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Nurture, Inspire, Flourish.



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#### Newsletter 33 - 11th June 2021

We celebrate our achievements and are proud of our efforts.

#### **Headteacher's News**

Good afternoon parents and carers,

#### Welcome to Term 6

Welcome back to a wonderful start to T6. We hope you have had a great half term break and have enjoyed being able to meet up with more family and friends safely. We had wonderful weather on May bank holiday and have all come back excited for all of the events that take place in T6. We have found some of the children a little teary and reluctant to be back which is often the case when having had a great break with family. We appreciate your continued support in helping your children be ready for the school day by eating a healthy breakfast, maintaining bedtime routines for an early night and battling the 'I don't want to go to school' jitters.

We, as a staff have been learning about emotion coaching and how we must validate children's feelings rather than dismissing them.



We have realised as a school there are lots of methods of communication that are extremely beneficial for our children and young people that we are actively trying to incorporate into our communication. Emotion coaching can also be used as a parenting tool. Please see the link below for more details if you are interested:

https://www.emotioncoachinguk.com/for-professionals

# HELP!

We are slightly short staffed at **lunchtimes** currently and wanted to see if any of our wonderful parents/carers are available to **volunteer** on a **Wednesday** and/or **Friday**. Due to restrictions we would be hoping to have parents/carers who could commit to the rest of the term to reduce crossing of bubbles, however we are open to any support we can get, so please get in touch with the Office if you think you are interested and have availability.



#### A reminder

Now that the weather looks set to continue to be warm and sunny (hurray I hear you say!) please remember sun hats, sun cream and the cooler uniform options along with water bottles to ensure our children can remain safe in the sun. If you have any problems providing these resources, please do get in contact with us to see if we can help.

Whilst we enjoy some of the changes to restrictions, please remember to continue to abide by Government guidance to keep not only yourselves safe, but also each other. Thank you for your continued support.

Wishing you a wonderful weekend!

Keep smiling, keep shining!

Kind regards, Georgina Scott

## **Diary Events**

Year 6 Disco Break Up Friday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2021 – 6.00pm-7.30pm *Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2021* 

#### This week's Crown Values Certificates awarded to:

Year R Cherry: Darcie B and Emilia B

Year 1 Oak: Nancy H Year 2 Ash: Kinga S

Year 3 Lime: Ellie N

Year 4 Maple: George B and Iyla-Rae S

Year 5 Sycamore: Sarah V Year 6 Cedar: Lacey F



# **Reading Certificates**

William C, Aniyah C, Evie E, Megan L, Kai M, Kinga S, Emily C, Hayden H Piper M, Sarah V, Carson H, Will F, Caiden H, Harry J, Dominik Z, Kamil S Megan A, George B, Lily C, Harrison E, Corey H, Renee J Lacie M, Nancy H, Maisie J, Joey H, Freddie S, Aliana G, Henry B Katy D, Darcey F, Amber T, Kara L, Maya G, Amelia LP Isabel H, Lily-Mai M, Cadi S



## **Multiplication Masters**

George B, Darcey F, Carmen C, Iyla-Rae S, Millie C, Jack C, Tyler B, Chloe N, Max G-M, Elsie J, Freddie S



#### **PSHE**

We have attached an overview of the 'Changing Me' topic that we are teaching in class this term for your information. If you would like to discuss furthermore with your child's class teacher, or wish to view the resources that will be used to aid teaching then please do join us for a virtual meeting as follows.

Year 1/2 - Monday 21st June at 4pm

Year 3/4 Thursday 17th June at 5pm

Year 5/6 Thursday 17th June at 4pm

Links will be sent for the meetings next week via Arbor.

If you can not make the meetings but do want to discuss content with your class teacher then please do contact the office.

Many thanks

Miss Park

#### Road to Tokyo

Here's the latest scoreboard:

Reception: Paris and Athens Complete! 5,294km to Atlanta

Year 1: Paris complete! 1,003km to Athens

Year 2: Paris, Athens, Atlanta, Rio complete! 11,027km to Australia

Year 3: Paris and Athens complete! 3,163km to Atlanta Year 4: Paris and Athens complete! 7,421km to Atlanta Year 5: Paris and Athens complete! 1,860km to Atlanta Year 6: Paris, Athens, Atlanta complete! 5,116km to Rio

Staff: Paris, Athens complete! 5,890km to Atlanta

Year 2 are still in the lead!!

# **School Council**

We are excited to announce that each class has voted for their school council members. The elected pupils are Ben, Cadi, Dylan, Ellie, Ellis, Emily, Isaac, Lacie, Nancy, Renee, Ricky and Zaila. Due to coronavirus restrictions, we have not had a school council yet this year so these children will remain as their class representatives for the first half of next year as well in order to continue with the plans they make this term (with the obvious exception of our Y6 council members who will be heading



off for new adventures elsewhere). Each pair will be meeting with their class next week to find out what the other pupils think could be improved at our school and what charities they think we should be supporting with future fundraising events. They were very positive and motivated at our first meeting so we are sure they will achieve great things for our school over the coming terms.



## Out of School

What a wonderful week we have had at After School Club! Our older pupils prepared food on Tuesday, and we all enjoyed a picnic together in the sunshine. We have been painting and making some lovely surprises for the Dads and special people in our lives. On Thursday 'Brenda the Blender' made another guest appearance and we had lots of fun blitzing up milkshakes. Mrs Parker and Mr Thomas did a taste test and gave our chocolate milkshake top marks! Well done to our Year 5 and Year 6 children who have been practising their typing skills at club - keep up the good work! We are looking forward to 99s and some sand between our toes next week, as part of our seaside themed week!



#### Plan for week commencing 14th June:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Postcards	Shark Art &	Sandcastle	Ice Cream Cupcakes	Seaside in a
	Footprints in the	Competition	and Fishing games	bottle
	Sand paintings			

We will also be making Father's Day crafts throughout the week. Please remember to book your child into club either via the Arbor system or by calling the Office.

During half term William and Elliot (helped by their Grandpa) made an amazing windmill and birdbox. Both items are going to be put up around the school. Well done boys.





#### Times Tables Rockstars Battle of the Bands - Results!



Congratulations to Sycamore Class who won their battle of the bands against Cedar Class with 678 points! Cedar Class scored 176 points.

Congratulations also to Lime Class who won their battle of the bands against Maple Class with 420 points! Maple Class scored 179 points.

Numbots Robot Rumble - Results!



The Key Stage One tournament was VERY close but Oak Class won with 2108 coins. Ash Class earned 2074 coins - only 34 coins less than Y1.

Well done to all children in Y1-Y6 who took part!

#### **FoCP News**

## **Virtual Coronation Balloon Race**

Congratulations to 'King Olive' who has won the hamper containing Father's Day treats and for travelling furthest in the Coronation Balloon Race! Thank you to everyone who entered.





#3 The Megalodon: travelled 36.56km FINISHED

# **SMARTIES CHALLENGE**



We hope your children enjoyed doing chores/tasks for the Smarties Challenge. Thank you for returning your filled Smarties tubes. If you have forgotten to return any money raised, you can still pay by online banking via this link: https://app.offspring.co/Wh51EnDUO.

## **FOCP Meeting**

Our next meeting will be on Wednesday 23rd June at 7pm via Zoom. Everyone is welcome to attend. This is a great opportunity to find out what we do. If you would like to attend, please email chairfocp@gmail.com.

### Follow Us

Follow our "Courtney FOCP" page on Facebook (search for @focpcourtney) or @CourtneyFocp on Twitter.



# Menu w/c Monday 14<sup>th</sup> June Week 3

# Monday

Cheese & Tomato Pizza
Veggie Chilli with Rice (veg option)
BBQ Beans, Golden Corn

Apple and Pear Crumble with Custard

## Tuesday

Spaghetti Bolognaise Potato Longboats (veg option) Rainbow Vegetables

Chocolate and Beetroot Brownie

# Wednesday

Roast of the day with Gravy & Roast Potatoes Cauliflower Cheese & Roast Potatoes (veg option) Broccoli and Carrots

Strawberry Jelly with Pineapple Chunks

# Thursday

Pork Sausages with Mash & Gravy Vegetable Bolognaise with Pasta (Veg option) Super Greens

Chocolate Banana Cake with Custard

# Friday

Fish and chips with tomato sauce Cheese & Onion Quiche with Chips (veg option) Peas and Baked Beans Vanilla Cookie with Yogurt

Jacket potatoes (with either beans, cheese or tuna), Fruit and Yogurt available every day.



