



Dear Parents and Carers

Congratulations to our Year 6 pupils this week on completing the National tests in such a calm, mature fashion. We wish them a well-deserved rest and a great time next week on the Isle of Wight.



The children and staff in Years 3 and 4 had a wonderful 2 night stay this week at Home Farm, Beaulieu, creating memorable experiences. The children loved the evening bonfire, toasting marshmallows and singing songs, feeding and cleaning out the animals, holding the rabbits, pond dipping, wading in streams and much more. They all excelled themselves in behaviour and being willing to challenge themselves. Well done and thank you all of the accompanying staff.



Following our second place finish in last week's netball competition at Wyvern College, we qualified for the area finals at Wildern School. The team played very well, finishing in 4th place and ending the final game with an 8-0 victory.

Congratulations to all of our children who took part in the Integr8 Dance Off competition last weekend at the Berry Theatre. We were very proud of our Key Stage 2 squad for winning a cup for the 'best story telling' and to Key Stage 1 for 'most animated'. The children all received medals and some individual prizes for amazing performances. We loved watching a bit of the Key Stage 2 performance in celebration worship this week. Well done to you all.

Queen's Jubilee

A reminder that we are currently undertaking classwork, research, paintings and drawings in school in preparation for the Queen's Jubilee display in the Memorial Hall on **Saturday 4 June 10:00-4:00pm**. There will be work displayed from every child, so please do come along if you can.

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Thank you to everyone who supported the family Bingo night this week. 72 of you joined us for the evening which was a lot of fun raising an incredible **£330**. Look out for up and coming information about our summer fayre on **Saturday 2 July**.

A reminder to you all that the next Ice cream Friday will be on **Friday 27 May** before the half term break on the Junior playground. This time we will **NOT** be asking you to pre-order. There will be a choice between a Magnum ice cream or a mixed-fruit lolly for £1.00.



Church in School

Next Sunday 22 May there will be a family service in School at 10:00am. Everyone is welcome to join us.

Diary Dates for the Summer Term 2022

16-20 May	Year 5/6 residential visit to Isle of Wight
16-20 May	Walk to School Week
Sunday 22 May	10:00am Church in School
Tuesday 24 May	Photographer in school – class and whole school photo.
Friday 27 May	3:30pm Ice Cream Friday on the school playground
30 May – 3 June	Half Term Break
Saturday 4 June	School display in the Memorial Hall in celebration of the Queen's Platinum Jubilee- Please come along.
Monday 6 June	School In-service training day for staff.
Tuesday 7 June	School re-opens after half term break
Tuesday 7 June	Y6 Greek Day
Tuesday 7 June	Blue and Yellow Class visit to Manor Farm, Botley
Thursday 16 June	7:30-8:30pm September 2022 new intake meeting for parents
Saturday 18 June	Church Fete at Wintershill Hall
Wednesday 22 June	1:30pm Sports Day
Thursday 23 June	Year 6 leavers service Portsmouth Cathedral. Children only.
Sunday 26 June	10am Church in School
Thursday 30 June	5:00-6:00pm Family Reading Night
Saturday 2 July	School Summer Fayre
Tuesday 5 July	Wyvern College transition day – parents to transport children
Tuesday 5 July	9:15-10:30am Whole School transition to September classes
Wednesday 6 July	2:15pm Music concert
Tuesday 12 July	1:15pm and 6:30pm KS2 Production
Wednesday 13 July	6:30pm KS2 Production
Thursday 14 July	Annual Report to Parents
Wednesday 20 July	1:30pm Leavers service. Holy Cross Church. Whole School.

School in-service training days for 2022-2023

Thursday 1 September 2022
Friday 2 September 2022
Friday 2 December 2022
Monday 5 June 2023
Friday 21 July 2023

Wishing you all a pleasant and safe weekend.

Kind regards

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