

# Weekly Newsletter

11th June 2021



Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome back to Term 6, I hope you and your family had an enjoyable half term break. It has been lovely to enjoy a bit of sunshine and warmth, encouraging us to get out and about a bit more.

We are pleased to welcome back Mrs Singh, who has been on a short placement in another local school. I know how much she missed her class, and is delighted to be back with them for the remainder of the year. I would like to thank all the children in the class for their hard work last term, I had a great time teaching them and was so impressed with their excellent attitudes to learning.

We have now been implementing our new Behaviour Policy for a term and would welcome any feedback that you may have? Over the summer, I will be using staff, pupil and parent comments to make any adjustments that we feel are needed, so please do not hesitate to email with any thoughts that you may have.

As we look ahead over the next term, we are preparing for the Year 6 Campout, our internal sports competition, enrichment days and of course, our end of year farewell to Class 6. Current plans are for an outdoor presentation and performance by Year 6 where the children can invite their parents for their final goodbye. Further details will be sent shortly, but please put the 20th July in your diary!

Next week, we will be sending out a special newsletter explaining where staff will be in the next academic year. It will be an opportunity for you to get to know who will be teaching your child as they move to the next year group, and which support staff will be in the classroom.

As always, we thank you for your ongoing support and welcome any questions that you may have.

Best wishes

Suzanne Farr

## After-School Club

We have planted wild flowers, tomatoes, beans, courgettes, marrows, peas and potatoes. The children are watering them and looking forward to sampling them.



## Upcoming Dates and events

**16th June—Orla is Headteacher for the day!**

**21st June—New entrants picnic**

**23rd June—Enrichment day KS 2**

**24th June—Enrichment Day KS1**

**29th June—New Parents Evening**

**1st July—Closing date for the Kent test**

**7th July—Meet the Teacher—pupils meet their teacher for the next class.**

**8th July—Secondary School Day for Year 6**

**9th-11th July—Year 6 Camp out**

**12th July—Reports to parents**

**20th July—Year 6 Outdoor Leavers Assembly**

**Children's last day**



## Dress for the Weather!

In these warmer temperatures, please ensure that your child has:

**A water bottle      Hat      Protective sun cream applied before school as we are unable to apply it.**

Our classrooms do tend to get very warm, but they are well ventilated and we use fans.

Those starting secondary school in **September 2022** can register for the [Kent Test from 1 June 2021](#).

The Kent Test is due to be held on:

- 9 September 2021 for children who go to a school in Kent
- 11 September 2021 for children who go to school outside of Kent.

[https://www.kent.gov.uk/\\_\\_data/assets/pdf\\_file/0014/14513/Kent-Test-familiarisation-booklet.pdf](https://www.kent.gov.uk/__data/assets/pdf_file/0014/14513/Kent-Test-familiarisation-booklet.pdf)



At the end of last term Year 2 designed and made their own tie dye t-shirts. They chose patterns based on previous learning and used their chosen colours to dye their t-shirts. The patterns they looked at included: Shibori, Spiral, Crumple and Folding. They executed their designs excellently and they are all so proud of their work!

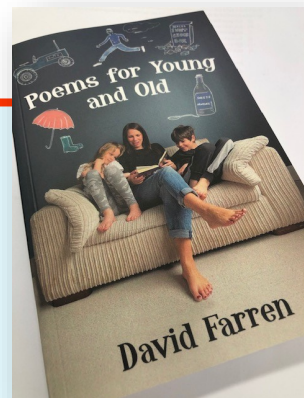


Finnley from Year 2 has been continuing his tie dye work during the half term and has produced a fantastic T-shirt. The Year 2 class are very proud of his work!



### Local Poet

We were lucky enough to be gifted a very special poetry book by local published poet, Mr David Farren. It will be a fantastic addition to our library, and as we resume assemblies again, we look forward to sharing them with our children. It is often so inspiring for our children to know that such talented people live so close to us, and it encourages them to think about what they might like to achieve. To know that a published poet lives around the corner, helps them to see how accessible it could be for them. Huge thanks to Mr Farren for the book and clips he has sent us to use in our assembly.



### Pre-School Retirement

Many of you many already know that Karen Tarling is retiring this summer after having worked at Capel Pre-School for over 20 years! The Pre-School would like to put together a Book of Memories and Thanks for Karen and if any parents or children would like to add to this, they can either email a message or maybe the younger children would like to draw her a picture? If you would like to contribute please either email [admin@capelpreschoolfiveoakgreen.com](mailto:admin@capelpreschoolfiveoakgreen.com) or you can give anything to Kim Barwick if you see her at the Primary School. We look forward to hearing from you!

Thank you, Capel Pre-School



Wednesday 16th June

Our new Headteacher, Miss Orla Waite, would like to let you know about a few arrangements for the day.

All children are invited to wear their OWN CLOTHES for the day.

There will be EXTRA breaktime for all classes.

For lunch, there will be SAUSAGE and MASH on the menu.

All teachers will run a story time in a different class.

Every class will benefit from an outdoor lesson (weather permitting).

Miss Waite will have a busy day as she will greet all the children as they arrive at school, create her own special newsletter, conduct a learning tour of the school, give a virtual assembly, clean out the guinea-pigs and will be on the gate at the end of the day to say goodbye.