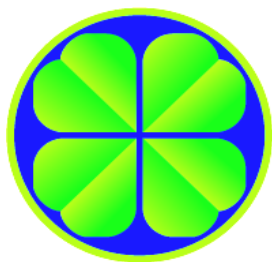


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School Calendar 2018

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Mon 14th -Frid 18th May	Year 6 SATS Week
Monday 14th May	Year 6 Swimming 12.30pm
Tuesday 15th May	Year 3 & 4 Ringsfield Hall Parents Meeting 3.15pm
Friday 18th May	Year 6 Group 1 On Road Cycling Training 10.45am - 2 parent helpers needed
Friday 18th May	Royal Wedding Celebration Day
Monday 21st May	Year 6 Swimming 12.30pm
Tuesday 22nd May	CLASS PHOTOS
Wednesday 23rd May	Yr 6 Group 1 On Road Cycling Training 1.15 - 3pm - 2 parent helpers needed
Thursday 24th May	Sponsored Wheels event—sponsor forms sent home last week

Star of the Week!

Ladybird Class - Leo - for doing his best all week

Bumblebee Class - Jake B - for showing confidence in his method when finding $\frac{1}{4}$ of a number and using other number skills to help him

Grasshoppers Class - Sophie - for always contributing in class discussions and answering questions carefully

Caterpillars Class - William R - for showing us that perseverance in Maths leads to greater understanding

Dragonfly Class - Harry - for his amazing attitude towards Maths
Well done, everyone!

Behaviour for Learning

This week we have been looking for children who show **they take pride in their presentation.**

The following children have been nominated for awards:

Phoebe (Y1) Kenzi (YR) Billy (Y6)
Arlo (Y4) Eleanor (Y2)

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Children's Safety

I have been very worried recently by a number of reports to the school about children putting themselves and others in danger by using the roads in an unsafe manner. The majority of reports relate to children on bikes. Children have been seen zig-zagging across the road from kerb to kerb, cycling in the middle of the road, swerving onto the road suddenly, cycling onto the road between parked cars and cycling across the road in front of oncoming traffic. At least two incidents have resulted in narrow escapes for children and left car drivers very shaken.

Please can you reinforce to your children that it is not safe to play on roads. At the beginning of the school day, children should not arrive and be left unsupervised outside of the school gate for more than five minutes or so. If children cycle to school and arrive before the gates are open, they should wait on foot for opening time. They should not cycle up and down pavements, causing a hazard to pedestrians, or play on the road.

Cycling is good fun, great exercise and a healthy way to get to school, so I don't want to reduce the amount of time that children spend on their bikes – but I do want to support them in keeping themselves safe and in learning to respect the safety and wellbeing of other road users.

Lost

Spiderman Face lunchbox with a plastic sandwich box inside. If found please bring to the office. Thank you

Royal Wedding Celebration Day Friday 18th May

Children will enjoy some Royal Wedding fun activities and are invited to dress for the occasion

In Red, white and blue?

As a prince or princess?

As a wedding guest?

Use your imagination but make sure the outfit is suitable for both indoor and outdoor fun activities

Year 6 On Road Cycling Training

The Year 6 children will be completing their On Road Cycling training and test on the following days:

- Friday 18th May 10.45am
- Wednesday 23rd May 1.15pm - 3pm
- Wednesday 20th June 1.15pm - 3pm
- Friday 22nd June 1.15pm - 3pm
- Wednesday 27th June 1.15pm - 3pm

Details of the groups have been sent out today.

Two parent helpers will be needed for each session. If you are able to help please let the Office know. **Thank you**

Sponsored Wheels Event Thursday 24th May

We are raising money to help us pay for our new library

Children can do laps around the playground or field in any way that includes wheels (but no electric or motorised vehicles)

They need to ask people at home to sponsor them.

The person who raises the most money will be able to choose an item for the new library.

You can bring: Bikes, Trikes, Scooters, Ride on toys, Roller skates, Skateboards, Peddle cars.

Tuck Shop

The school Tuck Shop will be open for business from Friday 11th May. There will be a range of healthy snacks on offer at a maximum price of 25p.

Each week the tuck shop will be available for one class:

Friday 25th May - Grasshopper Class

SUN-SAFETY

Now that the good weather seems to be back, it's a good time to remind you of the guidance we give children at school:

- **Wear sunscreen** (SPF 30 or more is recommended) - you may have the sort where one application lasts throughout the school day. If it requires 'topping up' at lunchtime, only use your own. If younger children need a little help, ask a member of staff.
- **Wear a sunhat** - make sure you have one available every day. On sunny days, you will be asked to spend lunchtime under the canopy if you don't have your hat. This is because the middle of the day is the time when the sun is at its most powerful.
- **Drink plenty of water** - Make sure you have a water bottle at school every day.
- **Wear sunglasses** - You are welcome to bring in safe sunglasses to wear when you are outdoors.

Please help us to keep your child sun-safe by ensuring your child comes to school well-equipped every day.

FoPPs News

- Next meeting Monday 14th May 7.15pm at school. All welcome
- If you have any unwanted jam jars please can you bring them to school for the FoPPs Family Fun Night.
- Do you have your own business? Work with someone who does? Advertise in this year's Leavers' Play programme in July. Full and half page adverts available.

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