



# **SCHOOL NEWSLETTER**

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# **Important Dates For Your Diary:**

# **Tuesday 23rd April NHS Dental Survey**

Wednesday 24th April Y3 & Y4 Cross Country

# Friday 26th April Y1 Assembly Swimming Gala

Thursday 2nd May PTFA Non-Uniform Day

# Friday 3rd May **Inset Day**

# W/C 13th May

Y2 & Y6 SATS week—please do not book any holidays.

# **Girls Football Tournament**

Some of our KS2 girls played in an Atlas Games Football Tournament on Wednesday.

The competition this time round was extremely fierce but our team showed fantastic resilience and played every match with determination

They may not have won on this occasion but their teamwork and spirit was inspiring. Well done girls!

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## Attendance Reminder

A reminder that school gates open at 8.45am and lessons begin at 9am. Please ensure that you are arriving before the gates close so that your child is in, lunch ordered and ready to start learning.

Arriving late impacts the rest of the class who are in and ready to learn.

We have also recently had a few holiday requests that have not been submitted to the office using the proper form. Please ensure that you are advising us formally of any term time holidays you are taking.

We must know where children are in term time, whether it is authorised or unauthorised so please help us by following the correct process.

#### **PTFA Corner**

The PTFA have arranged a non-uniform day for Thursday 2nd May.

In exchange for coming to school in casual clothes, we are asking for a donation in support of our 'Rainbow Raffle'

Each year group has a colour and we would love you to provide an item in that colour so we can make fantastic 'Rainbow Hampers' for our incredible raffle at the Kings of King's Stanley Trail.

This years trail takes part on the 19th May and once again, we have teamed up with the village to make it an event not to be missed!



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# **Reception Strings**

This week it was the turn of our Reception children to begin their music lessons and they are learning the violin!

We were all very impressed with their concentration and application of what is quite a tricky instrument to learn. Well done Reception! We can't wait to see how you progress over the next 9 weeks.



# Air Ambulance Assembly

On Thursday we had a visit from Nicola part of the Air Ambulance Charity. She hosted our assembly and talked to the children about this amazing charity.

The air ambulance is Sudeley's chosen charity and it was brilliant for the children to hear how the funds they raised, help the charity.

They also got to try on some of the uniform which was a real hit. Nicola also spent some time in each of the classrooms talking in more detail and answering the children's questions.

It was a really informative and engaging visit.



# Class & Year 6 Leavers Photos

The proofs and order details from Monday's photo session have been sent home in book bags this week.

If you want to order and take advantage of free delivery to school, your orders need to be done completed by Monday 29th April

## **Value Certificates**

## Reception

**Emilia** has shown the values of <u>responsibility</u> and <u>resilience</u> for trying really hard with all of her work this week.

**Ezra** for being a wonderful <u>scientist</u> for using his amazing knowledge about nature and wildlife to understand and create lifecycles.

#### Year 1

**Miles** for being a wonderful <u>musician</u> and showing great perseverance when playing his ukulele.

**Ben** has shown the value of <u>respect</u> when working with his friends during Countryside Skills.

#### Year 2

Owen for being a wonderful <u>historian</u> and working really hard when looking at how illnesses were treated in the past, compared with today. **Seb** has shown the value of <u>responsibility</u> when showing his reasoning in maths as full sentences.

#### Year 3

**Alia** for being a wonderful <u>geographer</u> by working accurately and neatly on her local area map work

**Jack** for being a wonderful <u>musician</u> for having fantastic feedback from his keyboard teacher of being polite, focused and hardworking.

#### Year 4

**Lily** has shown the values of <u>responsibility</u> for her learning and <u>respect</u> by listening carefully. **Annabella** for being a wonderful <u>writer</u> and taking care with her presentation when storymapping the text.

#### Year 5

**Logan** has shown the value of <u>resilience</u> by writing a brilliant fact file about the Anglo-Saxons independently.

**Rosa** for being a wonderful <u>musician</u> by sharing her ideas and opinions about blues music.

#### Year 6

**Dan** has shown the value of <u>responsibility</u> for always trying his best, focusing and being a wonderful member of Year 6.

**Max** for being a wonderful <u>philosopher</u> by contributing thoughtfully to class discussion and always trying his best.

# **WELL DONE EVERYONE**