K Aldred - Headteacher

Clubs

I am pleased to inform you that staff led, afterschool clubs will begin shortly. All clubs will once again run on a **Wednesday, until 4.15pm**. Some have a small cost attached, others, again we are able to offer free of charge.

If your child joined one of our staff led clubs last term, we ask that you do not book a space again, on any staff led club in the Spring term. This will hopefully ensure those children that missed out last term, have an opportunity to experience a club this term.

Bookings will open for Football club, on **Monday 8th January at 08.00am**

This term we will also be running a Papercraft club and Lego club will also run again.

Bookings for Papercraft and Lego clubs will open on **Wednesday 10th January at 08.00am**

The football booking link can be found [here](#)
The Papercraft booking link can be found [here](#)
The Lego booking link can be found [here](#)

Please only book your child onto 1 club.

Key Dates

26/01	FOBSA Happy Bags collection
05/02	Parents' Eve 5.30 - 7.30pm
06/02	Parents' Eve 3.30 – 5.30pm
09/02	Last day of term (normal pick up times) 12/02 – 16/02 Half term
19/02	Children return to school
15/03	FOBSA Party Night
27/03	Last day of term (normal pick up)
28/03	Inset day (School closed to children)

Full term dates can be found [here](#)

School lunch Menu

Just a reminder, the children's lunch menus can be found on our school website [here](#). Whilst our lovely catering team endeavour to stick to the menus, as published, there are occasions when supply issues mean days have to swap around and some food items have to be substituted. For your information, the *Autumn/Winter* menus continue until the start of the summer term.

Thank you

On behalf of the whole school team I would like to extend a very sincere 'thank you' for the kind words, cards and generous gifts staff received before the Christmas break. We truly appreciate the thought that goes into every gift, be that a handmade card or picture or that special box of chocolates, thank you!

Reception and Year 3 Admissions

A final, polite reminder that the deadline for applications for our new Reception intake and our current Year 2 children to join Year 3 is Monday, 15th January. Please ensure you have applied for your child's place by then.

Further information can be found here: <https://www.surreycc.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/schools/admissions/primary-junior-and-infant/apply>