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Blogs:

Don't forget to log into Seesaw to check your child's class blog this week. There will be some photographs from Sports Week along with other class news for you. Don't forget you can upload photos and updates from home too! ☺

Friday 10th June 2022

Dear Families,

Welcome back to school and the start of term 6. This is the 'home straight' to the Summer holidays and is a notoriously busy term with transitions and events, as well as a lot of learning too!

We have been recruiting for new teachers to join the team for September and are hopeful that we will be able to share news regarding classes and teacher placements for next academic year very soon.

This week has been Sport Week. It was wonderful to see so many parents attend Sports Day to cheer for their child and so many brave grown-ups run in the parent race! The children have also enjoyed an Olympic style sporting event each day to win points for their class teams as well as attend a workshop for Boccia, run by District Sports, and a fun Zumba class with Kidz Love Fit! These were a huge success and a big hit with the children. There are some photographs from Sports Week included within this newsletter. What a great way to begin our Summer term and our focus school value of the term of being 'active'.

Wishing you a lovely, sunny weekend,

The Harnham Infant School Team

Mystery Readers Needed:

As you know, Monday afternoons at 2.45pm, Mystery Readers are invited in to share a story with their child's class as a surprise as to who it is going to be each week. With just a few weeks to go until the end of the academic year, if you would like to be a Mystery Reader in your child's class, please sign up via the School Gateway App, via the clubs section. We look forward to seeing you!

Parking:

We have again, had a visit from some very distressed neighbours regarding parents parking in non-public car parks to do the school run. Please may we remind you to be considerate when parking your car. Thank you.

Clubs:

Enrichment clubs are starting next week and are now 'live' and bookable on the School Gateway App. We hope your child enjoys the range of clubs on offer this term.

We would like to extend a special thank you to the staff who give up their own time to run a club. It is wonderful to be able to offer our children these opportunities.

Parent Support Advisor Contact:

Chris Lister is the Parent Support Advisor for Harnham Infants and many families benefit from her expertise, support and advice. She can help parents with all sorts of things including difficulties with behaviour, financial matters, family breakdown and bereavement. Chris is also happy for you to get in touch if you're worried or concerned about any school related matters. You can contact her by email psa@harnham-inf.wilts.sch.uk or by telephone 07595217569



Celebration Assembly:

Congratulations to the following children who were in Celebration Assembly on Monday morning:

Kiera – Ladybird, Bradley – Hedgehog, Jessica – Robin, Belle and Leon – Bee, Omar and Luke – Woodpecker, Rose and Agatha – Squirrel, Willow and Leo – Dragonfly and Carolina, Maisie, Elliot and Mollie – Owl. A huge well done to all of these children – we are so proud of you!

We look forward to celebrating with more children on Monday. Please note that celebration invitations to parents are sent out by email on Tuesdays and a reminder sent on the Sunday before. Thank you.

Menu for Week Beginning 13.6.22:

We are pleased to be offering the following choices of hot dinners:

Monday: Sausages and Mash or Summer Vegetable Quiche and New Potatoes **Dessert:** Ice Cream

Tuesday: BBQ Chicken Fillet with Diced Potatoes or Tomato Pasta **Dessert:** Freshly baked Gingerbread

Wednesday: Bubble Salmon or Pizza with Potato Wedges **Dessert:** Victoria Sponge

Thursday: Roast Chicken & Stuffing or Vegetarian Sausages and Mash **Dessert:** Chocolate Brownie

Friday: Fish Fingers and Chips or Cheese and Tomato Quesadilla **Dessert:** Selection of Cold Desserts



Parent Feedback Survey:

As a leadership team, we are currently creating the School Improvement Action Plan (SIAP) for the next academic year and we are very eager to gather parental views. Therefore, we would be very grateful if you would spend a small amount of time completing this survey so that we can ensure that your views have been captured and we can continue to develop the greatest possible school for the Harnham community.

Please may you complete your responses by 5.00pm

Monday.

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=oiJAfbKsxkK0IQENP_WB2zU49zacLnZBs1-F-CrP_vNUQ0ZWtIRUUzIOT0NMWldYR0ZIRUpDTzZZNy4u

Jubilee Gift:

The Government have sent every child in the country a copy of the book "Queen Elizabeth". This is a Platinum Jubilee Gift for the children to keep to remember this huge historical event for years to come. We hope you enjoy them.

Can you help?:

EYFS are looking for donations of toilet roll tubes and empty handwash bottles with pumps. If you are able to collect and donate, the Hedgehogs, Robins and Ladybirds would be very grateful.

Saturday Sweep:

Yesterday, a poster was emailed out to you advertising our next Saturday Sweep event on Saturday 18th June, 10.00am. We had a fantastic turn out last time but there is still plenty of work to do. Please do sign up on the School Gateway App so we can bring enough tea / coffee and ice lollies! Thank you for your support.

Term Dates:

In the email with this newsletter, you will also find attached a copy of the term dates for next academic year 2022-2023.

Spare Clothes Needed:

We are in need of jogging bottoms or leggings for boys and girls. If you have any spare, that you would be willing to donate to school, please do send them in. Thank you in advance for your support.

School Reports:

If you have any remaining questions about your child's Annual Progress Report, please do contact your child's class teacher. Thank you.

Come and join us at....



on Sunday coming....

12th June: 3-4.30 pm

Games, craft, activities and tea! Its at the Harnham Church Hall. Do join us and find out about this hairy man called John the Baptist who liked eating honey and locusts!! YUCK!



Sports Week at Harnham Infant School 2022

