



Friday June 11th 2022

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Dear Parents

We were delighted to be able to confirm the new venue (and date) for our Sports' Day this week and we hope you are looking forward to a fabulous day at Purley Sports' Club as much as we all are on June 29th.

The second half of the summer term is always a busy one with much to look forward to over the next four weeks.

Our Year 5 students have been challenging themselves on the lake at Merstham this week in what one student described as, 'The best week ever!'. Thank you to Mrs Shah for leading the trip each day and Mrs Ting, Ms Ladio and Mrs Khan for accompanying them on their adventure.

Year 3 are excited for their trip to Morden Hall Park next Tuesday where they will be investigating rivers and the creatures that live in them as part of their Science topic.

Rehearsals for our Junior play and Prize Giving (June 27th) are well underway. Thank you to all the Parents who have supported with costume donations as well as assistance over half term with learning lines and songs.

The stage has gone up in the Long Room and our EYFS, Year 1 and 2 students are also keenly practicing their lines and songs in preparation for their performances on June 30th.

Wishing us all a lovely weekend.

Ms Barry

Head teacher

Pentecost

In the Acts of the Apostles, we hear about how the apostles were filled with the Holy Spirit.

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles: "When Pentecost day came round, the apostles and Mary met together to pray. Suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a violent wind which filled the entire house where they were sitting; there appeared to them tongues of fire, which separated and came to rest on the head of each of them.

They were all filled with the Holy Spirit..."

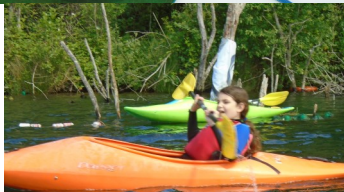
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Aqua Sports

Year 5 have enjoyed a fabulous week of sailing, paddle boarding, kayaking and windsurfing on their Aqua Sport adventure at Merstham Lake. Well done Year 5! (Please see their pictures on Page 2).





Nursery



This week Nursery have been looking at the topic of Sun Safety, including:

- Listening to 'Sammy the Seagull' story and answering questions.
- Investigating the musical instruments whilst learning the sun safety song.
- Designing a sun safety poster.
- Learning and reinforcing our knowledge of 2D shapes hidden in the summer scene and naming them.
- Comparing numbers and ordering them from 1-10 and 1-20.

Reception



This week Reception Class have been reading 'Franklin's Flying Bookshop'.

Inspired by the story they invented their own dragons, painted them in water colours and wrote some amazing imaginative stories about them.

Well done Reception!

Year 1

This week Year 1 enjoyed a colourful, tactile Music lesson. They listened to various types of music, expressing themselves through movement.



Holy Communion



Congratulations to our Year 3 cousins who celebrated their First Holy Communion together last week. We hope you had a lovely day with your families.

Year 2



Year 2 created pastel bats in Art this week as part of their Nocturnal Animals' topic.

Year 2



Well done to our Year 2 football champion who won the 'Manager's Player of The Year' award for the Forestdale Under 8s team.

Year 3

Year 3 have been investigating tessellation and symmetry in Maths and created their own symmetrical face pictures this week.



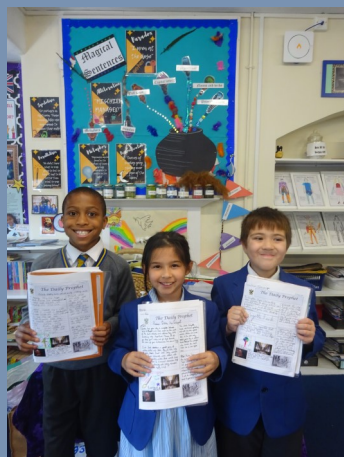
Year 3 & 4



Year 3 and 4 enjoyed their trip to The Natural History Museum before half term and took part in a workshop on Earthquakes and Volcanoes. They also took the opportunity to check out the dinosaurs!

Year 4

This week Year 4 have become journalists, reporting on Gringott's Bank Robbery. It is widely believed to be the work of dark wizards and witches. Watch this space because we are determined to catch the perpetrators!



Year 5



Year 5 had fun recreating the feast in Macbeth this week.

Year 6

Year 6 have enjoyed starting their new History topic on Ancient Benin. Through their timeline research, they discovered that the 'golden age' for the Edo was between 1300 - 1700AD, they have compared this with British history during this period.



Stars of the week



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