

WHATS COMING UP

September

- 19th Bank Holiday
- 26th School Photographs
- 27th KS1 Phonics workshop 9-10am
- 29th - Flu Immunisations
- 30th - Non uniform day in aid of GOSH

October

- 4th - KS2 Parent Reading Workshop 9-10am
- 11th - Parent Maths Mastery Workshop 9-10am
- 20th - Celebration Assembly(thu)
- 21st - 2023 EYFS Admissions Tour 9:30 or 11:00
- 21st - Open Door 2:40
- 24th - Half Term (1 Week)

November

- 3rd -2023 EFYS Admission Tour 9:30 or 11:00
 - 14th - Non Pupil Day
 - 22nd- Parents evening 3:30-7:00
 - 24th- Parents evening 3:30-5:00
- ### December
- 15th- EYFS & Year 1 Nativity (AM)
 - 16th - EYFS & Year 1 Nativity (PM)
 - 19th - Christmas Carols Assembly
 - 20th - Open Door

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

- Monday Out and About
- Tuesday Y3/Y4 Science
- Tuesday Y5/Y6 Coding
- Wednesday Y1/Y2 Art
- Wednesday SCS
- Thursday SCS
- Thursday KS2 Choir
- Thursday Y1/Y2 Disney
- Friday KS2 Drama
- Friday Glee Y1-Y4

Stars of the Week

Certificates were presented in our celebration assembly to:

- Anthony (Yr 1)**
- Amelia (Yr 2)**
- Charlie (Yr 3)**
- Hugo (Yr 4)**
- Riley(Yr 5)**
- Teddy (Yr 6)**

Dear Parents and Carers,

Clubs started this week and we have had a fantastic take up to the many opportunities that are being provided by our staff volunteering their time after school hours. Spaces at the Out & About club, as usual, were quickly filled up and our choir club has more participants than ever! Our choir, led by Mrs Reid, will be performing at several events throughout the year including our Christmas Carols Assembly and we hope to get out into the community this term to showcase our talents!

On Monday, Mrs Rennie's Science club could be seen testing wind resistance by running across the field wearing a body parachute - having great fun whilst learning! Mrs Batchelor's Disney club is very popular, yesterday I popped in to see the children having a wonderful time learning about the history of a Disney song whilst being creative with arts and craft. Miss Grist leads KS1 Art club and this week they were making autumn wreaths - all the children were enjoying being creative whilst listening to calming music in the background.

With SCS football, Glee Club, Miss Lemons Drama club and Coding club on a Tuesday to add to the list of extra-curricular clubs after school, there are plenty of opportunities for the children to enrich their experiences. All clubs are listed on the Clubs board in the main corridor for children to refer to which includes lunch time clubs available throughout the week.

Next week we see the first installation of one of two new pieces of playground equipment on the field. The first installation will be a multi-use gym with two Slalom Skiers, a Sky Stepper and a Horse Rider all combined into one multi gym to maximise the social interaction of the users. This will be used in PE lessons as well as the children being able to use it independently at break and lunchtimes. Later in the term there will be a climbing frame erected on the field. This will encompass free-form tangled logs as well as shimmy ropes to aid fine and gross motor skill development, and a spider web net to spark young imaginations.

Her Majesty's State Funeral will take place on Monday 19th September. This has been declared as a bank holiday and therefore, schools will be closed on that day. School will be open as normal on Tuesday 20th.

On Tuesday we will be launching a fundraising competition in aid of Gt Ormond Street Hospital. This will be a guess the name of the dog and entries are £1. Mrs Aldous will running this every afternoon from the playground and school entrance over the next few weeks.

We have our Open mornings for EYFS admissions 2023 coming up. If you know of any families that have pre school aged children please pass the information on. Open mornings are:
27th October- tours at 0930 and 1100 am
3rd November - tours at 0930 and 1100 am

Please call the office if you would like to book a tour on 01376 322650.

Have a lovely weekend

Mrs Cagney



AR READERS

Quiz Scores:

Year 2 - Zachary, Millie, Noah, Hector

Year 3 - Olivia, Lacey, Poppy, Kayton, Skylah

Year 4 - Fletcher

Year 5 - Casey, Lenny, Amelia, Max, Lep

Year 6 - Lily, Merrisa, Megan

Year 6 are the word count winners with 222,197 words

TIMES TABLE ROCKSTARS



- Winners- **Year 5** House - **Franklin**
- Year 2**- Hector
- Year 3** - Blake
- Year 4** -Daisy
- Year 5** - Lenny
- Year 6** - Michael

Attendance

This week's class attendance:
 EYFS: 100%
 Year 1: 90%
 Year 2: 95%
 Year 3: 98%
 Year 4: 85%
 Year 5: 96%
 Year 6: 96%

Notices

Please ensure if your child is off sick you contact the school office by 9am

Children should not be wearing nail varnish, or jewellery other than stud earrings to school

CLASSROOM NEWS...

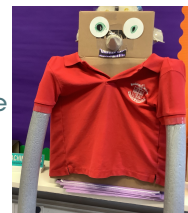
EYFS

This week has been the children's first full week, and what a busy week it has been! We have been learning to recognise our name and write it on whiteboards, focusing on our letter formation. In maths the children amazed Miss Freeman with their number recognition and ability to order numbers from 0-10. The class have also been busy counting, thinking carefully about how they can organise objects to count them and touch each one as they count. We have also enjoyed exploring the outside classroom and have made many messy, mud pies! Next week the children will start looking at the story of 'The Colour Monster' and in maths, will begin to explore how to use Numicon.



Year 2

Year 2 have been really busy reading books by Julia Donaldson and today, we all came to school dressed as one of her fantastic characters. We have had a great day studying the many books and characters. We have enjoyed finding rhyming words and finding links between the stories in English lessons. The Gruffalo remains a firm favourite. We have also enjoyed learning about what humans and animals need to survive and we created some brilliant posters to show people how to look after their pets. We had fun considering what we would like to do when we are older and we have been amazing in our phonics lessons, even spelling words such as deleted and extremely.



Year 1

It has been a lovely first few weeks in Year 1. We have introduced lots of new learning strategies to help support the children learn independently. In maths we have been working on our place value unit and in English have been working on how we form and write sentences. In science we learnt about some of the different parts of the body and their associated sense. Finally in art we looked at the primary and secondary colours and what happens when we mix 2 primary colours together.