

# Weekly Newsletter

2nd July 2021



Dear Parents and Carers

As we approach the end of term, we are mindful that some children may be more anxious due to the upcoming changes in September. We are pleased to have a 'Meet the Teacher' session next week as part of our transition, as well as opportunities for the children to interact with their new teacher a little more too. If you feel your child will need a little more support and have not already discussed this with you class teacher, please do let them know.

Please be on the lookout for a letter from your class teacher about upcoming RSE lessons. The lessons can sometimes be of a sensitive nature, so teachers send letters out to let you know the timing and content of the lessons. If you are not aware of it for your class, please message your class teacher to check. !

I wish you all have a lovely weekend, and hope you enjoy the match on Saturday, if you're watching!

Best wishes

Suzanne Farr

Council Reps have been busy organising their litter picking rota every lunchtime. They have researched the effects of litter on the environment, animals and humans and realise this is a serious global problem. Class 2 have also been looking at this topic and designed "No Littering" posters which you will spot up around our grounds. We want our school to look its best and be a safe, healthy, responsible environment. In the Autumn term we will be looking at promoting healthy snacks which would considerably reduce the litter around our school.



## Upcoming Dates and events

**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**

**21st July—INSET**

**1st September—INSET Day**

**2nd September—children return to school**

## Do you have some spare time over the summer?

We are looking to create a **working party** to help clear our school pond over the summer. It has been a bit neglected lately, and looks less like a learning area and more like a Jurassic adventure! We are hoping to run a workshop on **Saturday 7th August from 11am** and again on **Sunday 15th August from 11am**.

If you are able to help (children are welcome) please can you let us know so we can plan for the number of ~~bribes~~ treats.

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If you can bring any tools, gloves etc, they would come in handy, as would anyone with any expertise (or even a little knowledge)



## A Message from NHS

### Thinking of returning to your role as a healthcare professional? We can help you!

This message goes out to all parents, carers and members of the local community who may once have been a healthcare professional such as a nurse or midwife and now considering a return. Returning healthcare professionals have a key role to play in ensuring patients and service users have access to experienced and well-trained care staff equipped with the right skills. Health Education England (NHS) provide funding to support the pathways to return and are keen to support or answer any questions you may have if you are considering returning to perhaps nursing, midwifery or if you trained as an allied health professional (AHP) or a healthcare scientist (HCS) but have since left the profession.

Please do contact us for more information on: 01865 932097 or email [returntopractice.se@hee.nhs.uk](mailto:returntopractice.se@hee.nhs.uk)



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Any information you give us will be processed in accordance with our privacy notice, a copy of which is available on request.

### 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.

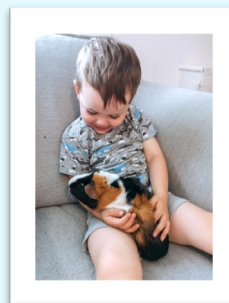
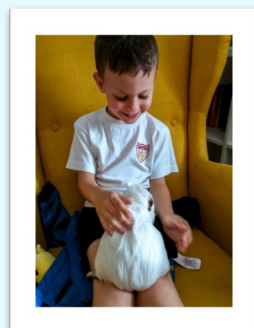
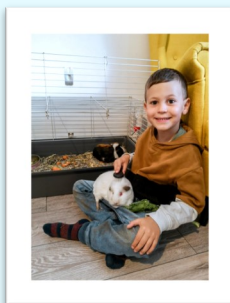


### Staffing News

We are sorry to let you know that Mrs Harrington, a TA who has been with us for five years, will be leaving us at the end of term. Mrs Harrington is excited to be following her creative passions more as she starts a role assisting in Design and Technology.

We are so grateful for everything that Mrs Harrington has done for the school, and I know that many children will miss her, as well as the staff. She has always shown such kindness and thoughtfulness to everyone, so will be hugely missed. We wish her well as she embarks on her next adventure.

We are however pleased to let you know that Mrs Amy O'Hare, who has been here on a temporary basis, is going to be staying on and working in Year 4 alongside Mrs Singh.



Luna and Star had a wonderful time being looked after by Dexter and his brother last weekend. They were groomed and cuddled, treated with lots of yummy food and were thoroughly spoiled! Thank you boys for taking such good care of them.