

Thursday 23rd June 2022

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### Dear Parents and Carers.

Next week is Keeping Healthy Week. The theme of this year's Keeping Healthy Week is 'The Great Outdoors'. Children will be learning about the benefits that being outside brings on not only our physical health but also our mental wellbeing. Children will be taking part in activities that promote being outside including workshops and a walk to school initiative. In addition, this year we will also be hosting a Healthy Eating Food Fayre where each year group will design and make a healthy food or snack that will be sold at the fayre to raise money for charity which will take place on Thursday 30th June after school. Next Friday we are also holding our annual sports day to which you are warmly invited to attend! We will be starting in the afternoon from 9:45am and hope that the weather is kind to us this year.

We encourage children to try vegetables and salad from our salad bar at lunchtime but if your child brings a packed lunch to school please support us by making sure that it contains fresh fruit and a vegetable based snack. We do not allow crisps, chocolate bars or sugary drinks in our dinner hall. Chocolate spread sandwiches are also very unhealthy and unsuitable for lunch!

Our final parents evening of the year will be on **Thursday** 7th July. Please make sure that you have booked an appointment on our online system or by calling the school office. At this meeting you can collect your child's summer term report and targets and see how busy they have been. Please make sure that you talk through this report with your child, celebrating where they have done well and encouraging them with their next steps ready for their move into a new year group next year.

As we near the end of term we have planned celebration assemblies for all classes in Year 1 to 6. You will receive an invitation for this but dates are also on the back of this newsletter. Children will meet their new teacher for September on Tuesday 19th July and will bring home a letter on this day informing you of the teachers name and their class name.

Thank you, as always for your support in making sure the children in our school are happy and learning.

Ms Rachel Adams Headteacher

Ms Rachel Davie **Executive Headteacher** 

### LOVE FASHION?



Year 6 were able to explore a career in fashion by designing and using draping materials as a way to design clothing. They worked on creating an outfit for the Queen to celebrate her Platinum Jubilee. And our British diversity The end results were quite stunning!

## OH THE SEASIDE!

This week, Year 1 spent the day at Southend-on-Sea to explore human and physical features of the coast. They found and collected lots of items including sand. shells and seaweed. They saw the pier, ice -cream parlour and theme park. They were very lucky to find tiny crabs too!



This term. Year 6 are learning how to kayak at Laburnum Boat Club. Despite the nerves and excitement, they took



to it like ducks to water! Being water confident is very important and builds upon skills learned from swimming in Year 5. Its also a great sport ahead of Keeping Healthy Week!

SCHOOL IS CLOSED TO PUPILS ON FRIDAY 24TH JUNE FOR STAFF TRAINING.

### YEAR 5 AT KENCH HILL



A group of Year 5 children spent a glorious week at Kench Hill, where the weather was kind to them. They have enjoyed a range of exciting activities such as archery, stream walking, a farm visit and country walks. Evening activities were just as busy, sitting around a camp fire. All the children had an amazing time and created forever memories.









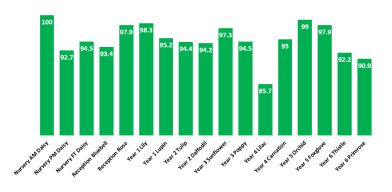
# **ACHIEVEMENT ASSEMBLIES**



### **ATTENDANCE**

Coming to school everyday makes a real difference! Whole school attendance for last week was 94.8% **Well done to Nursery AM Class** the weekly winners with 100%.

13th June to 17th June



### **Key Dates**

Summer Term 2022 Easter Monday: Monday 18th April 2022

Children's Start Date: Tuesday 19th April 2022

Families' Week: Starts Monday 25th April 2022

Bank Holiday: Monday 2nd May 2022 Science & Technology Day (with Science Fair): Monday 23rd May 2022

Half Term Holiday: Monday 30th May 2022 - Friday 3rd June 2022

Children's Start Date: Monday 6th June 2022

Staff Training Day: Friday 24th June

Keeping Healthy Week (including sports day): Starts Monday 27th June 2022

Parents Evening: Thursday 7th July 2022

End of Term Finish Date: Thursday 21st July 2022 at 2pm Staff Training Day: Friday 22nd July 2022

Autumn Term 2022

**Staff Training Day:** Thursday 1st and Friday 2nd September

Children's Start Date: Monday 5th September

Meet the Teacher: Monday 12th, Tuesday 13th and Thursday 15th September

2022 Bring a Dad/Significant Male to School Day: Wednesday 28th September 2022

World Week & Democracy Day: Monday 17th October 2021 – Friday 21st

October 2022 Half Term Holiday: Monday 24th October 2022 - Friday 28th October 2022

Children Start Date: Monday 31st October 2022 Parents Evening: Thursday 8th December 2022

End of Term Finish Date: Friday 16th December 2022 at 2pm

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