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The Week Ahead

Term 6 Week 3

Dear All,

It was lovely to see so many Celts and Romans roaming around the school today for year 3 History day.

Today the children will be bringing home a book about the Queen as a souvenir of the Platinum Jubilee. This has been provided for every primary school child.

On Monday we welcomed Jo Harris, Librarian, who came to talk about the summer reading challenge. There is an article on the next page about this year's challenge which is called 'Gadgeteers'.

At the moment it is Year 6's turn to enjoy forest school as you can see from the picture.

We are looking forward to Sports Day next Friday and welcoming parents into watch the afternoon session.

Best Wishes, From Mrs Rutt





Lunch Menu: Week 3

Cake Day: Year 5

Monday 20th June

Competitive Track Races Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 start time 9.25am Years Foundation, 1 & 2 start time 10.55am

Tuesday 21st June

Induction evening for the new Foundation September 2022 parents 6-7.00pm Surname A-K 7-8.00pm Surname L-Z

Wednesday 22nd June

Badgers class to the Library in Bradford on Avon

3.30-4.30pm Foundation September 2022 drop-in session

Friday 24th June

Sports Day

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Parents are invited to come and watch the afternoon session from 1.00pm. Please follow the signed to the information desks where you will find where your child will be. It would be useful to know which house they are in.

Summer Reading Challenge 2022



Children often have a dip in their reading over the summer - the Summer Reading Challenge, produced by the Reading Agency and delivered by libraries, has been proven to stop this as well as changing children's attitudes in a positive way towards reading and libraries. The challenge is for 4-11 year olds to read 6 library books over 8 weeks of the summer in return for various fun prizes, including a medal and certificate on completion. This year the challenge runs from Saturday 16 July to Saturday 10 September - there will be a registration period in the first two weeks of the challenge, where children will receive a pack of resources; after this period (from 1 August) and once children have completed the challenge, they are invited to return to collect their final sticker, medal and certificate and to talk about their reading experience.

This year's theme, 'Gadgeteers', is all about science and innovation. Developed in partnership with the Science Museum Group, the Challenge will inspire children to use their curiosity and creativity to discover the science behind the everyday and celebrates the role of the imagination in both reading and the sciences. Although there is a science theme, children can read any six library books of their choice; they don't have to be linked to science and they can read more than six books! They also don't have to be able to read, reading with a parent/carer also counts.

It's free to join the challenge and to take out a library membership, visit: Join the library - Wiltshire Council and library staff will be on hand to support reading choices. Children can also take part in the challenge online via the website: summerreadingchallenge.org.uk, where they can rate and review books, download activities, and access video content, games and quizzes.

For any queries or for further information, please email: <u>libraryenquiries@wiltshire.gov.uk</u>