



Weekly Newsletter – Friday, 23rd June 2023

Message from the Headteacher

Class 3 Family Assembly

Class 3 proudly presented their assembly to parents and carers this morning. They sang a song, showed their diagrams and told everyone about the stages of the water cycle: evaporation, condensation, precipitation and collection. Well done Class 3!



Box Office Opens!

Rehearsals for Year 6's forthcoming production of 'Ali Baba and the Bongo Bandits' are well under way. The grand performance at the Village Hall will be on Thursday, 13th July at 6pm and tickets will be available to purchase from next week Monday to Thursday at 3pm outside the Year 6 classroom.

Class 5 Support with Secondary Transfer

Mr Oliver has undertaken telephone consultations with our Year 5 families this week to support them as they make their decisions about whether they wish their child to take the Kent Test in September. The deadline for Year 5 parents to apply for the Kent Test is 3rd July 2023.

Reception and Nursery Sports Afternoon

Our very youngest children are looking forward to their families joining us on the field on Thursday, 29th June for their annual joint sporting event. As always, at this time of year, lashings of sunscreen, a sunhat and a water bottle will be needed for all children. Parent/carers need to bring their best cheering voices!

Governors

We were very pleased to welcome all school governors into school on Wednesday. They each spent time in a class watching the teaching and learning and finding out, in particular, how the needs of all children are met by the class staff. This was a really positive piece of collaborative work between the Governors, school staff and the children. Mr Matthew Lamprell and Mr Brendan Wells who have both recently joined the governing body, Mr Lamprell as a co-opted governor and Mr Wells as an LA governor were also in attendance – we look forward to working with them as new governors.

Grand Day Out

Thank you, we have had a really positive response to our recent letter regarding our whole school trip. Just a reminder that the deadline for reply is Friday 30th June.

NEU Strike Action 5th and 7th July 2023

The NEU have planned further strike days – I am in the process of gathering information from the teaching staff and hope to be able to advise parent/carers early next week about any class closures.

Local Fundraiser

Further to my message in the newsletter w/e 12th May I am pleased to say Mr & Mrs Clark and their children completed their challenge to climb Mount Snowdon in 6 hours (up and down). Congratulations on this achievement which raised funds for the local charity - Pegasus Playscheme.



As always, wishing you all a good weekend.

Helen Comfort – Executive Headteacher





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Message from Class R

In Class R so far this term, we have been learning all about the seaside and sea animals. We have been reading 'The Lighthouse Keepers Lunch'. We've discussed what horrible sandwiches we could make to keep the seagulls away, and created a pulley system so the children could deliver food to the top of the climbing frame. We have also created some artwork of crabs and jellyfish using handprints.

We're so excited for our annual sports day with the Nursery next week, where the children will enjoy a picnic and have a lovely time joining in all the activities and games we have planned.

We can't wait to explore what the rest of this exciting term has in store for us!

Miss Owen

Star Awards

w/e 23rd June 2023



Class 1 – Zoe
Class 2 – Camille
Class 3 – Millie
Class 4 – Kieran
Class 5 – Henry
Class 6 – Leon

Attendance

Whole School
attendance

19/06/23 - 23/06/23
97.5%

Whole School
attendance

05/09/22 - date
94.6%

Ali Baba and the Bongo Bandits

Class 6 are busy rehearsing their end of year production of 'Ali Baba and the Bongo Bandits'.

The performance will be on **Thursday, 13th July at 6pm** in St Margaret's Village Hall.

Tickets will be sold by the children at 3pm on the playground. Please check the week ahead for dates they will be there.

The cost of the tickets are £6 for adults and £3.50 for children. Please come and support our Class 6 children.



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Lunch Menu: Week 1

w/c Monday, 26th June 2023

£2.41 per day

[April-2023.pdf \(wholeschoolmeals.co.uk\)](https://www.wholeschoolmeals.co.uk/April-2023.pdf)

To pay for your meals online, please go to:

<https://www.parentpayshop.co.uk/schools/wsm>

Class 6 Bake Sale

Class 6 will be holding a bake sale at break times on Wednesday 28th June. The children are raising money to help contribute towards some of their end of term celebrations. Items will range in price from 20p up to £1. Any leftover products will be sold on the playground after school. If you wish to send in monies for your child, please ensure these are in a named purse or wallet.



The Week Ahead!

Week commencing 26th June 2023

LAST WEEK OF CLUBS

Monday, 26th June

- Class 4 Forest School Sessions this week – please see letter for details
- 'Ali Baba and the Bongo Bandits' tickets on sale from 3pm outside Year 6 classroom

Tuesday, 27th June

- Class 3 Swimming - please remember swimming kit/towel, etc.
- 'Ali Baba and the Bongo Bandits' tickets on sale from 3pm outside Year 6 classroom

Wednesday, 28th June

- Class 6 Bake Sale – remember to send your child with some money to buy a cake at break time

Thursday, 29th June

- 12pm Reception Class & Nursery Sports Afternoon
- 3:15pm PTFA selling freeze pops in the gazebo after school
- 'Ali Baba and the Bongo Bandits' tickets on sale from 3pm outside Year 6 classroom

Friday, 30th June

- Class 6 Trip – see separate letter for details

