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FEDERATION NEWS

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2019/20 TERM DATES

Please note these are slightly different to Norfolk County Council's recommended term dates:

Children back to school on Wed 4th Sept

Oct half term—21st Oct-25th Oct

Christmas Holiday—Fri 20th Dec—Mon 6th Jan (children back to school on 7th Jan)

Feb half term—17th-21st Feb

Easter Holiday - 3rd April -20th April (children back to school on Tues 21st April)

May half term—25th -29th May

Summer Holiday—Wed 22nd July

UPCOMING DATES IN JUNE

10th June- 5C Water Mills and Marshes trip. If you have not ordered a school packed lunch please send your child into school with one.

12th June at 9:30am—Production of Alice in Wonderland at the Junior site.

20th June—New Reception Parents Evening

YEAR 6 SUMMER TERM

An information letter has come home today for the Year 6 Summer Term Trips.

Tuesday 9th July - Easton College

Friday 12th July - Whitlingham Broad

Tuesday 23rd July Pleasurewood Hills

Please return the Consent form as soon as possible. You can pay in full on ParentPay or if you'd like to pay by weekly instalments please contact the office.

SATS

Well done to Year 2 and Year 6 for all their hard work with the SATs last week. Each morning Year 6 started off their day with breakfast club.



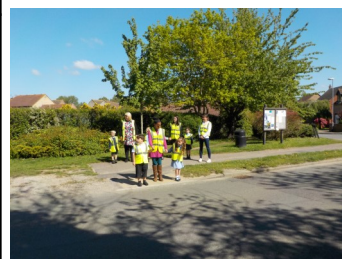
NEW PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT

The Junior site have had two new pieces of playground equipment- a wooden gazebo and a climbing frame. The children seem to be loving playing on these during break and lunchtime.



YEAR 1 ROAD SAFETY TRAINING

On Tuesday and Thursday our Year 1's went out with Sarah from Norfolk County Council to have some Road Safety Training, the children learned about the different lights on the car and what the lights mean, the dangers of cars in car parks, different types of paths and how and where to cross the road safely. A big thank you to Sarah and the parents that gave up their time to help take the groups out.



MINI TENNIS TOURNAMENT

On Monday we took 3 teams of four 'ace' tennis players on a 'return' trip to Easton College tennis centre. Our children conducted themselves in a 'fault'less manner and 'love'd every moment. All players took part in at least 5 'games' and we hoped to be 'set' to win each 'match'. Sadly Mr Bowen forgot the 'juice' which apparently 'served' him right!



CYCLING PROFICIENCY

We had our Bike Check and information session this morning for all those who are signed up for Cycling Proficiency. From Friday 7th June we will be having on road lessons each Friday morning. Make sure you bring your bikes and helmets.

1S NEWS

We have enjoyed exploring the Secret Garden in the sunshine; finding plants, flowers, trees and Minibeasts, learning about our environment.

We have planted sunflower seeds which are growing near the hall. We will be measuring them and we are excited to see whose sunflower will grow the tallest!



FRIENDS DISNEY QUIZ

Thank you to the Friends, Mr G, Miss Crowson and Poppy for organising the Disney Quiz last Friday a great time was had by all who attended. Well done to "Walt Quizney" who won the Disney hamper. The event raised £150.

ALL SAINTS SPRING FAIR AND PLANT SALE

SATURDAY 8TH JUNE 10AM-12NOON

The Junior Eco Council will be at the All Saints Spring and Plant Sale on Saturday 8th June from 10am - 12noon. They will be able to 'show-off' all that the school is going with the garden and around school. There will also be activities to get involved with too.

Chet Valley Churches

All Saints Chedgrave

Spring Fair and Plant Sale

Saturday 8th June

10:00-12:00

In addition to the plant stall there will be homemade cakes and other stalls. Refreshments available all morning

Environmental Morning

For families there is face painting, 'duck' fishing, bug hunting and bird watching, and the chance to make flower decorations.

We are delighted that the Eco-council at Loddon Junior School will be joining us. They will be leading a seed-planting activity for all to join in with and putting on an exhibition about their environmental projects at the school.



2SH NEWS

This half term 2SH have been working on the book Fantastic Mr Fox. They have produced lots of great writing and explored the characters in the book.

2SH also made some moving pictures of Foxes using split pins. They used pastels to create a furry effect on fax pictures.



SOUTH NORFOLK RUGBY FINALS

On Wednesday we took 2 teams of Year 6 Rugby Players to the South Norfolk Finals @ Wymondham Rugby Club.

It was a brilliant day of rugby in the sun with too many great highlights to mention them all.

JJ, Bailey and Korey scored many tries, Phoebe scored a try after running the full length of the pitch, Kieran and Amari were unbelievable in defence and everyone contributed to a brilliant team effort. Emma & Rebecca's smiles after scoring their tries summed up a wonderful day and even though we didn't win, the attitude of our pupils was perfect and we were very proud of our school.



Mouse and Mole Storytelling and Book Signing
Saturday 1 June, 11am
Jarrold's Store, Children's books, lower ground

Award-winning author and illustrator team James Mayhew and Joyce Dunbar will be introducing Mouse & Mole, their warm and humorous series for young children about two furry best friends who find life full of ups and downs.

Mouse and Mole are reminiscent of characters Ratty, Toad and Mole from The Wind in the Willows. James and Joyce have created 4 books following the two friends on their adventures: Mouse & Mole; Mouse & Mole Have a Party; Happy Days for Mouse & Mole; A Very Special Mouse Mole.

Enjoy the half-term break. We are all back in school on Monday 3rd June.