

"I am able to do all things by
the one who strengthens me"

Philippians 4:13
Lexham English Bible



Growing, Believing, Succeeding

11th June 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

Re: Newsletter

I hope everyone had a lovely half term and managed to enjoy the fantastic sunshine. We are fast approaching June 21st and we are eagerly awaiting the announcement from the Prime Minister about the full easing of restrictions. However, the UK media suggests that this date could be delayed. In the meantime, we are planning to hold our usual summer events and fingers crossed we may be able to invite parents and grandparents.

Sports day

Due to Chellaston School transition visits for Year 6 we have had to change Sports Day to Friday 9th July. We are waiting for government guidance as to whether parents and grandparents can be invited to this event.

Silver Smarties

The PTA have organised a fund raising activity called Silver Smarties. Every child in the school has been given a tube of smarties and once they have eaten the contents of the tube, they then try to fill the tube with twenty pence pieces. The twenty pence pieces have to be earned by completing household jobs for their parents or grandparents. This might be a good incentive for tidy bedrooms!

Forest Schools

Please look at the following dates for Forest School sessions for specific year groups. Children will need wellies for these sessions:

18th June - Year 3

2nd July - Year 2

9th July - Year 1

Staffing

We have appointed Hannah Yeo as an additional teacher for September 2021. Hannah will be working three days a week and will be supporting the large Year 5 cohort. She will also be supporting small groups of children across the school.

Transition Days

Transition mornings will take place on 7th and 8th July for the whole school. New reception children will be in for the first time and Year 6 children will be attending their new secondary school. All classes in school will move up a year group on these mornings.

Dates:

Griffon Residential – June 21st-June 23rd

Trent Class Trip - June 29th

Dart and Merlin Class Trip - June 30th

Year 6 transition visits to Chellaston - 6th, 7th 8th July

New Reception visits 7th and 8th July

Sports' Day- Friday 9th July 1.45pm (change of date due to Year 6 transition visits to Chellaston)

Inset days - Friday 25th June 2021, Thursday 22nd July 2021, 2nd and 3rd September 2021, 23rd December 2021

Kind regards

