

21st July 2023



Dear Parents and Carers

A sincere thank you for all your support this year. You have sent us children who are hard working, kind and friendly. They respect the adults in the school and make solid and positive relationships with their peers. For all those reasons they have a successful time at school and make progress with their learning.

Thank you too for your generosity with the children's sponsored skip. We have raised over £4,000 towards a school minibus. A special mention to Colby, Johnny, Alex, Eben, Elodie-Jayne, Lily and Hallie who all raised over £100 each.

We hope you enjoy your holidays and the children refresh for next year, as we all want it to be as good as this one. *Paul Clayton*



Year 2 Leavers' Assemblies

Our Year 2 children delighted staff and parents with their performances this week at the Year 2 Leavers' Assemblies. Mrs Child was full of praise for the children,

"They sang, recited poems and played musical instruments with such confidence. We were very proud of them indeed."



Little Lionesses World Cup Warm Up

On Sunday, some of our girls' football squad took the opportunity to attend Surrey Football Association's World Cup Warm Up Festival which took place at Elmbridge Xcel Sports Hub. They participated in a number of fun footballing activities and also got to meet with Chelsea's Olivia Dale.



Year 6 Production of Lion King Jr

After weeks of rehearsals our Year 6 children put on five amazing performances of Lion King Jr for children, parents and guests. One of our parents captured the sentiment of audiences perfectly when she wrote, *"The Year 6 production was an absolute marvel that left us all speechless! The attention to detail in the costumes, the*



mesmerizing dancing and cartwheels, the acting, the flawless harmony and synchronizing, and not forgetting the phenomenal singing created an unforgettable memory and one for kids to treasure. It truly felt like sitting in a grand West



End theatre with the only difference being the absence of plush seats and expensive ticket prices." Thank you to Mrs Mullen and the whole Year 6 team for facilitating such an incredible display of talent.

Festival of Sport

On Friday 7th July, Junior children took part in our annual Festival of Sport. They had an incredible day which included athletics delivered by young leaders from Turing House School, football led by Brentford coaches, gymnastics with Miss Wheeler and cricket run by Middlesex Cricket. The children also squeezed in our sponsored skipping challenge. The day culminated in a question and answer

session with former Olympian Donna Fraser and cricketers Zafar Ansari and Arun Harinath.







Our sponsored skipping challenge has raised over £4,000 with all proceeds going towards a school minibus

Rocksteady Concerts

Both our Infant and Junior Rocksteady bands gave lively and entertaining performances during their end of year concerts, playing to their friends and families. Alex, from one of our Infant bands, said,



"It was nice and noisy. like a rock band" while Olivia commented, "I liked how we were all in time with each other.' Tam agreed, "It was really great!"

Oral Health Visit

Last Tuesday the Oral Health team from King's College Hos-pital visited all Infant classes and Years 4 and 6 in Juniors and talked to the children about taking care of their teeth. In the Infants the children



watched a puppet show and learnt a song about brushing teeth. The visit made an impact upon Leah who said, "You have to brush your teeth or you will get holes in them." Wayne also enjoyed the visit saying, "It was Toothtastic!"

Dates for your diary

Friday 21st July - End of term Wednesday 6th September - Start of autumn term, children return to school Monday 23rd - Friday 27th October - Half term Wednesday 20th December - End of term

White Farm Lodge

Our singers were out and about again last week visiting White Farm Lodge Care Home in Whitton. Katia said, *"It was* very joyful. We sand some songs and then chatted with the residents. It was an amazing visit"



Year 3 Circus Skills

Children in Year 3 had fun learning some circus skills this week with Mrs Proctor-Lane and her family. Before their practical

Causing chaos Laughing loudly Oh my gosh! What will happen next? Now it is done So let's go home



session, which included juggling and plate spinning, they wrote acrostic poems, one of which is reproduced here. They also learnt how to sav some circus By Olivia, Kilimanjaro vocabulary in Spanish.

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