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Summer Term, 1st Half

Message from Mrs Jarvis

We hope this newsletter finds you well and that you are enjoying the start of the summer season as much as we are here at school! We've had a busy and exciting start to the Summer 1 term, filled with energy, achievements, and new experiences. Mr Varela, our Acting Executive Head, has really enjoyed getting to know the pupils and parents, and has been especially impressed with the sense of community and enthusiasm across the school. Our Year 6 pupils have now completed their SATs, and we are incredibly proud of the dedication and resilience they've shown throughout. They've worked extremely hard, and we're all cheering them on as they prepare for the next stage of their learning journey. Sports and physical activity have continued to thrive this term. Pupils have taken part in various sporting events beyond the school grounds, showcasing their teamwork and determination. The mini marathon was a particular highlight, with fantastic participation and effort all round! The historic VE Day was marked with pupils taking part in the 2-minute silence at noon and partaking in various VE Day themed activities and discussions.

Many children took part in the enriching Mosaic workshops with talented, local artist Sarah Delgardo. It was wonderful to see so many parents and carers joining us for open class sessions. We also raised money for Friends of Eye at our recent Non-Uniform Day—thank you for your generous support, which helps fund valuable resources and experiences for the children.

With the glorious weather finally here, we've made the most of every opportunity to get outside. The children enjoyed a lovely trip to The Pennings, and our youngest pupils have been exploring and playing in our brand new EYFS play space—it's already a big hit!

As we move through the rest of the term, we look forward to even more exciting learning, activities, and community events. Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

Dates for your diary next term

See below some dates to note, more details about these events to follow: June July

3rd - School team cricket event at Mellis

10th - New Reception visiting school

13th - Sports Day

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17th - Y2 and Y4 Athletics event

19th - Y6 Crucial Crew Trip

20th - Y4 Trip to Banham Zoo

25th - Y3 Music Festival trip in Bury St Edmunds

26th - Whole School Transition Day

30th - Careers Week

30th - Y6 Bikeability

30th June - 3rd - Y6 Bikeability

3rd - Y3 and Y4 trip to Home Farm, Nacton

3rd - Y5 Over-night camp in school

4th - Y5 Beach trip to Southwold

5th - Friends of Eye Summer Fair

7th - Reception Sealife Centre trip

9th - Eye Fest - Colour Run

11th - Y6 Leaver's trip to ski slope

15th - 16th - Y6 Play

21st - Y6 Leaver's Service in church

22nd- Y6 Leaver's Assembly in school hall



Let's Celebrate!

Our pupils have flourished through some enriching experiences this term



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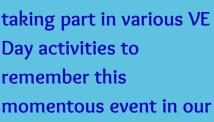


Budding Gardeners

Our reception children have been busy thinking about 'Living Things'. A while ago, they planted radishes, peppers and carrots and have been watching them grow in the classroom. They enjoyed planting them outside in their vegetable patch this week and look forward to watching them grow and produce. They have also planted cress seeds. What green fingered children they

VE Day

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Hazel Class

The whole school marked VE Day this month holding the minute silence and taking part in varied Day activities to remember this momentous event history.

Hazel Class Year 4 have celebred two enrichments to term - their art moworkshop led by S Delgardo - a local professional artist their golf enrichments their golf enrich Year 4 have celebrated two enrichments this term - their art mosiac workshop led by Sarah professional artist - and their golf enrichment with Premier Sport.





Performance Poetry

Congratulations on both key stages presenting their Performance Poetry in our collective worships this week. Here are Year 5 performing the monologues they have written of Princess Elizabeth when she was encaptured in The Tower of London. Bravo to all of our young performers!



Well Done Year 6

We are all very proud of how hard Year 6 have worked this half term, preparing for and completing their SATs. They are now enjoying wearing their leaver's hoodies and are busy rehearsing for their leaver's play - The Wizard of Oz. Superstars!



Ash Class Trip

Year 1 met Florence Nightingale this term, they learnt what she would do in a day as well as what she packed in her trunk for her trip to the Crimean War. They also made a lamp so they could become 'the lady with the lamp' to check on their patients at night.



Young Nature Lovers

Reception spent a lovely afternoon at The Pennings. They spotted lots of different minibeasts, looked at the interesting plants and flowers and made bug hotels in the woodland area. Some children were even lucky enough to have a butterfly land on them! They are so lucky to have this beautiful space only a short walk away!







Safeguarding Our Children



At St Peter and St Paul, the safety and wellbeing of every child is our top priority. Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility, and we believe a strong partnership between school and home is key to helping children feel secure, supported, and confident.

If you have any concerns about a child's welfare, or would like advice on how to support your child's emotional, physical, or online safety, please don't hesitate to speak with our Designated Safeguarding Leads (DSLs), Mr Varela/Mrs Jarvis, or a member of our safeguarding team.

Below are some useful resources for parents/carers:

NSPCC – Keeping Children Safe

Advice on talking to your child about difficult topics and spotting signs of abuse.

- CEOP (Child Exploitation and Online Protection Command)
 Help and advice on keeping your child safe online.
 - Thinkuknow

Age-appropriate online safety information and activities.

Childline

Support for children to speak about anything they're worried about, available 24/7.

Young Minds

Support for children's mental health and wellbeing.

ACES Adverse Childhood Experiences

This short animated film has been developed to raise awareness of ACES, their potention to damage health across the life course and the roles that different agencies can play in preventing ACES and supporting families. If you have any questions about any of our safeguarding features, please speak to Mrs Jarvis or Mr Varela.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XHgLYI9KZ-A&t=12s

Together, we can help our children grow up safe, happy, and ready to thrive.