

NEWSLETTER

April 2022

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UPCOMING DATES

INSET Day 8.4.22

Return to school 25.4.22

May Bank Holiday 2.5.22

Y6 SATs week 9.5.22-12.5.22

DT

This half term has been such an exciting one, in terms of DT. Every child from year 1 to year 6 has been involved in a food technology task, ranging from making vegetable soup, up to a 3 course American meal. Every child has had to research, design, create and then evaluate a meal or a 3 course meal. There has been such a buzz around school and I have been so pleased with the creations. I have had the opportunity to taste a healthy breakfast smoothie by year 2 and a lovely Greek tzatziki dip made by year 4. I have seen and heard about how amazingly well behaved children have been and how much children have learnt about cooking and where food comes from. I hope you all managed to see pictures on Twitter. Well done everyone!

Queen's Jubilee Celebrations

On Wednesday 25th May, we will celebrate the Queen's 70th Jubilee. Each year group will be taking part in different themed activities, linked to our diploma. We will also be having a garden party themed lunch. The children will be able to come dressed in red, white and blue clothes. We will send more information nearer the time.



Communication

Please continue to check any texts or emails we send with important dates and information. Important dates are also on the website and on the newsletter. Please make sure you update your details if you do change your mobile number or email address. We welcome any ideas from parents to improve communication between school and home as we want to ensure you have all the relevant information. .

Thank you for your support with this matter.

Humanitarian aid for Ukraine

Thank you so much to everyone involved in creating our first 'Bell Lane Bake and Books' on Wednesday. Over £230 was made to buy medical supplies which will be added to your generous donations. A very special mention goes to the parent helpers, William, Lottie and Sam behind the stalls, Isabelle whose idea it was to have a cake sale and to year 4 who baked buns as part of their Year 4 diploma.



This half term, the school parliament has been aiming to raise the aspirations of children in the academy; they have encouraged children to create posters about what career they would like to pursue when they are older. We had a variety of different jobs: scientists, engineers, fashion designers. They wanted pupils to think how our learner model skills and qualities prepare them for later-life.



School parliament has also launched 'I heard a whisper' where pupils nominate any member of staff who has been kind, supported them with their learning, or gone above and beyond to help them.

Road Safety

A polite reminder about taking extra care when driving near school. As you are all aware, the road can become very busy during the start and end of the school day. We have been in contact with the local PCSO to monitor and support the school with the safety of both children and adults.

Here is a link to a useful link about road safety.

<https://www.rospa.com/media/documents/road-safety/teaching-road-safety-a-guide-for-parents.pdf>

Primary Learning Library

Please click the link below to access the Primary Learning Library.

This site holds information for the different topics studied by year groups and children can access this at home to reinforce their learning.

www.belllane.outwood.com/curriculum



TTRockstars

Please encourage your child to log onto their TTRockstar account. This is a fantastic learning platform to help your child learn and practise their times tables.