

HEATHFIELD SCHOOLS' PARTNERSHIP

23rd July 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

A final thank you for all your support and understanding throughout this unusual year. Your children have shown a degree of resilience and determination which is a credit to them, their families and the staff at Heathfield. Today we have said goodbye to our wonderful Year 6 and some of our members of staff. Miss Cherett and Mr Brewer are relocating to Hampshire and Mrs Trevelyan and Mrs Lippitt, who are both retiring after 37 and 23 years of service respectively. We wish them all the very best.



We hope you have a relaxing and enjoyable summer and look forward to seeing you all, safe and well, in September. *Paul Clayton*

Year 2 Celebration Assembly

Year 2 classes put on a total of four outdoor performances for their parents this week singing songs as individual classes as well as the crowd pleasing *Shotgun* as a whole year group. All Year 2 children have written poems about their time in Year 2 and some read them out to the audience. Ava's wonderful poem is reproduced below.





Yippee I did so much learning English so much fun Art colourful and bright Reading colourful pages

Teaching and learning
We play and have so much fun
One fantastic time in Year 2.

Year 6 Sports Day

"Exhilarating", "fun-filled", "intense", "jampacked" and "thrill-seeking" were just some of the words Year 6 used to describe their special Sports Day on Tuesday. Felix added that after



Silly Walk Race

missing out last year, he was really happy to



Relay

take part this year, at the end of his Key Stage 2 journey. There was a vast array of races with traditional sprints, long distance, hurdles and relays alongside costume, space hopper and silly walk races. There were great performances from all houses but Blue House were the overall winners with 71 points.

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Richmond Music Trust - London Music Fund Scholarship



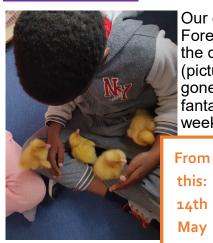
Huge congratulations to Joel in Year 6 who has won a four year London Music Fund scholarship organised through the Richmond Music Trust. Joel has shown great commitment to learning the drums and even lockdown did not stop him from making music!



We are looking forward to welcoming Richmond Music Trust back to school next term when they restart their Wider Opportunities

guitar sessions with our Year 4 children (the current Year 3).

Ducklings Update



Our ducklings who were rehomed in the New Forest are thriving. They were adopted on the day they arrived by a mother goose (pictured on the right with them) and have gone from strength to strength. They have a fantastic appetite, eating two bags of grain a week rather than the standard one!

They also enjoy hanging around customers in the farm's tea room. You can visit them at The Cider Pantry, Burley in the New Forest. Staff will be able to point out our ducks if you let them know you are from Heathfield.



Football Round Robin Tournament

Following on from the success of our Tag Rugby Round Robin Tournament last month, on Monday six teams from Years 4-6 played against each other in a Football Round Robin. Each team played several matches and there was tremendous energy on display. Mr Watson summed up the event brilliantly when he said, "Football is the only winner!"



PTA

Our last draw of the year took place on Monday. The winning numbers were:

1st place: 24 2nd place: 21 3rd place: 3

50/50 Club

New 50/50 Club application forms will be sent out in September for the year 2021/22.

We are delighted to let you know that our wildflower meadow on Heathfield Recreation Ground, which was planted during our Spring Trail event, has been impressing people locally. *Habitats and Heritage*, a charity that cares for the natural and historic environment in south and west London, will be including our story when celebrating Friends' Group Week.

Dates for your diary

Monday 26th July - Friday 30th July - Summer Club with Ms Ginman

Monday **26th July** to Friday **27th August** - Sport4Kids Multi-Activity Holiday Camp (click here to book)

Monday 6th September - Children return to school for new year

Thursday 4th November - PTA's Fireworks Night

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