



Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2024

*Our vision is 'Let your light shine'. The rainbow symbolises God's unconditional love for each individual. We seek to reflect that light in all we do: in our community, both local and wider, in our communication, both word and action, with curiosity and courage, and with care and compassion for everyone, inspiring a love of learning.*

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week the children have been busy planning their very own fundraising event for today's Pupil Entrepreneurial Day. All children have been involved in planning and preparing for the day; baking, creating posters and making things to sell. Their ideas have included a variety of stalls, selling items such as cakes, biscuits and keyrings. Today, all the children have had the opportunity to run their stalls in the hall and visit other stalls to spend their money.

The event has provided a wonderful opportunity for the children to understand the importance of maths in a real-life context. They have had to think creatively to solve-problems while working together to create products that other children will want to buy.

Each class will count up their profit from the event and the total amount raised will be spent on enhancing the school for the children. The Junior Leadership Team will present the children's ideas for how to spend the money to the Senior Leadership Team later this term.



It was wonderful to see so many parents and carers at the Early Years and Key Stage One Country Dancing Festival on Thursday. The children performed the dances they have been learning as part of their PE lessons with confidence and enthusiasm and they certainly enjoyed having an audience! A big thank you to FOWS for providing the refreshments and to you all for your continued support for the school and your children.

We are currently finalising the teaching arrangements for September 2024 and all parents/carers will receive a ParentMail on **Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June**, which will inform you of your child's class teacher for next year. Please keep an eye out for this letter and share this information with your child. A ParentMail was sent out earlier this week explaining the transition process. Transition Day will take place on **Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July** where the children will spend the morning in their new classrooms with their new teacher and learning support staff.

Thank you for your continued support – have a lovely weekend!

*Mrs Samantha Dimbleby*  
**Headteacher**

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## Sun cream and sun hats



Now that summer finally seems to have arrived, we must take action to keep ourselves and our children safe. It is important that all children have sun hats in school every day and wear sun cream. Long wearing sun cream should be applied before the children arrive at school. Please also provide your child with a water bottle every day – this is extremely important to ensure the children stay hydrated throughout the day.

## Parking and Site Safety

Due to the number of cars parking on the school site at the end of the school day and the risks to the safety of our children that this presents, we have made the decision that the gates will be kept locked at the end of the school day. This will mean that cars will not be able to leave or enter the school grounds between 3:00pm and 3:30pm and will be in place from Monday.

While I appreciate that some parents have accessibility requirements, we only have a limited number of spaces available and the safety of our children while on our school site has to be our priority. Parents who require accessibility arrangements will need to speak directly to the Headteacher where specific circumstances can be discussed. Thank you for your support and understanding.

## Child of the Week

All our children seek to 'Let their light shine' as they reflect our Christian values in their daily life. Many congratulations to the following children this week who have shone particularly brightly and been awarded 'Child of the Week':

Reception: Paige & Bonnie

Year 1: Harrison & Freddie

Year 2: Ila & Sofia

Year 3: Callie & Grace

Year 4: Tyrese & Amelia

Year 5: Hugo & Zaiden

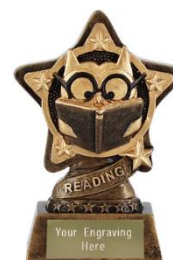
Year 6: Harvey & Ramia



## Accelerated Readers

The following classes have been awarded the Reading Trophies this week for completing the most Accelerated Reader Quizzes:

<b>2AA</b>
<b>3AP</b>
<b>4KF</b>
<b>5FG</b>
<b>6CM</b>



## Attendance

Well done to 1SB who had the best whole class average attendance this week with 98.91%. Our average whole school attendance this week is 95.12%.

### ATTENDANCE LADDER



Sky Class	95%
Sunshine Class	97.62%
1AA	91.67%
1SB	98.91%
2AA	92.28%
2JW	97.67%
3SN	92.75%
3AP	93.33%
4KF	97.22%
4SW	96.77%
5RS	94.34%
5FG	94.67%
6KEP	94.80%
6CM	93.94%

## FOWS – Summer Fete Saturday 29th June @11am - 2pm

FOWS are busily preparing for the summer fair and would like to remind you that **Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June is Mufti Day**. On this day your child/children can come dressed in their own clothes. In return we ask for:

- Rainbows, Reception, Year 1 and 2 - Fill a jar with wrapped sweets (no chocolate as it will melt) for the sweet Jar Tombola
- Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 - Bottle prizes (Fizzy or alcohol)

We would also welcome any donations of cakes for the cake stall & any pre-loved Teddies for our Teddy Tombola.

**Raffle tickets** have been distributed. Please return all sold ticket stubs, ticket money and any unsold tickets to the school **Reception by Friday 28th June** for all sold tickets to be entered into the draw.

We will be drawing the raffle on the day of the Fete at 1:30pm.



## Safeguarding

If you have a concern about a child please contact Mrs Samantha Dimbleby, Mrs Epps or Miss Daisy Allen via the School Office on 01296 712296 or alternatively if out of school hours, weekends or holidays visit <http://www.bucks-lscb.org.uk/concerned-about-child/> to report your concerns.

<b>Mrs Samantha Dimbleby</b> Designated Safeguarding Lead	
<b>Mrs Katie Epps</b> Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead	
<b>Miss Daisy Allen</b> Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead	
Child Protection Governor <b>Mr David Shaw</b>	

## What can we do even better as a school?

If you have any comments or suggestions, please do get in contact with Mrs Dimbleby via the school office, or better still, come and chat to her at the start or the end of the day on the playground.



## Diary Dates

Please find below our summer term calendar of events for your immediate attention. This will be published on our school website and updated as appropriate over the coming weeks.

Date	Event	Year Group
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> June	Reception Vision Checks	Reception
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> June (9:00am)	Guitar Assembly with Mr Allen	Whole School
Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup> June	EYFS and KS1 Church Worship with parents	Reception, Year One and Year Two
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> June	Winslow Pupil Talent Show	Whole School
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 2 Trip to Waddesdon Manor	Year Two
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	FOWS Mufti Day	Whole School
Saturday 29 <sup>th</sup> June	FOWS Summer Fair	Whole School
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July (3:30pm)	Transition meeting for parents of children moving into Years 1, 3 and 5	Reception, Year Two and Year Four
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July (3:30pm)	Transition meeting for parents of children moving into Years 2, 4 and 6	Year One, Year Three and Year Five
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Whole School Transition Day	Whole School
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> and Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Y6 Buckinghamshire Transition Days	Year Six
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Service at Christ Church Cathedral Oxford	Year Six
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> July	End of year Reports to Parents	Whole School
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	EYFS and KS1 Sports Day (am)	Rainbows, Reception, Year One and Year Two
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> July	KS2 Sports Day – Y3 & Y4 (am), Y5 & Y6 (pm)	Year Three, Year Four, Year Five and Year Six
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Production (Afternoon performance)	Year Six
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Production (Evening performance)	Year Six
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July (2:00pm)	Y6 Leaver's Service at St Laurence Church	Year Six
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July	Last Day of Term	Whole School
SUMMER HOLIDAY Children return on Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> September 2024		

*This Term's Value is: **Forgiveness***

*"For if you forgive other people when they sin against you, your Heavenly Father will also forgive you.*

**Matthew 6:14**

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