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Learn to Live, Live to Learn

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We we are all
Maths writers ...



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Term Dates

Monday 6th May - Bank Holiday—The School is Closed
Monday 27th May—Friday 31st May—Half Term

Friday 28th June has been confirmed as a NPD—and the school will be closed.

Friday 19th July—Last Day of Summer Term

Diary Dates

Friday 17/5/2024—7.00p.m.—9.00p.m. PTA Quiz.

Thursday 23rd May- Shared Supper 5.30p.m.—7.00p.m. @ AF.

EYFS—Forest Schools: Monday 20th May, Monday 3rd June, Monday 10th June, Monday 17th June, Monday 24th June

Friday 7th June—Non Uniform day for children who completed science project.

Friday 5th July—PTA Summer fair. 5.00p.m.—7.00p.m. @ AF.

Assembly Theme for WB 20/05/2024—What do we Mean by Equality?

Wear it Green—Mental Health Awareness

Many thanks to everyone for your 'Green' efforts today as we fundraised for the Mental Health Foundation.

The focus for this year's Mental Health awareness week is 'Movement: moving more for our mental health.

Movement can have positive effects on our mental health by reducing stress and anxiety, improving mood, and enhancing our sleep quality and cognitive function.

Moving more has many benefits for our mental health and wellbeing including:



Movement can be defined in many ways, from vigorous exercise such as cycling or running, to simply just moving your body through stretching or dancing in front of your mirror.

Although there is a lot of research into the benefits of exercising on our mental health, many people face barriers to physical activity.

A recent report from Sport England found that out of 3000 people

surveyed, 36% reported that they could not afford to be active, whilst 29% said

they had less time to exercise, often as a result of having to work more. Unfortunately, the Sport England report paints a similarly stark picture when it comes to children. It states that "Parents and carers of children and young people said they were making changes to their children's sport and physical activities due to the cost of living crisis."

This Mental Health Awareness Week, we're putting the spotlight on movement. We want to improve public understanding of the link between movement and mental health, and give people the tools to manage their own mental health by moving more.

Rights Respecting Schools

Article 14 (freedom of thought, belief and religion) Every child has the right to think and believe what they choose and also to practise their religion, as long as they are not stopping other people from enjoying their rights. Governments must respect the rights and responsibilities of parents to guide their child as they grow up.

The **Big** Question for the Spring Term Assessment Period — Who is Responsible for the World?

Our Jigsaw Theme for this Half Term—Healthy Me.

School Matters!



The grand total raised from our PTA sponsored walk was £3075.50—so thank you everyone. If there is still a little bit of sponsor money out there, please do bring it in.

Thankyou to everyone who has handed in their science project. Some absolutely amazing work.



Year 3 James and the Giant Peach

Some amazing work from our Year 3 children. The children took inspiration from Quentin Blake's drawings, studied and sketched the minibeasts before modelling them with clay. The papier mâché peach was a whole class team effort.

Netball Team.

Our Netball Team have also now finished their season. A new team and new skills and Mr. Gilbranch is particularly pleased with the fact that they did so well. Overall, they finished fourth in their league which is a brilliant achievement—so very well done.



Awards

- STAR—Billy (RREX), CHARIOT— Shyann (MM), JUMBO- Harley (CC).
- EAGLES— George (MM), ROSES— Mia (RREX) CIRCUS- Ruby (MLM)
- MERCURY— Olivia (RREX), CLAUDIUS- Boyd (MM), ROMANS- Kurtas (MM).
- DUTCH— Olaf (RREX), ICENI— Alisa (MM), PAXMAN— Barnaby (RROX).
- CASTLE— Arsenii (MM), GARRISON— Chisimidi (MM), CAVALIER— Reuben (RROX).
- OYSTERS— Rome (RROX), RAEDWALD-Leyre (MLM), MAGNETS— Layla (MM).
- TRINOVANTES— Whole Class (RREX), CYMBELINE— Whole Class (RREX), LATHES— Whole Class (RREX)
- ATTENDANCE— Trinovantes & Lathes

Shared Supper

On Thursday 23rd May, we are holding a Shared Supper at our AF site.

The premise of a shared supper is very simple—you bring along some food to share and then eat everyone else's because their food looks amazing.

Children are very welcome and will be taken out at the end—by staff, just so adults can have 20 minutes peace and quiet.

Please could you fill out the form overleaf so we have an idea of numbers and pop along if you can. It would be great to see you there.

Year 6

Really well done to our Year 6 children who completed their SATs this week.

Never easy—but the children were brilliant and gave their very all and should be commended for all their hard work and efforts. Well done Year 6.



PTA Quiz Night

Please don't forget that it's the PTA quiz night, tonight from 7.00p.m. at AF. It's not too late to enter a Team, should you be stuck for something to do this evening.

Please just let either School Office know, the PTA through their FB page or just turn up.

I've looked at the questions and got everyone right—so absolutely nothing to worry about!



DATE: Sat 18th May
TIME: 2pm - 4pm
VENUE: St. Johns Green Primary School Abbey field CO2 7SZ
To book a stall please go to our website

Greenkidstreasuretrove.com
Greenkidstreasuretrove@aol.com
Tel: 07917 763 991

**FREE - ALL WELCOME
COME ALONG AND MEET OTHER PARENTS**

SHARED SUPPER

***You are all invited to a social evening at our school
on
Thursday 23rd May from 5.30 - 7.00 p.m.***

Parents please bring a dish of food which can be shared. Please bring along anything from savoury to sweet e.g. pasta dishes/rice dishes/sausage rolls/egg sandwiches/cake/dessert.

Only one dish per family!! Soft drinks will available on the night.

School children will be able to eat with you first and then will be taken away for a bedtime story with the teaching staff.

Children may wear their pyjamas.

Please complete the slip below to let the school office know if you can attend the evening.

Children cannot attend unless an adult stays for the shared supper.

PLEASE RETURN TO SCHOOL OFFICE BY Monday 20th May

NAME OF CHILD: CLASS :

I/We will be able to attend the social evening on Thursday 23rd May

Number of adults/pre-school children attending shared supper:

Number of children attending shared supper