

# Half termly review

27**TH MAY** 2022

FILM CLUB DATES: 3:00—4:45PM OWLS FRIDAY 10TH JUNE

RABBTIS FRIDAY 17TH JUNE

SQUIRREL FRIDAY24TH JUNE

BADGERS FRIDAY1ST JULY

HEDGEHOGS FRIDAY 8TH JULY

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## Message from the Headteacher

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a very busy and short half term. It started at school with many of the staff updating their own skills in First Aid training so that we make sure our knowledge is the best it can be.

The children have very much enjoyed learning about growing, the Queen and her life alongside watching the new windows and doors being fitted.

The children in year 2 have completed their SATS and their results will go towards their final grades which we will share with you in their final school reports. The children have also been busy using their maths, design and art skills to create cakes, decorations and invitations for the Jubilee picnic. Everyone is looking forward to our first event at school for a long time where we can bring together families, staff and the community.

The Chair of Governors and myself have attended some local community meetings so that we can start to work more closely together to offer some additional support to families when it is needed. Please remember there is no shame to ask for help, we all need some of the time with some of the things and we would always treat with confidentiality and respect.

Enjoy the half term holiday. I hope, if you go to any, that you enjoy celebrating the Queen's Platinum Jubilee ( what an amazing achievement) and we will see you all again on the 7<sup>th</sup> June for another fun packed half term.

Take care

Mrs Jo Orbell

#### **Overview Of Nursery This Term**

Nursery have really enjoyed learning the story 'Monkey puzzle'.

We were sent a letter asking for help from a monkey so we all decided to make missing posters to help find his mum.

We have also been busy counting all the animals, looking at their different sizes, exploring jungle photographs and creating the animals from the story. We particularly enjoyed making playdough and handprint animals.

The children have all worked really hard. Well done Nursery!



#### **Overview of Reception This Term**

In reception we started looking at Zog and Zog and the Flying Doctors. We have dived deep into the stories and the events of the story. Even including a Dr's role play which the children have become immersed in.

As part of our learning we have been looking at good deeds and what a good deed is. Trying to encourage the children to want to complete good deeds for others. Even if it is as simple as opening doors for others. This then fed nicely into what the children are good at. We have encouraged the children to think 'what am I good at' and even completed a little bit of writing to say what they are good at. By the way, the children are really amazing at lots of things . So talking about what they are good at is nice and easy.

#### Overview of Reception This Term continued...

To finish the term we have focused on the Queen's Jubilee and we read the Queens Knickers. We looked at what the Queen stands for and her charity work. She really has done an amazing job. During PE sessions we have been preparing for sports day. Practicing racing, throwing and developing the skills the children will need for sports day. During Maths sessions we have learnt new concepts such as doubling and halving. Remember doubling is adding the same number again. We have continued to recap subtraction to make sure the children have a nice deep understanding and confidence by learning it in different ways and using different resources. We have also developed our understanding of using a number line. The children have worked really hard in such a short half term and we look forward to their final half term in reception. Well done.

#### **Overview of KS1 This Term**

This half term Rabbits in the Meadow have been learning about growing. We have read and explored the tiny seed by Eric Carle and Jack and the beanstalk. We grew our own beans and watched them germinate so we can learn new vocabulary; roots, seed, stem, leaves and grow. We have measured our bean plants with cubes and rulers and used the vocabulary, taller, shorter, the same and compare. We have planted our bean plants in the school allotment so we hope they will grow. The children know that they need sunshine and water to grow. We have compared other objects to use more vocabulary of size; bigger, smaller, longer, wider, narrower.

#### Overview of KS1 This Term continued...

As it is the Queen's jubilee soon we have enjoyed reading The Queen's Knickers and The Queen's hat. We have used the sounds we know to write labels for our pictures and the key words we know to write simple sentences. In Topic the last couple of weeks we have been learning about London and all the famous landmarks. We have even spotted lots of 2D shapes in photos and videos of London. We continue to work on being good friends and sharing. I hope you have a happy half term.

We have been having a right royal time in KS1 this half term. With the event of the century coming up soon, we have been focusing on Queen Elizabeth and her family. Our topic has been history, art and design based. We have learnt about some of the events that have happened since The Coronation in 1953. We looked at how different life was during the 1950's and compared it to modern day. We borrowed some toys from Milton Keynes Museum and looked at the toys children played with since the 1950's and then designed and made our own. We made wooden spoon dolls, frisbees, ball and cup catchers and playdough. The Year 2 children have also finished their SAT's this week and we are all extremely proud of their hard work and concentration. This week we will finish by making decorations and preparing for our Jubilee Picnic.



#### page 5 Diary dates

Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> May	12:00pm	School Jubilee Picnic <u>Parents &amp; Families welcome</u>		
		HALF TERM		
MONDAY 30 <sup>TH</sup> MAY – MONDAY 6 <sup>TH</sup> JUNE				
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> June	8:50am	BACK TO SCHOOL		
Starting Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> June	3-4pm	<b>KS1 Gym</b> 5 week After School Club (Places to be pre-booked from 20 <sup>th</sup> May)		
Starting Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> June	3-4pm	<b>Reception Make, Build &amp; Create</b> 5 week After School Club (Places to be pre-booked from 20 <sup>th</sup> May)		
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	AM	<b>Gravity School Trip</b> (Places to be booked on school spider)		
Friday 24th June	AM	Sports Day More information to follow		
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> July		YEAR 2 Sleepover More information to follow		
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> July		YEAR 2 Leavers Assembly More information to follow		

#### Attendance

Half Termly Attendance Summer 1 2022				
Year	Class Name	% Week Commencing	% Half termly	
		16th May	Attendance	
		Attendance		
Rec.	Badgers	91.8%	93.7%	
Rec.	Hedgehogs	98.7% <b>1</b> <sup>st</sup>	95.9%	
KS1	Squirrels	91.1%	94.7%	
KS1	Rabbits	97.0%	96.4% <b>1</b> <sup>st</sup>	
KS1	Owls	76.2%	88.2%	
Total attendance		90.8%	93.8%	
Well done <b>Hedgehogss</b> with an attendance of <b>98.7%</b> for the week beginning <b>16th May</b>			e <b>Rabbits</b> with dance of <b>96.4%</b> le term	

Did you Know: Lateness also affects your child's attendance %

### **REMINDERS AND UPDATES**

#### AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

We have opened bookings for the Summer Terms After School Clubs **via the School Spider App**. These are available on a first come first served basis as there are limited number of spaces available.

#### **BREAKFAST AND 326 CLUB**

All bookings for breakfast and 326 club need to be made <u>before</u> your child attends the session. We have found that some parents are dropping their children off for breakfast club in the morning but have not booked online.

#### SCHOOL LUNCHES— RECEPTION & KS1

Hopefully you know that **ALL children in Reception**, **Years 1 and 2 classes are currently entitled to have FREE school dinners**. Our school dinners are freshly prepared and cooked on the school premises by our very own chef, Mrs Finch. We appreciate that some children like to bring in a packed lunch, but by encouraging your child to have a school dinner, you will be saving money on your family food bills and will ensure they get a balanced meal. They don't have to have one every day, you can pick and choose which meals your child would enjoy.

If however, you wish to send in your child with a packed lunch either every day or just occasionally, we ask you to provide a balanced healthy lunch - here are some **items which must not be included in your child's lunch box**: No sweets, No chocolate, No fizzy drinks and limit to one cake or biscuit item

Please do **not include peanuts** or any product containing nuts such as Snickers in your child's lunch box. Some children who attend the School have an allergy to nuts and could become ill.

#### WATER BOTTLES

We would just like to remind you to send your child into school with a named water bottle everyday. Please make sure these are filled with **water only**, no juice or fizzy drinks.

#### **REMINDERS AND UPDATES CONTINUED...**

#### **DINNER MENU CHANGE**

As the children are heading to Gravity on Wednesday 22nd June we are changing the menu so they are having the buffet lunch when they return to school and the chicken alfredo on the Friday instead. If your child usually has a packed lunch on the Wednesday when chicken alfredo is served they will need to bring one on the Friday instead. Also if your child usually has a packed lunch on the Friday buffet day they will need to bring a packed lunch on the Wednesday instead for that week only.

#### HALF TERM ACTIVITIES

Campbell Park Parish Council have their school holiday free Activity Packs for children aged 4-11yrs. These will contain a range of activities and craft, themed around the Jubilee. The activity packs can be collected from the Parish Office in Fishermead from Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> May. We have also attached posters for some events happening over the half term.

#### NURSERY INVOICES

Thank you for your patience whilst we have been changing systems. All invoices for the nursery extra sessions and school lunches will now be invoiced every Thursday via School Spider. Please make sure payments are made by the Sunday. If invoices are not paid your child my not be able to attend the sessions.

## SCHOOL IS CLOSED ON MONDAY 6TH JUNE.

Campbell Park P<mark>arish Council and Willen Pavilion invite</mark> you to join our celebration of Ber Majesty The Queen's 70th anniversary as monarch and come along to our

# Jubilee Family Fun Day

# THURSDAY 2nd JUNE

12noon – 5pm at Willen Pavilion

FREE Shuttle Bus transport available A short ceremony to light the Jubilee beacon will take place later in the evening at 9.15pm.

Bring along a

picnic to share with family and friends or enjoy the tasty treats available from a variety of food vendors on site

seewebsite for further information www.campbell-park.gov.uk

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#### FREE family-friendly activities including:

Live Music & entertainment throughout the afternoon - Face painting - Football skills workshops - VR gaming lorry - Reptile Roadshow - Circus skills workshops - Bouncy Castle and games -MK Play Association with the Wikidizer - - Meet characters including Spiderman and Elsa



#### FREE Jubilee Craft Events for children

Come along and make crowns, bunting and flags (amongst other activities) and get ready for the Jubilee celebrations!

Sessions are free to attend

Monday 30th May	10:00 - 11:30am – Springfield Centre 1pm - 2.30pm - <mark>Will</mark> en Pavilion
Tuesday 31# May	10:00am - 11:30am – Fishermead Trinity Centre 1pm - 2.30pm – Oldbrook Centre
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> June	10:00 - 11:30am - Woolstone Community Centre
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#### FREE ACTIVITY PACKS FOR CHILDREN

### The next Activity Packs will be for the May Half Term holiday and will be available for collection from Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> May.

The craft activities within the packs will be themed around the Queens Platinum Jubilee Celebrations as well as containing all the usual activities and colouring sheets.







To ensure as many families as possible can benefit from this, please only take one pack per child. The packs will be limited in number and only available while stock lasts.

We would also love to see any photos of the children enjoying the packs or the completed activities that we can share. Most of all – we hope that the children enjoy them.

The activity packs can be collected from the Parish Office in Fishermead: Parish Office, 1 Pencarrow Place (behind the Trinity Centre) MK6 2AS – Monday to Friday 9am – 4pm If you have any gueries, please contact <u>admin@campbell-park.gov.uk</u> or 01908 608559

# QUEE BANK HOLIDAY

THURSDAY 02.06.22 CPPC Family Fun Day @ Willen Pavillion 12.00pm - 5.00pm

Shuttle bus available: in front of Jubilee Wood School & the junction of Kellan Drive/ Vellan Avenue

FRIDAY 03.06.22\* Sing-a-long @ Trinity Centre 3.30pm - 5.30pm

Refreshment provided

## SATURDAY 04.06.22\* Jubilee Celebration @ Trinity Centre

**2.30pm - 5.30pm** To showcase your talent, fashion, dance or culture Contact Ophelia on action\_speaks.mk@yahoo.com

# SUNDAY 05.06.22

Picnic on the green @ Seventh Day Adventist Church 1 Veryan Place 12.30pm - 5.00pm Contact Doreen at mksdawomen@gmail.com

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# Fishermead

**COMMUNITY WALK** 

Meeting point: Outside Samaritans office, 161 Fishermead Boulevard, MK6 2AB

FRIDAY, 10th JUNE 2022 | START AT 10.00AM

Join us for coffee after the walk Samaritans Office