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FEDERATION NEWS Friday 14th June 2019

RC NEWS

This week in RC we have started our new topic, Growing! We have talked about the different plants and animals that grow, and recorded our ideas. On Thursday we had a special delivery. We tried to guess what was in the box, and were very surprised to find it contained baby caterpillars! We can't wait to see how they grow and change, and to learn more about their lifecycle.



We have also been practising our fantastic writing in our class, recording our ideas in lots of different ways. We have had lots of fun writing lists, making our own Pokemon cards, telling stories and creating cards for special people. Well done, RC!



SUMMERTIME

Now that we are well into the summer term please remember to send children with hats, sun cream and water bottles.



TERM DATES

Autumn term 2019

Wed 4 Sept 19—Thurs 19 Dec 19
Autumn half term—Mon 21 Oct 19—Fri 25 Oct 19
Christmas holiday - Fri 20 Dec 19—Mon 6 Jan 20

Spring term 2020

Tues 7 Jan 20 - Thurs 2 April 20
Spring half term - Mon 17 Feb 20 - Fri 21 Feb 20

Summer term 2020

Tues 21 April 20— Tues 21 July 20
May Day: Fri 8 May 20
Summer half term -Mon 25 May 20 - Fri 29 May 20

Staff Development Days

Mon 2 Sept 19 Tues 3 Sept 19 Mon 6 Jan 20
Mon 20 Apr 20 Wed 22 Jul 20

YEAR 5

The 5C Water Mills & Marshes trip is planned for next Friday 21st June 2019. We will leave school at 8.30am so please ensure children are here early. If they have not ordered a school packed lunch please ensure they have a lunch including drinks and snack and if the weather forecast is sunny, a sun hat and sun cream. They need to wear school uniform and footwear that can get wet and muddy!

The cycling proficiency session for Year 5 will not take place that day and has been moved to Thursday 27th June. The following week cycling proficiency will be on Thursday and Friday.

NETBALL

Last Monday we took two teams of Netballers up to Hobart. After a close opening game against each other, we went off to compete in our other matches. There were some seriously impressive skills on show. After a centre start, it was blink and you'll miss it action, the ball was in the opposition's net before I could catch a breath. After a hard fought competition, we came away with a convincing victory and a place in the South Norfolk finals.



FOOD, FARMING AND COUNTRYSIDE CHALLENGE

The Juniors have entered the Food, Farming and Countryside Challenge at the Royal Norfolk Show and will be up there all day on Wednesday 26th June. Come and visit our stall if you are at the show. We will be displaying our school grown food and the cooking that we have done. To get ready we have been doing some after school cooking sessions to see what we can make!



JUNIOR CHOIR

The Junior Choir will be showcasing the songs they have been learning and singing on a Wednesday afternoon on Wednesday 3rd July. Please come along from 4-5pm to see their summer performance.

ALICE IN WONDERLAND

On Wednesday the whole Federation very much enjoyed a performance of Alice in Wonderland:



TRAFFIC

We have been advised that there will be a Road Traffic Survey taking place on 24th June on Kittens Lane for the Department of Transport. This will be from 7am to 7pm and they will be using CCTV.

LODDON PRIMARY FEDERATION

SUMMER FETE

Friday 28th June 5-9pm
at Loddon Junior

Stalls * Raffle * Face Painting * Plate Smashing
Hunkydory Equine Experience * Nerf Shoot Out
Parravani's * BBQ * Bar * Local Band The Celias
Kuk Sool Won & Funky Feet Display and more

CRICKET

On a glorious sunny day a determined group of girls set out to conquer the cricket world and prove the importance of girl power! After a brilliant win to start us off, girl power was in full swing! Imogen soon became our star bowler, Poppy hit some incredible 4s and Emma proved invaluable with her catching skills! The whole team worked brilliantly together, showing fantastic team spirit and even drawing praise from the year 9 leaders.



MORE CRICKET

Last Wednesday we took a group of boys to the picturesque Great Melton Cricket Club to take part in the South Norfolk Kwik Cricket finals. Our team was, in fairness, stumped, caught out, and completely bowled over by the quality of the opposition. As a result, despite some excellent cameo performances (eg: 3 boundaries in 1 over from Keiran), our team came second in all their matches. However, throughout all our players continued to encourage each other, never complained and played with such enthusiasm and humour that one of the umpires was tempted to award us the match! A real credit to Loddon Primary Federation!



ECO-COUNCIL

On Thursday next week our Eco-Council are visiting Claxton Manor and Farm. Here they are last week at the Chedgrave Church Spring Fair. We used cotton wool and seeds to start germination in the tips of fingers in a clear glove. Once the seeds start growing, cut the finger tip off and pop it in a pot!



YEAR 2 DREAMCATCHERS

On Thursday 20th June our Year 2 children are at the Junior site for a transition afternoon making Dreamcatchers. Please collect your child from the Infant site at 1:30pm. If you have not returned your consent form please do so as soon as possible