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The menu for next week is 1
The menu is on our web site.



What a fabulous start we have had to the new academic year with our 'Let's Go Wild' project running across school. Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 collaborated to create some amazing wildlife poems, complete with music, movement and drama, in workshops run by Sarah and Abi from the Rotherham Children's Capital of Culture team. Our Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 children created some absolutely stunning land art in workshops run by local artist James Brunt. Children in Year 3 and 4 also enjoyed a visit from an owl rescue organisation. In addition to these fabulous workshops, there has been a whole host of activities across school, all with a focus on British wildlife. There has been a real buzz around school and it has been lovely to see our children genuinely excited about nature and keen to make a difference. We will be continuing our focus on doing our bit to protect nature for future generations across the year. Plans include: creating a wildflower area; planting willow arches and walkways; re-lining the pond in the quad for use as a wildlife pond; reinvigorating our quad area (the outside space in the middle of the Junior building) with planting, seating and a bit of re-landscaping; and regenerating our raised beds and planting these up with fruit trees. We have already been contacted by some of our fabulous parents offering help but if you think you could help in any way with any of this work then we would love to hear from you.

Mrs Hewitt x



This week you should have received on your personal email...



Yr6 Residential Deposit
Yr5 Local Walk
Yr 6 Curriculum Booklet
Foundation Stage Workshops
Yr3/4 Stoneage Day
Nursery Curriculum Booklet

TIME TABLE ROCKSTARS

Well done to the following children who are our most accurate rockers this week:

1. Isabella W Yr4
2. Amelia T Yr4
3. Annabelle T Yr5
4. Stefan T Yr4
5. Lana K Yr 4

Stars of the week w/c 4 th September 2023				Class 10	Henry T
				Class 11	Olivia M
				Class 12	Lily W
				Class 2	Charlotte T
Class 3	Isabelle S	Class 13	Oaklan B		
Class 4	Nellie R	Class 14	Eva W-L		
Class 5	Noah A	Class 15	Jaxen R		
Class 6	Lily G	Class 16	Tia C		
Class 7	Holly B	Class 17	Ivy H		
Class 8	George G	Class 18	Alexa S		
Class 9	Phoebe M	Class 19	Annabelle C-S		
		Class 20	Millie W		



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The Great Ball Race

You should have received a letter this week about our annual Great Ball Race. This year we are going even bigger, getting all of our children involved in the event. Balls are £2 each with cash prizes up for grabs – 1st prize £50, 2nd prize £25 and 3rd prize £15. Please do get involved. All proceeds are going towards much needed home reading books and phonics resources to support our new Little Wandle phonics programme. These resources will be hugely beneficial to support our children’s reading across school but is a huge investment so we really appreciate your support. If you have misplaced your form or have sold so many that you need another, please drop into either office and we will be happy to give you a new form.

Percentage of children in each class who have read at least three times a week and recorded in Reading Record books – Reading tracking will commence soon.

Class 2	-	Class 11	-
Class 3	-	Class 12	-
Class 4	-	Class 13	-
Class 5	-	Class 14	-
Class 6	-	Class 15	-
Class 7	-	Class 16	-
Class 8	-	Class 17	-
Class 9	-	Class 18	-
Class 10	-	Class 19	-
		Class 20	-



TA Vacancy

We are currently looking for an enthusiastic, committed part-time Teaching Assistant to join the friendly team at our outstanding school. Please visit <https://nclt.ac.uk/vacancies/> for more information. The closing date is Monday 18th September.

THP School Library



Our library will be open again after school every Tuesday and Thursday.

So, if it's a fact or fiction book you are after, there is something for you, come and take a look!

Dates going forward

Monday 18 th September	Y3/4 Stone Age Day
Wednesday 20 th September	09:00 Year 6 Welcome Meetings for parents/carers
Friday 22 nd September	09:00 Phonics Workshop for parents/carers of Reception and Y1 children
Tuesday 26 th September	15:30 School viewing for prospective parents
Friday 29 th September	The Annual Great Thorpe Hesley Ball Run.
Wednesday 4 th October	14:30 Class 3 Reading Stay and Learn for parents/carers
Thursday 5 th October	14:30 Class 2 and 4 Reading Stay and Learn for parents/carers
Monday 9 th October	Nursery Stay and Learns. 9am Willow. 2pm Oak
Wednesday 11 th October	Parent Consultations (afternoon on School Cloud, evening in person)
Thursday 12 th October	Nursery Stay and Learns. 9am Oak. 2pm Willow
Tuesday 17 th October a.m.	Harvest Festival at Church (Y1 to Y6)