

THE WEEKLY BULLETIN

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

DATE: FRIDAY 24TH MAY 2024



Good morning,




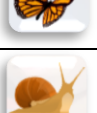

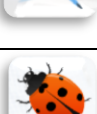


The half term is finally here! Whilst it's been a longer half term than the two Spring half terms, we can all agree that it has felt far more steady and less fast paced. This means we've been able to thoroughly enjoy our topics and watch the children blossom in their lessons. As always, the final summer term is a busy one, so please make sure you check the dates that have been added. In the first week back, not only do Year 6 go on their residential, but Year 4 are on a trip, and we have the school group photos! That first week alone sets the precedence for the remainder of the half term.

Thank you to everyone who supported the Lighthouse Group's 'Fair Trade' venture this afternoon. Your support is always greatly appreciated.

As it is the end of the half term, please keep an eye out for Mr Carroll's 'end of term newsletter' where you can see more of what has been going on in the classes, along with extra information for next half term.

And finally... this is my last bulletin as Miss Neville as I get married on Sunday. Any future messages will come from Mrs Hensman, so please don't think I've left!

A MESSAGE FROM YOUR CLASS TEACHERS

CLASS		TEACHERS	THEIR MESSAGE TO YOU
Nursery		Miss Murphy & Mrs Laroque	Here we are again at the end of the half term! Nursery have been fantastic once again and have great fun learning about Growing and Changing and watching our class caterpillars grow and change. We are going to video them over the holidays as they change into butterflies and then bring them back to school to release them! We have also been enjoying the story of The Three Little Pigs and retelling the story together in pairs.
Reception		Mrs Shaw & Mrs Jones	We have had another great week in Reception this week. In Maths we have been subtracting using first, now and next stories. In Literacy, we have been focusing on writing our own I can see sentences and revising the digraphs ai, ee, oa and oo and the trigraph igh. The children really enjoyed creating collage pictures this week, inspired by the work of Henri Rousseau.
Year 1		Mr Abnett, Miss Cashmore & Mr Fallows	In Year 1 we have been so proud of the children throughout this week. They have shone in their writing and computing work! I think it's fair to say that the children are a whizz at technology and much faster than Miss Cashmore and I! As the phonics test is fast approaching (Week 2 after half term) can I please remind you to keep reading your phonics books with the children and getting them on Reading eggs as much as possible. Have a great half term!
Year 2		Miss Elliot, Mrs Barnett and Miss Humphries	Year 2 have had a fantastic week learning all about Northern Europe in Geography! Please can you remember to send your child in with their homework book and reading book each day. Thank you.
Year 3		Mr McNamara & Mrs Deocades	Well done to year 3 on another fantastic half term. They have all been very creative while exploring how to make their own safety Echarms. Great work all of you and have a lovely break from Mrs Deocades and I.
Year 4		Mr Clewer & Mrs Hawkins	Well done on all the hard work this half term! Remember, we go on our class trip to the Botanical Gardens on the Monday we come back from half term, and we also have our sports day in the first week back too!
Year 5		Miss Neville, Mrs Edgington & Mr Lahert	Thank you, Year 5, for making this week so enjoyable. Your masterpiece work was wonderful, and it was fantastic to see your screen prints in the Art lessons. We really hope you have a relaxing half term and come back ready and raring to start your final half term in Year 5 - can you believe it!
Year 6		Miss Mapother, Miss plant & Mrs Carroll	Well done Year 6 on an amazing week! You have worked so hard this half term and we have had a lovely week doing writing, history and practising our end of year performance. Have a fantastic half term and we will see you in Summer 2! Well done on a great half term!
Daily active & After school sports clubs		Mr Read	Congratulations to every student who competed for the school in the athletics tournament on Tuesday. Even though we did not win, our combined effort, tenacity, and sheer faith were astounding. Fantastic teamwork, guys.

Please click on the class icon to be taken directly to your child's class page.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR WEEK 1

DATE	CLASSES	EVENT
Monday 3 rd June	Whole School	Children return back to school at 8.30am
	Year 4	Year 4 trip to the Botanical Gardens
	Year 6	Year 6 Residential - Alton Castle
Tuesday 4 th June	Year 2 & KS2	KS2 Sports Day @ Tudor Grange 12.00pm - 2.45pm (Year 6 will have a separate one later in the half term - date tbc)
Wednesday 5 th June	Whole School	Whole school mass in church @ 10am Year 5 will be leading the readings and prayers* (*may be subject to change by Father Gary)
Thursday 6 th June	Whole School	School Photos - Class photo shoot in school

FUTURE DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



WEEK	DATE	CLASSES	EVENT
Summer 2			
2	Monday 10 th - Friday 16 th June	Year 1	Year 1 Phonics Screening checks
	Wednesday 12 th June	Year 5	Year 5 trip to the Black Country Living Museum
3	All week	Year 6	Year 6 Booster Swimming Sessions
	Wednesday 19 th June		Whole school mass in church @ 10am Year 6 will be leading the readings and prayers* (*may be subject to change by Father Gary)
	Thursday 20 th June	Year 1	Year 1 trip to the Think Tank
4	All week	Year 6	Year 6 Booster Swimming Sessions
	Wednesday 26 th June		Whole school mass in church @ 10am Year 2 will be leading the readings and prayers* (*may be subject to change by Father Gary)
5	Tuesday 2 nd July	Year 6	Year 6 Transition workshop
		Year 6	Year 6 Rounders / Cricket tournament (3.30pm - 5.00pm) (Your child will be given a letter if they are selected to take part)
		Choir & Ukulele children	Sing, Sign and Strum concert: 3.30pm - 4.00pm
	Wednesday 3 rd July	Whole School	Transition Morning
	Thursday 4 th July	Nursery & Reception	Nursery & Reception trip to Ash End Farm
Year 6		Year 6 Orienteering competition 1.45pm - 4.15pm (Your child will be given a letter if they are selected to take part)	

HAVE A WONDERFUL HALF TERM
MR CARROLL & MISS NEVILLE

