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Newsletter 31

20th May 2022

Important Dates

26th May Rainbow Class Trip - Sealife Centre, Hunstanton

26th May Red Class Swimming Wk 4 of 5

27th May Lunchtime Co - Jubilee Lunch

School breaks for half term

Week 31

Welcome to this week's newsletter. This week our Year 2 pupils took their SATs tests/quizzes. Again, like our Year 6 last week, they were amazing, making their parents and the school proud. Well done Blue Class!

Throughout the rest of the school this week, Red Class have been exploring plants and Green Class had a special day on Thursday exploring Egyptians, where staff and children arrived in some impressive outfits.

Today our Year 6 pupils represented the school in a cricket tournament with other local Wisbech Primary Schools at Wisbech Grammar School with Mr Davies and Mrs Calver.

I am sure Mr Davies will update us all in next week's newsletter.

Mrs Munday Headteacher

Blue Class have worked their socks off this week with the end of Key Stage One SATs!

The staff are extremely impressed with everyone's hard work and can see the amount of concentration and effort that went into each test. Well done to all the children, we are really proud of you all. You did it!

We have had biscuits and squash to keep us all going after each test this week and had a final treat on Thursday after the last test: a well-deserved ice cream with toppings!



Miss Brand and Mrs Shinn



News

Year 6 Hoodies

This week our Year 6 children received their much awaited leavers hoodies as a gift from the Beaupre Fundraising Group.





After, for most being at our school for seven years, this tradition begins to mark the beginning of the end of their time with us and where we enjoy the final weeks reminiscing about their experiences.



Ancient Egyptian Day in Green Class

Green Class travelled back 5000 years on Thursday and took on the challenge of preparing for the burial of Khufu in his Great Pyramid. We started off with a flyover of the pyramid and the building site using a computer simulation before learning about the mummification process. Being amateurs, we have practiced our embalming skills on apples rather than humans and will find out whether we have successfully preserved them for the afterlife next week.

The next step was to try our hand at wrapping the body from head to toe (in that order) in bandages and building a sarcophagus to keep them safe for their journey. We decorated the sarcophagus in a way that we thought would be fitting for a king.

During the wrapping process, amulets would be hidden in the bandages to bring good fortune. We carved a scarab amulet out of soap to represent rebirth and a new dawn for our king. We also decorated the walls of his tomb with images of our favourite Ancient Egyptian gods, paying particular attention to making sure they were facing sideways.

Finally, we made a shubti (model servant) to serve him in the afterlife, sculpting them from one piece of clay and thinking carefully about what they could do to serve the pharaoh in the life beyond.

The day was very busy and the children worked hard from start to finish. They all looked amazing too, thank you for the work you did in helping to create the buzz that kept with them all day.



Mr Davies and Mrs Fey



Important Information

<u>ParentPay</u>

We have a number of ParentPay accounts in arrears.

As this half term draws to a close, we ask that you

check that any debts on your ParentPay account are cleared.

If you have any problems with ParentPay please contact the school office.

Thank you

The latest edition of Term Times is here! Please feel free to collect a copy from the foyer.

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MAY HALF-TERM ISSUE

Reminder:

School closes on Friday 27th May for half term. Children return to school on <u>Wednesday 8th June</u>.

There is a change to the school menu on 8th June. Options will be:



Chicken nuggets with chips and beans

Veggie nuggets with chips and beans

Jam roll as packed lunch option

Ice cream dessert.







Awards and Celebrations

Attendance

Our attendance figures for the week ending Friday 13th May are as follows:

Gold	Purple Class	96.3%
Silver	Blue Class	96.15%
Bronze	Orange Class	96.07%

The winner of the 100% attendance prize for week ending Friday 13th May is Oliver in Green Class!

Congratulations this week go to



Well done to Ezra for taking part in a ballet show at the weekend.

Poppy-Fae for coming 4th overall and 3rd in Bar and Floor at her gymnastics competition

Ollie from Green Class who has done the trebel this season winning players' player and parents' player at Wisbech St Mary U10's football and players' player at his rugby club presentation evening. His parents are super proud of him and so are we.



What a busy week you have all had, well done!



House Points

1st	Marsh Harriers
2nd	

- 3rd Cranes
- 4th Kingfishers











Friday 27th May 2022

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HE QUEEN.

Cheese Finger Sandwiches, Sausage Rolls & Pizza Fingers

served with

Carrot and Cucumber Sticks & Crisps

and for dessert...

Fruit & Victoria Sponge Cake





Dates for your diary - New events shown in bold

2021/2022	
26th May	Rainbow Class Trip - Sealife Centre, Hunstanton
26th May	Red Class Swimming Wk 4 of 5
27th May	Lunchtime Co - Jubilee Lunch
	School breaks for half term
6th June	School Closed
7th June	Staff Training Day
8th June	School re-opens to pupils
W/C 6th June	Key Stage 1 Phonics Quizzes
W/C 6th June -W/E 24th June	Year 4 - Multiplication Table Checks
8th June	Children return to school
8th June	Lunchtime Co. Change to Menu: Chicken nuggets/veggie nuggets, chips, beans/ jam roll - ice Cream
9th June	Red Class Swimming Wk 5 of 5
13th June	Purple Class Trip
16th June	Rainbow Class Swimming Wk 1 of 5
28th June	Sports Day
4th July	TL Productions - Last order date for delivery to school for 20th July
5th July	Blue Class Trip - Banham Zoo
7th July	Orange Class Trip - Strangers Hall
7th July	Green Class Trip - Details to follow
15th July	Lunchtime Co - Bastille Day Lunch
19th July	Red Class Event - Details to follow
20th July	TL Productions - Order delivery to school
22nd July	School breaks for summer holidays

2022/2023	
17th October	Tempest Photography - Individual Photographs
14th December	Pantomime - In school activity
21st February	Tempest Photography - Class Group Photos