



Newsletter 16/05/2024

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Dear Anthony Roper Community,

We hope you have had a good week! Since our last newsletter, we have had the following successes:

- Our Year 6 children have completed their SATs! Well done to all of our pupils for their hard work and dedication this week. For many children, this is their first experience of an exam situation such as this – thank you for showing our value of perseverance.
- Some of our Year 5 children took part in a local orienteering event. With orienteering as part of our Enrichment Programme, this was a great opportunity to extend our learning in a competition! Congratulations to the pupils who took part, coming second in the competition over all!
- We've held our Faith Week for this term, which is our creative way to cover the RE curriculum – thank you to Rev. Trudi for joining us this week to support our children's experience!

Staffing Update

At the end of this term, we will be saying goodbye to Mrs Parmenter who has been an excellent Teaching Assistant in our school, as she moves into a new role at a local private school! Thank you so much to Mrs Parmenter for your dedication and hard work. We wish you the very best of luck in your next chapter!

Looking ahead, we have our Year 6 Bowles trip next week, alongside Scrapbook Week and our termly Exhibition Afternoon (Thursday 23rd May, 2.30pm)!

Keep safe,

Mr Adam Nicholls

Safeguarding

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This week's resource is The Hideout, a resource from Women's Aid: <https://www.womensaid.org.uk/>

This website from Women's Aid helps children and young people understand domestic abuse and what to do if it's happening to them.

Attendance

Bear Class - 96.7%

Mae Class - 100.0%

Knight Class - 92.2%

Armstrong Class - 96.6%

Rose Class - 98.2%

Tull Class - 88.3%

Rashford Class - 97.2%

Othello Class - 91.4%

Einstein Class - 91.7%

Zephaniah Class - 96.2%

Da Vinci Class - 98.1%

*Attendance matters - **The whole school attendance this week is 94.8%**. We aim for all children to achieve 96% attendance within the school year. For unexpected absences, due to illness for example, please contact the School Office so that we can record your child's absence correctly. All other absences must be requested using the Absence Request Form. A copy of our Attendance Policy can be found on the school website.*

Key Dates

Term Dates

Term 5: Monday 15th April – Friday 24th May

Term 6: Monday 3rd June – Friday 19th July

Inset Days

Monday 22nd July 2024

Tuesday 23rd July 2024

Exhibition Afternoons

Thursday 23rd May 2024, from 2.30pm

Tuesday 16th July 2024, from 2.30pm

Sports Day

Tuesday 9th July 2024

Thursday 11th July 2024 (Reserve Date)

Notices

SWIMMING

We are pleased to have secured swimming lessons for all classes in KS2! They will run in the following terms:

Term 5 – Rashford

Term 6 – Tull

Each class will receive more specific information, such as dates and kit lists, as their turn approaches.

PAYMENT FOR CLUBS

Payment for clubs is now available on Arbor. Can you please ensure payment is made as soon as possible.

PTA NEWS

Father's Day Shop

The PTA are pleased to be running a Father's Day shop in school again this year and have been busy sourcing beautiful gifts for your children to choose from.

For those families whose children may not have visited our Father's Day shop before, it is an opportunity for the children to bring in a small amount of money and choose gifts for their Dad and/or other important men in their lives. Each class has a turn to visit the shop with their teacher, and the PTA volunteers are there to support them as they choose their gifts and use real money to buy them.

This year, the shops will take place on the afternoons of:

Wednesday 12 June - Reception and KS1

Thursday 13 June - KS2

Summer Disco

Reminder that the Summer disco will be the first week back after half term on the 6th June. Tickets will be on sale soon.

DONATION OF CHILDS SPACE HOPPER

We are looking for a donation of a child's space hopper. If you have one and would like to donate it to the school, please drop it into the school office.



Awards

Numbots Champions

Bear Class - Iris, Thomas, Edie

Mae Class - Elliott, Poppy, Chloe

Knight Class - Theodore, Hudson, Jacob

Armstrong Class - Faith-Evelyn, Anna, Jenson

Rose Class - Edison, Ayla, Rory

Tull Class - Sophia, Harry, Olivia

Rashford Class - Rudy, Iylah-Louise, Ralphy

Othello Class - Robert, Riaan, Emily

Einstein Class - Sienna, Albie, Tabitha

Zephaniah Class - Kaius, Max, Emily D

Da Vinci Class - Ilona, Rana, Stanley

[Times Tables Rock Stars Champions](#)

Bear Class -

Mae Class -

Knight Class -

Armstrong Class - Oliver L, Faith-Evelyn, Jenson H

Rose Class - William D, Edison, Jake

Tull Class - Owen, Jessica B, Harry

Rashford Class - Arissa, George, Harrison

Othello Class - Poppy, Lucienne, Marguerite

Einstein Class - Levi, Tabitha, Arthur

Zephaniah Class - Kaius, Emily D, Emily C-J

Da Vinci Class - Mia, Thomas, Bronte

[Achievement Awards](#)

Bear Class - Iris

Mae Class - Albie & Lola

Knight Class - Karter

Armstrong - Kason

Rose Class - Amaya & Ayla

Tull Class - Ellison

Rashford Class - Rudy

Othello Class - Noah

Einstein Class - Lottie

Zephaniah Class - Elsa

Da Vinci Class - Issy

House Points

Knole - Week - 58

Chartwell - Week - 42

Penshurst - Week - 98

Ightham - Week - 91





