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HAPPY EASTER!

We would like to wish our families a very Happy Easter and hope you have an enjoyable break. We look forward to seeing everyone again in the new term on Tuesday 23rd April.

NUMBER DAY

On Friday 29th March we celebrated Number Day. All the children took part in a variety of maths investigations as well as cross-curricular activities. We all had great fun and the children thoroughly enjoyed the day.

Thank you to all the parents who joined us for our maths lesson.



SAYERS CROFT

4H and 4K spent three days at Sayers Croft at the beginning of this week. The children had a fantastic time, despite the unpredictable weather. It was a great trip filled with adventure and excitement, where the children participated in a range of fun and educational activities which tested their limits. Some of these activities involved working together as a team and overcoming a number of challenges and fears, such as maze and blindfold trial, shelter building, caving, archery, orienteering and ballista. In the evening, they enjoyed a fun campfire and made s'mores one night and had a disco the next, with a visit to the tuck shop! The children were well behaved and didn't want to come home!

A huge thank you to Mr Beresford, Mrs Divey, Miss Hamilton, Miss Jolley, Mr Kecskes, Mrs Knight and Mrs Moss for all their care and support of the children.

3M FAMILY ASSEMBLY

On Thursday 4th April, class 3M performed a class assembly all about the exciting world of poetry. They sang beautifully, read their poetry work fantastically and spoke clearly with confidence. Miss Mullins and Mrs Heard want to say a big well done! You all worked so very hard.



NETBALL

On Wednesday 3rd April, our amazing netball team were finalists in the Esher District Netball competition held at Thames Ditton School. They qualified as winners of their league, which they achieved without losing a match. The final proved to be very competitive and Thames Ditton were a very strong team! Unfortunately, we did not win, but we were very proud of their skills, determination and sportsmanship. Well done!

Thank you to Sarah Pearson, Ann-Marie McPake and Mrs Jarman for accompanying them and to the enthusiastic families who came to support.

FORTHCOMING DATES

Tues 23rd Apr: Start of Term
Wed 24th Apr: Class Photographs
Thurs 25th Apr: Y1 Phonics Meeting 2.30pm
Wed 1st May: 1T Family Assembly 9.30am
Thurs 2nd May: Reception Hampton Court Palace
Thurs 2nd May: Y1 Visit from St Barnabas Church
Fri 3rd May: House Donations (not mufti)
Tues 7th May: Y3 Hampton Court Palace
Wed 8th May: Swallows Family Assembly 9.30am
Fri 17th May: Bottle Mufti
Thurs 23rd May: Kingfishers Family Assembly 9.30am
Fri 24th May: Fun Run
Mon 27th to Fri 31st May: Half-Term
Mon 3rd Jun: INSET day
Tues 4th Jun: Nursery closed
Thurs 6th Jun: Y6 Junior Citizen

PIECE OF THE WEEK



This week's piece of the week has been:
Trumpet Concerto in E flat (3rd Movement)
by Joseph Haydn



The link to it is:
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p03c0pcz>

INSTRUMENT OF THE WEEK

This week's instrument of the week has been:
the trumpet

AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

After School Club have increased the number of spaces for next term and now have availability on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

They would also appreciate donations for craft of boxes, pots, string etc. Please send in donations to 2L or the office.

CONGRATULATIONS



Congratulations to Eleanor who took part in the swimathon at the weekend for Cancer Research and Marie Curie. She was part of a team of mums and daughters. Eleanor exceeded her (and her parents') expectations and swam 28 lengths in total (700 metres). She has raised over £200 with the team.

Well done Eleanor; what a fantastic achievement!

PENALTY NOTICE

We would like to remind parents, that if you take your child out of school without the school's permission for 5 or more days, you will be liable to receive a penalty notice. Currently, the amount payable under a penalty notice is £60 if paid within 21 days, rising to £120 if paid between 21 and 28 days. If the penalty notice remains unpaid after 28 days, the Local Authority will consider a prosecution in the Magistrates' Court. Please note that penalty notices are issued per parent/carer per child, so if there are 2 parents and 2 children they will receive 4 penalty notices. Further details are available in our attendance policy.

YEAR 1 PHONICS INFORMATION MEETING

There will be a meeting for year 1 parents on Thursday 25th April at 2.30pm regarding the year 1 phonics screening.

Please enter the hall via the glass door at the front of the school. Please note that the drop-off zone will not be open during school hours.

CLASS PHOTOGRAPHS

A photographer will be coming in to take class photographs on Wednesday 24th April. Would you please ensure that your child has their jumper/cardigan with them on this day. Following on from our survey, we will now be going back to the more traditional style group photo.

