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Newsletter – 25th May 2018

Class News

Class One



Wedding preparations are well under way with a visit from Ali the Florist, the Bride and Groom are very excited, not to mention the Mother of the Bride, Bridesmaids, Flower Girls, Page Boy, Usher, Photographer, Best Man and Vicar. Cakes, hats and rings are currently being made and the ceremony will take place on Friday afternoon.

Class Two



This week, the children brought into school the geraniums and sunflowers that they planted 6 weeks ago. The children shared how they cared for their plants and together we looked at how they had changed from the seeds we had planted. The children enjoyed sharing their plants with the children from the other classes.

Class Three



This week in class 3, we have been completing practising the skills needed to write the ending to a story. We have all written a plan and then used this to structure our 'Hot Write' which shows off our amazing writing. We have also been developing our fractions work and understanding. Our music sessions have started to focus again on our recorder playing. We look forward to sharing some music with you next term!

Class Four



Class 4 had a fantastic trip to the Coventry Building Society where they experienced real life maths involved in being a cashier. They took on the role of both a cashier and a customer and learnt a lot about the type of jobs people do in a building society or a bank. Some very inspired children in Class 4 are keen to become cashiers and branch managers now.

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Dates & messages

Upcoming Dates 2018

May 25 th	End of Term School Disco
June 4 th	Back to School
June 5 th	PDET Maths Day
June 8 th	Staverton's Got Talent
June 12 th	Year 5/6 Kwik Cricket
June 13 th	Water safety assembly
June 14 th	Women's Cycling World Tour
June 18 th	Class 3 Everdon Residential Trip
June 19 th	EYFS Induction Afternoon
June 20 th	Class 3 return from Trip
June 26 th	EYFS Induction Afternoon C Salt Assembly
July 2 nd	Dress Rehearsal KS2 Concert
July 3 rd	EYFS Induction Afternoon
July 4 th	KS2 concert 2:15 & 6:00pm
July 8 th	FoSS Summer Fete 11:30
July 9 th	Sports Event Afternoon
July 10 th	Sports Evening & Stocks Bikeability begins
July 11 th	Reserve Sports Evening
July 12 th	Years 2, 3 & 4 PDET Sports Day
July 13 th	FoSS Tigers
July 16 th	Parents' Evening
July 18 th	Year 6 Leavers' Lunch
July 19 th	Red Devil's display Leavers' Assembly
July 20 th	End of year service 2pm Break for summer holidays
Sept 4-5 th	Teacher training days
Sept 6 th	Children back to school

Birthday Corner

Happy Birthday to:
Betsy, George and Oscar



Message Board

Headteacher's message

Another half term is down and we are at the May holiday. What a busy half term it has been – especially for me learning new systems and lots and lots of names. Thank you once more for such a warm welcome. Reflecting on our half term value: I am very thankful for all the support the children and school have from parents; a fantastic staff who strive to ensure the best for every child, and children who put in 100% on a daily basis. A well-deserved rest all round. Have a fun, safe holiday, whatever the weather, and God bless.

SATs

Well done to all the year 2 children this week, who have completed their SATs tests. Not a negative word was spoken and they had fun with their 'quizzes'. Well done to Mr Hier for delivering in a completely stress-free way.

Missing!

This is a heart-felt appeal on behalf of one of our young children, who is distraught at losing his favourite teddy. A very special friend has gone missing whilst at school and we have searched high and low for him. Can we ask parents to be on the lookout for Spotty the Monkey? He is a small, cuddly monkey, with peach fur and purple inside his ears, and has a small scratch on one eye.

School Fund Raising

If anyone works for a company that is able to offer match funding – matching our charitable fund raising – please get in touch. In particular, we know that Ford and Cummins offer this service, so if any parent knows an employee it we would appreciate them contacting school.

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Class One had a visit from Vicki the florist this week. She brought lots of beautiful flowers and helped the children cut them and shape them into lovely flower arrangements.

Mrs Clarke led another expedition out of school last week as Class One continue to enjoy Forest School.

Celebrating Pentecost on Monday, Class One created flame headbands and made kites to fly in the wind. All children learned about the story of Pentecost and the Birth of the Church, including these symbols of the Holy Spirit and how we have the strength and courage to be good people like Jesus wanted us to be.



Our Achievements

Football – Alfie and Thomas shared trophies for winning their football competition with their Rugby football team – well done boys.

Brownies – Liliane shared her multiple brownie badges for all of her achievements.

Swimming – Liliane completed her challenge to swim 200m – 8 lengths. The school came 2nd in the Daventry Swimming Gala and progress onto the next round. Well done super swimmers: Ella, Sophie, Grace, Bella, Ollie, Liam, George and Brandon.

Hockey – The school took part in a level 2 competition for the Daventry area and came third. Our tennis stars were: Alfie, Lorrie, Tom, Poppy-Mae, Keira and Bronwyn. Well done to you all.

Tennis – The school entered a team into the year 3/4 tennis competition and...WON!
Well done to: Neeha, Cara, Alfie and Kobi.

Badminton – Flynn, Ben, Jack, William, Mia and Grace G took part in a badminton festival and played brilliantly.

Pen Licence – Well done to Harry for receiving his pen licence.

Well Done! **STARS OF THE WEEK:**

Class 1: **Jenson** - Trying really hard to write his letters the right way round.

Class 2: **Charlotte** - For being a caring and compassionate member of the class.
Izzy - For her hard work and super attitude towards learning.

Class 3: **Ben** - Content in literacy – super effort to include features.
Isaac - Great use of vocabulary in constructing sentences.

Class 4: **Izack** - For his great effort in improving his hand.
Henry - For his great effort in editing his writing.

Headteacher's Star: **Lewis** – For enthusiasm, his caring nature, great maths skills, and getting a job offer from Coventry Building Society on his trip.

Winning house: **Emerald!**