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Newsletter 29

Spotted being "TERRIFIC!"

Our Terrific Awards were presented this week to:-

- ❖ Chloe Callaghan-Gleeson in Class 1 who was spotted being "INVOLVED by showing enthusiasm in maths."
- ❖ Barnaby Westcott in Class 2 who was all spotted being "CARING and kind by thinking of others."
- ❖ Annabel Westcott in Class 3 who was spotted being "INVOLVED. She is proving to be an invaluable member of her mini-enterprise team."

Well done to all our Terrific Award winners!

Pupils' Choice Lunch Menu

With immediate effect, please note the following slight variations to the Summer & Autumn 2017 lunch menu:-

Week 1

- **Monday** – Creamed potatoes or potato wedges will be available with the sausages. The children will be asked at the counter what they want.
- **Tuesday** – The curry sauce is optional with the creamy chicken curry. The children are asked at the counter if they want the curry sauce or not.

Week 3

- **Tuesday** - The BBQ sauce is optional with the BBQ chicken with rice. The children are asked at the counter if they want the BBQ sauce or not.

KS2 SATs

It comes with a sense of relief that, for another year, the end-of-Key-Stage-2 tests are complete. Noah, Ilinca, Callum, Edith, Fynn, Frances, Lucinda and Rebecca have survived their SATs. The children have all worked ever so hard and each really did try their very best – we could not have asked any more of them!

Class 3 Mini-Enterprise Sale

Thank you to those of you who supported the mini-enterprise cake sale yesterday after school. Thirteen children from Class 3 were divided into 3 teams and each team produced the contents for their stalls with a £5 investment. Their sales made a staggering £105 profit between them. The money made will be used to purchase equipment for the school. Well done to all the children involved.

100% Attendance – Spring Term 2017

We were delighted to be able to enter 21 children into the prize draw for the 100% Attendance Award for the Spring Term 2017. Well done to all 21 of you who attended school every single day from after the Christmas holiday up to the Easter holiday. The lucky winner of the £40 family cinema voucher for the term was Mario Murariu in Year 2. Congratulations Mario, we hope you and your family enjoy a trip to the movies! 100% Attendance certificates will be handed out at the end of the summer term to those children who have achieved full attendance for the whole of this school year.

Bingo Night – TOMORROW!

Tickets for tomorrow's after school Bingo Night MUST have been purchased in advance via the SchoolMoney system. If your child is joining us for a game (or two) of bingo please make sure you have bought their ticket. As mentioned in last week's newsletter, parents are welcome to come along to help with the game as, especially for some of the younger children, it can be a bit tricky. If you are not staying, please be back at school at 5 pm promptly for pick up.

Next Week – Hatfield Forest

Next Friday (19th May) it will be the turn of the pre-school and EYFS to visit Hatfield Forest. Full details of this trip have been sent out in a separate letter. Please make sure you have read the letter and paid for the trip via the SchoolMoney system. Any difficulties with transport, please let Mrs Waight know as soon as possible so she can endeavour to come up with a solution.

Quiz & Curry Night – Saturday 20th May

Will you be joining us for our Quiz & Curry Night on Saturday 20th May? If so, please let Mrs Waight know as soon as possible as we need to place the order for the curry by Wednesday 17th May. This is always a really enjoyable evening so, even if maybe quizzing isn't your thing, we think you will have a great time. Our fantastic quiz masters, Andrew Moring and Pete Kelly are bound to have some interesting questions to ask and if you don't know the answer you can always have another drink while you and your team confer!

Swimming

After the May half term holiday it will be the turn of the KS1 and EYFS children to go swimming again on Friday mornings. All the children who usually attend school on a Friday will be expected to swim. However, if your child is currently attending our pre-school or Nursery on a Friday morning and you do not want them to go swimming you may choose to opt out. Please let Mrs Waight know your preference. Swimming lessons, including the cost of coach travel to the pool, are charged at £3.65 per session.

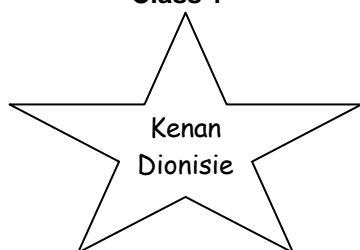
Nursery & Pre-School Hours – 2nd half of Summer Term 2017

Should you wish to make any amendments to the hours that your child attends the pre-school or Nursery for the second half of the summer term 2017, please can you let Mrs Waight know the details of any changes by Thursday 18th May at the very latest. If we haven't heard from you by this date, we will assume that their hours will remain the same.

Stars of the Week

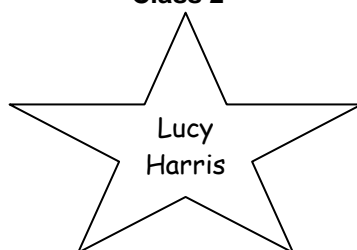
This week's stars are:

Class 1



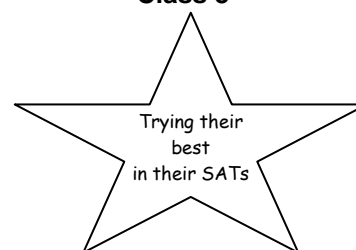
For concentration and quantity of independent work in maths.

Class 2



For a fantastic performance in Matilda.

Class 3



Frances, Rebecca, Lucinda, Edith, Ilinca, Callum K, Fynn & Noah.

Well done to all our Stars!

Diary Dates for the Summer Term 2017 – PLEASE CHECK DATES WEEKLY FOR ANY ADDITIONS AND CHANGES

MAY 2017	
Friday 12 th May	Year 1 & 2 visit to Hatfield Forest – **PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF DATE**
Friday 12 th May	3.15 – 5 pm – Bingo Night – Friends' event.
Wednesday 17 th May	2.45 pm – Church assembly with Rev Steve – ALL WELCOME.
Thursday 18 th May	9.45 am – Year 6 Crucial Crew.
Friday 19 th May	Pre-school & EYFS visit to Hatfield Forest - **PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF DATE**
Saturday 20 th May	7 pm – Quiz & Curry Night – Friends' fundraising event.
Wednesday 24 th May	8 am – Big Breakfast - Friends' event.
Thursday 25 th May	Year 5 & 6 visit to Hatfield Forest.
Friday 26 th May	2 pm – School finishes for the half term holiday.
JUNE 2017	
Monday 5 th June	School re-opens after the half term holiday.