

St. Michael's C of E Infant School Newsletter

Newsletter 3 Summer 2023



22nd May 2023

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School Trips

Every class has now been on a school trip. YR went to Wellington Country Park last Wednesday. They had a fantastic day out- pond dipping, going on a mini-beast hunt and looking for deer. A member of the public who was also visiting on the park on the same day, commented on the excellent behaviour of the children!

Last Friday, Year 1 went to Milestones in Basingstoke to learn all about toys from the past. This was linked to their History learning from earlier in the school year. All of the children had an excellent time and were very well behaved.

Year 2 went to Wisley Gardens a few weeks ago and participated in a variety of learning activities linked to their Science and Art learning. They also saw the beautiful displays of tulips at the park. A member of the public also noticed how well behaved the children were and commented to one of the teachers.

Thank you to all of the staff who worked hard organising the trips and to the volunteers who came to help look after the children. I know that these events create special memories for our children and it is wonderful to see them have such a good time.

Dot Patton



Using the school play equipment before and after school

Please do NOT let your children play on any of the play equipment before or after school please.

Quiz Night

A huge thank you to FOSM for organising the quiz night. It was great fun and Mr Heike was a brilliant quiz master! We had lots of laughs on the staff team (mainly at some of our answers). Thank you to everyone who attended.

Victoria Day Parade - Saturday 10th June

Our school will once again be taking part in this year's Victoria Day Parade on Saturday 10th June.

We would really appreciate as many parents and children as possible taking part in this joyous community event and an email with details of how to join will be sent out tomorrow.

The route is slightly shorter this year and will start from the Naafi Roundabout on Station Road and end at the Princes Hall. This year's theme is the circus, so friendly clowns and jugglers are welcome.

We have won best in parade for the last two years so we would love to win it again. If you don't wish to walk in the parade, please do come along and give us a wave, it's always good to see a friendly face along the way!



Diary Dates Summer 2023

Monday 29th - Friday 3rd June – Half Term

Saturday 10th June – Victoria Day Parade

Thursday 15th June - Parents' Forum via Teams at 7:30pm

Monday 19th June – Duckling eggs arrive

Thursday 22nd June - Sports Day (morning 9.30 – 11.30)

Friday 23rd June – Summer Fayre

Friday 30th – INSET DAY

Tuesday 4th July – Class photos

Wednesday 12th July – Year 2 Leavers' Disco

Friday 21st July – Last day of Summer Term

Sports Morning

Our school Sports morning will be held on Thursday 22nd June on the Junior school field. We welcome you to come and cheer your child on. The morning starts at 9:30am.

Attendance Letters

Once again, attendance letters will be sent home on the first week back after half term. These will inform you of your child's current attendance %.

Parents' Forum - all about Safeguarding

As a school we take our safeguarding responsibilities very seriously. At the next parents' forum, we would like to give you the opportunity to listen to some of the processes that we follow and actions that we carry out to try and keep the children safe. **The Parents' Forum will be held on Teams on 15th June at 7:30pm.**

Collective Worship

Last week in Collective Worship the children thought about the importance of working together as a team and how important this is in our community. This week the children will be thinking about powers and how, in the Bible, the Disciples were able to talk in different languages and filled with a special kind of power during the feast of Pentecost.