



Shine as Lights in the World
Philippians 2.15

Friday June 14th, 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

Design and Technology Project

This term the whole school will be embarking on a shared Design and Technology project which will culminate in a whole school picnic on June 21st. To help us with resourcing food and materials we would very much appreciate if you could support us with donations to be made on Parent Pay. We are suggesting £3, but any donations will be gratefully received.

Key Stage 1 SATS

Key Stage 1 SATS are now optional for primary schools in England. However, we believe they are still a useful tool to help determine any gaps in understanding and also these tests support us in making an accurate teacher assessment for the end of Year 2. Starting next week the children in Year 2, will be working through what we call 'booklets' in small groups supported by the class teacher. If you have any questions do speak with myself or Miss Sleight.

Art Project

We had a great time working with the fantastic artists from Kingham Lodge. The children enjoyed creating their pop art pieces. Copies are now displayed in the school hall and it looks stunning! Thank you to Mrs Wheatley and Mrs Witts for organising!

LKS2 Museum Trip

What a great time we had at the Corinium Museum in Cirencester with the children in Year 3/4.

Ted said 'There were loads of golden rings and a necklace with a red diamond' that were particularly memorable. He enjoyed dressing up as a monk!

Aurelia said 'One of my favourite parts was seeing the mosaics and trying to create our own ones. I also enjoyed learning about Roman pottery and what they put in their pots.'

Violet enjoyed learning about the houses in Roman times and the games that they played back then. 'My favourite bit was picking up the shards of the different pots. We used the shards to match them to pictures, it was fun!'

They also wanted me to share some interesting facts like:

- Romans didn't have tomatoes or potatoes.
- Romans had bad teeth because they put honey on everything!
- They used sea snails for purple dye.



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FSU and Year 6 group photographs

The deadline for ordering photos with free delivery to school is Tuesday 18th June.

Non School Uniform

On Friday June 21st in aid of the Summer Festival, we are asking for children to come in non-school uniform and to bring a donation for the tombola. These can be dropped off on the playground next Friday. Thank you for all your support!

Wellytastic Week 17 - 21 June

Do you have wellies that your child has grown out of? Are you thinking you'll need to buy a new pair soon? Hold that thought! The Eco Support Group would like you to bring in any not-needed pairs of wellies next week. You can drop them off in the playground at drop off or pick up. Then after school on Thursday and Friday these will appear on a pre-loved welly stall in the playground. No money required - just turn up and choose the new size wellies for your child. Better for the bank balance AND for the environment. Win-win!

Dates this Term

Date	Event	Who
17 th – 21 st June	Wellytastic Week	All
20 th June	QuadKids Finals	Winning teams
21 st June	Whole School Picnic - afternoon	All
24 th June	Music Festival at Burford School	Year 2
24 th – 27 th June	RE Week	All
25 th June	Music Performance in the hall- 2:45	Year 1
27 th / 28 th June	Burford Transition Days	Year 6
28 th June	Move Up Morning	All
29 th June	Summer Festival	All
2 nd July	Cotswold Transition Day	Year 6
2 nd July	Cricket at Burford School	Year 2
4 th July	Cotswold Farm Park outing	FSU
5 th July	Sleepover	Year 2
8 th July	Great Wychwood Bake off – Round 1	All
10 th July	Sports Day	All
12 th July	Cotswold Wildlife Park outing	Year 1 & 2
15 th July	Great Wychwood Bake off – Round 2	Round 1 winners
17 th July	Year 5/6 Performance – Beaconsfield Hall 7.00pm	Year 5 & 6
18 th July	Leaver's BBQ – 4-6pm	Year 6
22 nd July	Great Wychwood Bake off Final	Round 2 winners
22 nd July	Wychwood's Got Talent	All
23 rd July	Moving On Service – 9.30am	Year 5 & 6
23 rd July	End of Term – Finish 1.30pm	All
24 th July	INSET Day	All

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**Birthday Book Donations**  
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Happy Birthday to Tom (Sycamore), Charlotte (Rowan) and Louie (Willow). Thank you for donating a book to your class. We hope you have a special day! If you would like to donate a book, please collect a donation sticker from the school office.



Thank you for your continued support,

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