NEWSLETTER

Friday 16th March 2017

Dear Parents/carers

Staffing
I'm pleased to tell you that baby Theo Bareford continues to make progress and I am hoping to be able to visit him during the Easter holiday.

In Mrs Bareford's absence, I have appointed Pennie Shonk as Teaching Assistant to Oak class. Pennie is a qualified teacher who has carried out supply work with us a number of times already this year. She will work from Monday – Thursday each morning to support whole class teaching and individual and group interventions. On Friday mornings, Mrs Thorogood will support learning in Oak class alongside Mrs Scott.

Ks1 Gymnastics Competition

Kingshill school hosted the KS1 gymnastic competition on Wednesday afternoon and Rodmarton School was represented by a team of 3 girls and 2 boys from Acorn class. Tilly, Tippi, Lizzie, Hector & Fred had to present a vault and floor routine to judges from Cirencester gymnastics club They were scored for each element of the discipline, very like the scoring system used in top gymnastic events such as the Olympics. The Rodmarton team concentrated on each element and showed great focus and determination. They used the springboard for their vaults for the first time. Our final result has not been circulated yet, although we know that St Mary's Primary were the winners.

Well done Tilly, Tippi, Lizzie, Hector & Fred – you are all winners in our eyes.

End of term diary
We have lots of things happening towards the end of term, (please check the School Diary at the end of this newsletter) which include:

Celebration Morning
Celebration morning is after drop off on the last morning of term which is **Wednesday 28th March**.

- **9.10-10.30** – a chance to spend time in your child's classroom
- **10.30-11.00** – award presentation in the hall

Following the awards, there will be an Easter egg hunt for the children organised by The Friends.

Easter Service
Our term ends with the Easter service on **Wednesday 28th March at 3.30pm** in the church. The children will be taken up to the church when school finishes so please join us there.

Rodmarton Marathon
Next Friday afternoon **23rd March from 3.15pm** is the Rodmarton Marathon in aid of Sports Relief. Parents, Grandparents, all are welcome to help us complete the marathon distance of 26.2 miles. Entry is £2.00 which includes a sport relief wristband. The Friends are kindly putting on refreshments so if you don't feel like running, grab a drink and walk some of the way. It all counts!

HOUSE POINTS

House	Points	Comment
Chepstow	32	*3rd*
Sudeley	38	*2nd*
Berkeley	52	*1st*

Well done to **Berkeley** who will receive extra play time on Monday.

Lifting Our Learning

Perseverance Award

Acorn: Ruby & Sophie for settling in to Acorn class so well.

Oak: Lottie Morris in Oak for always showing a consistent, positive attitude to her academic and extra-curricular activities.

Sports Award

Willough

Menu W/C 19/3/18

	A	B	C
Monday	Beef meatballs in tomato sauce with rice	Vegetable Pasta Bake	Jacket potato with tuna mayo
Tuesday	Chicken and red pepper pizza with bay baked potato	Lentil and Vegetable curry with rice	Soup with ham/plain baguette

Wednesday	Roast turkey with roast potatoes and gravy	Cheese and pepper whirl with roast potatoes	Jacket potato with salmon mayo
Thursday	Beef mince pasta bolognaise	Quorn mince bolognaise	Soup with cheese/plain baguette
Friday	Battered fish and chips	Quorn hotdog with chips	Jacket potato with cheese

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School Events Calendar 2017 - 2018

Spring Term 4

Date	Event	Time	Location
20th March	SWR Multisports event (Acorn Class) Reception Hearing & Vision tests	School Day School Day	SWR (Tetbury) School
21st March	Easter Production by Rainbow theatre Parents' Evening including SEND Pupil Meetings	School Day 3:30 – 5:00	School
23rd March	Sport Relief Rodmarton Marathon	3.00-5.00pm	School
26th March	Acorn trip to The Living Rainforest	8.15 – 3,.30	The Living Rainforest
27th March	Friends Film Night	3.15 – 5.00	School
28th March	Celebration Morning Easter Concert End of Term 4	9:00–11:00 3.30pm	School St Peter's Church
29th March	Inset Day 5- non-pupil day		

Summer Term 5

Date	Event	Time	Location
16th April	Term 5 Begins	9.00am	School
18th April	Yr 1 Phonics screener meeting for parents	9.10am	School
19th April	Oak - Swimming lessons begin	School Day	Cirencester Leisure Centre
25th April	K'nex Challenge Final	School Day	Brockworth
7th May	Bank Holiday – No School		
10th May	District Sports	School Day	SWR (Tetbury)
14th – 18th May	KS2 SATS Week	School Day	School
21st May	Celebration Morning	9.00am – 11.00am	School
24th May	Financial Education Session – Oak Class School Photos	School Day School Day	School School
25th May	End of Term 5	3.15pm	School

Summer Term 6

Date	Event	Time	Location
4th June	Term 6 Begins Art Week	9.00am School Day	School School

5th June	Oak class trip to Harry Potter Studios	9.10 – 5.45pm	Harry Potter Studio Tour
7th June	Pulse Games	School Day	School
11th – 15th June	YR 1 Phonics Screener Week	School Day	School
15th June	Art Exhibition	Morning	School
18th – 20th June	Yr6 Residential	All day	Wilderness Centre
27th June	Sports Morning	9.00am – 11.00am	School
4th July	Reserve Sports Morning	9.00am – 11.00am	School
5th July	First Aid Training – Oak Class	School Day	School
6th July	First Aid Training – Acorn Class	School Day	School
11th July	SEND Pupil Meetings	am	School
13th July	Pupil Reports issued		School
16th July	Celebration Morning	9.00am – 11.00am	School
18th July	School Cricket Day	School Day	Cheltenham
19th July	Summer Concert Cream Tea	3:30pm 4:00 – 5:00	St Peter's Church Cricket Green
25th July	Y6 Leavers Assembly	9:30	Village Hall
	End of Term 6	3.15pm	