



Mudford Community Infants School

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NEWSLETTER 18

Friday 6th May 2022

Dates for the Diary

Summer Half-term w/c Monday 30th May
Staff Training Days- Friday 17th June
End of summer term- Thursday 21st July

Attendance:

Whole school attendance figures for this week:94% (Year 2 94.8%)

Unless avoidable through illness, please make sure your child is in school and on time every day.

Hello everyone

It has been a busy start to this half-term. I am so impressed with how responsible the children are being when learning. They are so keen to get stuck in to all the activities whether it be reading, writing, maths or all the fantastic topic and project work.

The children in Reception are fascinated with the animal adventure topic right now and are so keen to gain new knowledge and find things out. Year 1 are in the midst of an exciting new project 'Operation Planet Protectors' and will be learning all about their local environment and the ways in which we can care for our planet. Year 2 were busy designing aerial maps of garden landscapes as part of their Budding Botanist project in school this week; Google Earth comes in handy, as does the wonderful Learning Garden! Good luck with the growing of your plants children.

Lastly, we are learning to be reflective this half-term and really thinking about our actions and our learning. By doing this the children will make huge strides in their achievements and be the best they can be. Remember, we all make mistakes but if we stay calm and think carefully, then we can learn from them and put them right.

Best wishes

Mr Pope

Year 2 Easter writing challenge

A huge well done to the 40 children in Year 2 who did such wonderful writing in the Easter holiday challenge. Ice creams and treats are on their way!

Mr Pope's Brighton Marathon

Thank you to those kind people who sponsored Mr Pope for his sub 3 hour marathon challenge. They helped to raise £143 for the school and he did it in a time of 2 hours and 53 minutes (with lots of shuffling and grimacing in the last 2 miles!).

Queen's Platinum Jubilee celebrations and Mini Marathon

On Friday 27th May we will be holding our annual Mini Marathon fundraising event where children complete laps around the playground that is marked out with London landmarks (more details to follow). On the same day the children will also be taking part in activities that celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. We have made a good start by planting tulip bulbs for the Union Jack flag in the Learning Garden all the way back in last Autumn; now they have flowered beautifully and the bees have paid them a visit.

Vicky and Graham's River Thames Row

Our Learning Garden leader Vicky Myers and her Dad have embarked on an incredible challenge to raise money for the Children on the Edge Ukraine Appeal. We hope it is going well and please click on the link below to find out more.

<https://riverthamesrow.blogspot.com/>

★ Our Golden Rules ★

At Mudeford Community Infants School we will always strive:

- ✚ To be kind in all we say and do
- ✚ To be honest in all we do
- ✚ To treat each other fairly
- ✚ To make good choices
- ✚ To respect what people say, believe and think



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Safeguarding

We take the safeguarding and welfare of children extremely seriously and so if you would like further information on how we do this or require support in any way then please look at our website:

<https://www.mudefordinf.dorset.sch.uk/support-for-families>

<https://www.mudefordinf.dorset.sch.uk/safeguarding-1>

<https://www.mudefordinf.dorset.sch.uk/welfare>

Our governing body are as follows: Frank Paines, Chair, Caroline Watkins, Daniel Pope, John Churchill, Oliver Whittaker, Dawn Arnold, Tania Harland, Nic Stevenson, Emily Harvey, Sarah Church, Leanne Shuttleworth, Dimitrios Pegioudis, and Clare Fox, Clerk. If you wish to contact them directly, please email governors@mudefordinf.dorset.sch.uk