



Weekly Newsletter

13th May 2022

I hope this Newsletter finds you all well and enjoying the sunshine.

We have had a busy week with the SATs tests, and would like to say how proud we all are of our hard-working, Year 6 pupils. Throughout the week, they have shown a fantastic attitude towards the tests, trying their very best, and being resilient. We have all seen them support and encourage each other and boost each other's confidence. We could not be prouder!

Within this newsletter, you will see information about upcoming events and a survey where we are seeking your views on our support for well-being.

Our staff are also very excited about the May Fayre coming up this weekend. Thanks to the hard work from the PTA, it is promising to be a fantastic event. There are some highlights to look forward to, including the stalls, the band, the BBQ and of course, the gunging! We are looking forward to seeing you there.

Considerate Parking

Please can I remind drivers to park legally when they pick-up and drop-off at school. When cars are on the double yellow lines or zig-zags, it causes traffic problems and puts our children at risk. The only cars permitted to park on the double yellow lines, are those displaying a current Blue Badge. It may be more convenient to park directly outside our school, but this does not help with traffic issues.

Upcoming Dates and events

14th May—May Fayre
18th May—Year 6, Anti -Crime Assembly
20th May—Class 1 Assembly
27th May—Last day of term—Jubilee Celebration Day.
30th May—3rd June—Half Term
6th June—INSET day / Year 6 Residential Trip
7th June—Pupils return
10th June—Own clothes for Secrets Room
15th June—Secrets Room for Fathers Day
21st June—Enrichment Day
27th June—Sports Day—parents welcome
1st July—Class 2 Assembly
6th July—Year 6 Dress Rehearsal
7th July—Year 6 Performance—evening
15th July—Reports out to Parents
21st July—Last Day and Leavers Assembly 9:15am

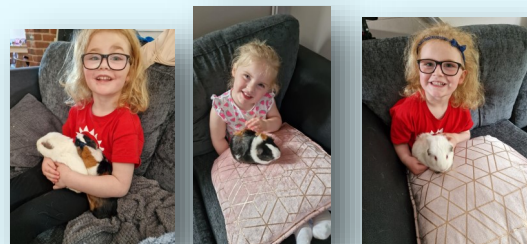
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Dates for your Diary

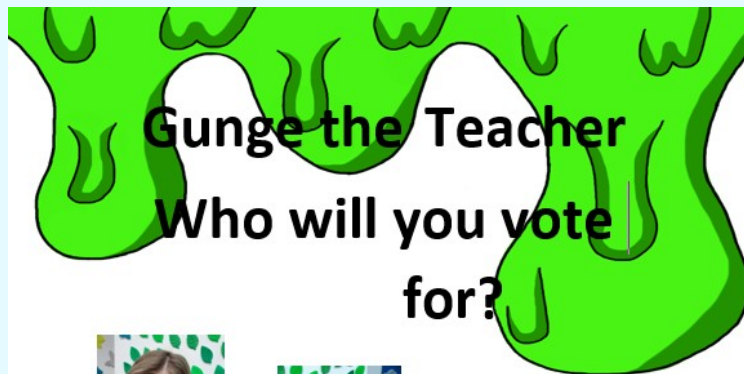
INSET days

1st September 2022
2nd September 2022
10th November 2022
3rd January 2023
5th June 2023

Luna and Star had a wonderful weekend with Penelope last week. As you can see from the pictures, there were lots of cuddles and lots of smiles. Thank you so much for taking such good care of them Penelope.



Watch the School council interview Mr Greg Clark. The video is on our Special Events Page on our website. The School Council did a fantastic job!



See you there!

27th May—Jubilee Celebration Day.

On 27th May, we will be holding a day of celebrations to honour the Queen's Jubilee. The children are invited to wear their own clothes for the day, and we will have some special activities to mark the day.

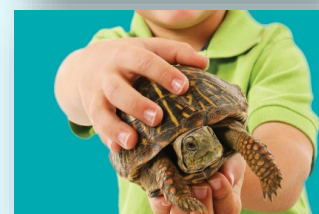
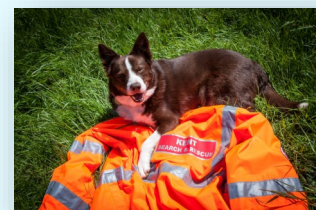


Enrichment Day 21st June

How animals enrich our lives

We are excited to announce that our next Enrichment Day is focused around animals, with particular reference to how they help us and influence our lives. We are delighted to be welcoming three Search and Rescue Dogs, with their handlers, an animal encounter group to introduce some more unusual species and some working therapy animals. Each activity will be carefully risk-assessed and managed by fully qualified handlers. There will be some additional learning about modern day inventions that are inspired by animals, as well as some drawing lessons too.

If there is any specific allergies or anxieties that your child may have in regard to animals, please do let us know so that we can decide how best to support them.





Class 4 have been busy gathering arguments for whether zoos are a good place for animals. We conducted a debate where they chose the sides and shared their arguments in favour and against. It was a brilliant experience for them to see both sides of a coin. Following on from the debate, they amazed us by writing a well structured balanced argument in Literacy where they included detailed arguments with explanations.



Tell us what you think...

Following the launch of our school website page dedicated to mental health and wellbeing during children's mental health week we would love to hear your feedback!

Please check out our school's mental health and wellbeing page, found at the bottom of the main drop down menu on the home page, before letting us know your thoughts.

Following this we have a quick 5 question survey form that we would love you to share your thoughts through, accessed at:

<https://forms.office.com/r/tyx1yaFNhd>

Many thanks,

Earlier this week, Year 5 planned and wrote Mayan folktales. These were about how the civilisation believe chocolate came from Paradise (where the Gods lived). We also performed our stories to year 1 who had lots of questions for us.



Dog Reminder

Please do not bring dogs onto the playground after school. You are welcome to wait with them at the front of the school, but are not permitted to bring them through the gate. Only dogs with prior permission and a teaching or support purpose are allowed.



Congratulation Miss Montgomery!

After several covid postponements, we are delighted to let you know that Miss Montgomery is getting married at the end of May. Please join with me in wishing her a wonderful day and our warmest congratulations.