

Newsletter

17th June 2016











Queen's Birthday Picnic

The Queen's 90th Birthday Picnic that we held last week was fantastic. Thank you to all the parents who came along to join us in the celebration.

The children had a great time in the morning making crowns, colouring flags and decorating biscuits. It was wonderful that so many parents could come along and help with all the activities before the picnic.

The picnic itself was one of the best events I think we have ever had in school. There was a really relaxed nature to the lunch with children from both schools happily playing in all parts of the field while parents relaxed and chatted together or joined in the fun with their children. All the parents and children I spoke to said how much they enjoyed it.

The day was made that little more special by a visit from the Queen herself (or one of our school governors who decided to turn up dressed as her!). The children thought this was amazing.

A big thank you must also go to the FoBS members who helped provide the bunting and spent ages making sure every child across both schools got a gift.

Upcoming Events

24 June 2016

9.10am Tiger Class Assembly

27 - 30 June 2016

SMSC Week

29 June 2016

10am Violins to play in Assembly

30 June 2016

7-8pm Current Year 1 and R Meeting

1 July 2016

Move Up morning

6 July 2016

9am-12pm Sports Day

11 July 2016

Reports out to parents

12 July 2016

Year R Watercress Line Trip

13 July 2016

Year R and 1 Parents in to watch

Maths Lesson

15 July 2016

9.10am Year 2 Leavers Assembly3pm Summer Celebrations

19 July 2016

5.30-7pm Year 2 Leavers Disco

New Year 1 and New Year 2 Parents Information Evening Thursday 30th June 7:00pm to 8:00pm

Every year we run an information evening for all the new Year R parents but we have never done it for the parents whose children are moving from Year R into Year 1 and those moving from Year 1 into Year 2.

This year we would like to invite parents of current Year R children who are moving into Year 1 and current Year 1 children moving to Year 2 to an information evening. During the evening we will go through the educational differences between your child's current year group and the one they are moving to. We will go through with you the ways you can support your child and the formal assessments that they will do at the end of the year. We will also aim to answer some of the questions you may have.

We think this will be a valuable evening and we very much hope that you can attend.



Stars of the week

9th June
Sophia Knowles
Larissa Hellyer
Ben Denyer
Benjamin Ayres
Jamie-Joe Shea
Billy Pavey

16th June
Ashley Latchman
Sophia Handley
Oliver Ziemba
Leah Paris
Abbey
Pennington
Matteo Abarca

Breakfast and Afterschool Club

From September the cost for Breakfast Club will be raised to £3. This is an increase of 50p. We do not like to raise prices but the club needs to cover its costs and unfortunately costs do rise.

Buzz Club will remain at £5 but it will now be £5 per child rather than £5 for the first child and £4 for siblings. Again this change is due to increased costs the school faces.

From September the school will no longer be accepting cheques as a form of payment.

We are sorry if this causes any inconvenience.

Move Up Morning

In two weeks time the children will find out their new classes for next academic year. This is always an exciting morning for the children and the staff. The children spend a great morning learning all about their new classroom and getting to know each other and their new teacher.

We spend a great deal of time thinking about how we are going to mix the classes to create the right mix of boys and girls as well as ages of children and ensuring the children are with the right friends. If you have any real worries about next year please come and speak to your class teacher.

Once the classes are announced we are not able to move children. One because children can only be taught in classes of 30 and we are very lucky that as a school we are full. The other reason we don't move children is because the children feel they are being moved because they have done something wrong and this is never the case. If you do have any worries after the classes are announced please come and speak to us as we can work with you and your child to ensure the time in their new class is a happy and productive one.