

All Saints & St Richard's Church of England Primary School



School Newsletter

issue 14



Dear Parents and Carers,

Over the past few weeks our Year 2 and Year 6 children have been working very hard on their end of key stage assessments. We are very proud of their achievements and efforts.

The pond has been used a lot by Buzzards class in Science lessons and all kinds of different species are now being identified. Thomas Bonnick in Year 6 has created a special sheet to record new species found each week.

On Thursday we welcomed a trainer from Caloo to work with the children on how to use the outdoor gym effectively and safely. He was extremely impressed by our children, particularly their attitude and behaviour.

We now look forward to a busy few weeks at the end of the year, as we plan a number of exciting and interesting events and activities.

Thank you for your continued support.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mr Davison
Head of School





Sparrowhawks to Pizza Express by Priya Young

Sparrow hawks visit pizza express!

On Friday Sparrow hawks went to pizza express and made pizza. Hannah helped the children to make pizza. Unfortunately when we got there it started to rain but we got inside quickly.

First we had to wash our hands. Then Hannah laid dough on the table. We had to flatten down the dough and flip it. Once we had done that we put it in a tray.

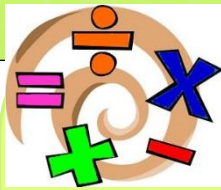
Then everyone flattened it out to the side of the tray and made the crust by putting your fingers round the edge and squashing it to the edge. Everyone put tomato sauce on it and spread it out with a spoon.

After that all the class sprinkled cheese on top. It was really fun for the class. Then we cooked it at 350. Finally we returned to school and had two slices of yummy pizza.

I wish we could do this every Friday.

Priya.





99 Club
Well done Isabelle!

Many congratulations to Isabelle Fogg, who has worked incredibly hard and completed the final challenge of the

99 club. Along with excellent mathematical skills, Isabelle has shown great determination and resilience throughout the challenge, and we are delighted that she has made this achievement whilst still in Year 4.



Bags 4 School!
collection raised
£50.40
thank you
for
supporting
this.



Thank You!

Thank you from Sparrowhawks to Dr Greener

We would like to thank Dr Sue Greener, who came in to host 'Question Time' on faith, Christianity and the Bible in Sparrowhawks on Tuesday afternoon. The children had prepared a wide range of interesting and thought provoking questions, and gained a huge amount of knowledge and insight from Sue. Sue is a very busy person; as well as being a reader in our own local church, 'All Saints', she is also one of our Governors and has a number of part time jobs, so we are very grateful for her time and wisdom.

GOLD AWARDS

Friday 12th May

Mason Clarke
Lilly Bowley
Louis Thain
Morgan Barnes

Friday 19th May

Anais Hagan
Maddie Clover
Harry Fletcher
Romily Crossinggum
Gracie Cannings
Millie Mason



**BOOK
FAIR**
COMING SOON!



**Book Fair wk commencing
Monday 12th June. From 3.30pm-
4pm**

**Get ready for our Book Fair!!
Every book sold helps us restock
our library/classrooms.
Please support! – preview for
parents on Friday 9th June from
3.30pm till 4pm**

ATTENDANCE
End of Term 5

BUZZARDS – 93.5%

SPARROWHAWKS – 96.4%

TREETOPS – 95%



Thank You!

Thank you to Rachel Windus
for the donation and delivery
of the fridge to store the
children's fruit in.

Forest School News 4th May

The weather was cloudy but we didn't let this dampen our spirits and we were determined to enjoy our last session. After the safety talk we played some games and the first one was 'Finger Grab'. This was a new game and we had to concentrate and remember a code word. Next were some running around games, including our favourite, '123 where are you?' By then the sun had come out!



Our choices today included the opportunity to try some of last week's activities again such as leaf prints and looking for natural colours in Vines Wood which matched the colour swatches. We made swords using a Clove Hitch knot and square lashing and we used clay to make mini beasts and mini beast homes. We also did some cooking.



We toasted marshmallows on sticks and we also made our own camp fire Pizzas this week, spreading the tomato base and choosing our favourite fillings.



Mrs Farley cooked them for us and they were very tasty and, as it was our last session, Mrs Farley spoilt us and also cooked sausages so we could have hot dogs with our lunch.

After this feast we had lots of energy for free-play! 'Crumble Mountain' was again investigated for dinosaur bones and another group found a different mound of earth to dig in. Swings were repaired or redesigned to swing higher. Penny and Flo discovered it was too windy to use the tarpaulin for a shelter.



Forest School Continued

It was blowing like a sail so they turned it into a pirate ship and Flo wrote some instructions for how to build a pirate ship. All sorts of ideas and games then followed including constructing a pulley system for raising and lowering the anchor which was designed and built by Cillian and Albert, Oliver's bunk- bed using knots and which was strong enough to take his weight and a game of walking the plank. The ship had to have a flag with a skull and cross bones and then ground art pirate maps were made to show the location of hidden treasure. At reflection time we all had happy memories of our time at Forest School this year and we are looking forward to our turn next year when we are in Sparrow Hawks class



Thank You!

A big thank you to Phil Church for kindly providing compost, pots and a fantastic selection of seeds to Sparrowhawks. Everything is coming up roses!!



Welcome to Emme & Romily Crossinggum. We hope you will enjoy being part of our family.



Movie Night on Thursday 25th May - Straight after school. Collection at 5:15pm

The film is the **Disney Movie "Moana"**
£4.50 per child which includes a snack pack consisting of sandwiches, raisins, crisps etc and a drink too. We found the snack packs to be a huge success last time but it does mean that places must be booked in advance.

Ice pop sales will start next term on a Friday after school so please remember to bring 30p with you.



High Weald Welly Walk

Sponsored 'Welly Walk' has raised £347.50 which will go towards the refit of our library. Thank you to everyone for supporting this.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY (changes/additions highlighted in yellow)



2017:	
Wednesday 19th April	START OF TERM 5
20th April – 6th July	Yrs 3,4,5 & 6 Swimming @ St Leonards's pool, Mayfield - more info to follow.
Thursday 25th May	Movie Night – PTA – Disney film 'Moava' from 3.30pm – 5.15pm
Friday 26th May	Whole School – Skipping Workshop Day!
Monday 29th May – Friday 2nd June	HALF TERM HOLIDAY
Monday 5th June	START OF TERM 6
Tuesday 6th June	Year 6 – Safety In Action @ Bowles AM
Thursday 8th June	Ashdown Forest Visit for Sparrowhawks & Buzzards
Friday 9th June	Preview of Book fair – main hall – for parents from 3.30pm-4pm
Monday 12th June	Book Fair week! 3.30pm-4pm in main hall
Friday 16th June	New ECO Club 3.20pm-4.20pm – spaces still available
Friday 30th June	Race for Life event from 3.20pm
Thursday 20th July	End of term – Summer Holidays start for children
Friday 21st July	Staff Inset Day
School Photos – Tuesday October 17th	From 8.30 am – more details will follow nearer the time.