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Friday Flier



Welcome Back

We hope you had an enjoyable break with the children and managed to spend some time outside between the wind and the rain! It has been great to welcome back the children again ready for another busy term.

Unicorn Visit: Gold Wonky Bar Prize

Princess the Unicorn visited the children in Doves' Class today and was a real hit with the children. She is a real beauty and was a firm favourite with the children. Please do check out our Facebook Page to see some of the photographs.

St George's Day Tuesday 23 April: Children to Wear Scouting Uniform

In honour of St George's Day, if your child is a member of any of the Scouting Movement Clubs, Rainbows, Cubs etc we are inviting them to come to school wearing their uniform on this day.

Wonky Bar In-School Prizes

Below is a list of the dates when "in school" prizes will be taking place. We have a list of the winners but there are still a couple of children missing. If you have any winning tickets at home, please send these in to school on Monday with your child.

Prize	Date
Visiting Unicorn	Friday 19 April
Fantastics tea party	Friday 26 April
Headteacher for a morning	Monday 29 April
You and a friend extra play	Monday 29 April
Biscuit at snack for you and 1 friend	Teachers to decide in class
Use of play equipment outside Wagtails' Class	Thursday 02 May
Non-uniform day(s)	Non-Uniform Day 1: Friday 26 April
	If you won multiple tickets: Friday 03 May Non-Uniform Day 2:
	If you won multiple tickets: Non-Uniform Day 3: Friday 10 May

Year 2 Art Event



The children in Year 2 had a great day yesterday with our visiting artist and created 3D artwork of minibeasts. Please visit our Facebook page to have a look at more of their "creations."



Coats in school

Please can you ensure that your child has a coat with them in school every day. The weather is very changeable at the moment and can suddenly turn cold. Many thanks.

Water Bottles in School

Please can you ensure that your child has a water bottle in school with them every day so the children can access fresh water when required. We have currently run out of school water bottles and will let you know when they arrive. Any sports type water bottle is acceptable.

Breakfast and After School Club Invoices

These were emailed out by Mrs Gray before the Easter break. Please check the invoices for relevant payment dates. A reminder that fees are due in advance, and not in arrears and late fees will apply.

Busy Bees

These children received their Busy Bee Stamp this week and this was celebrated in a year group assembly:

Year 1: Freddie Colasanti, Jazmin Harrold, Billy Jeans, Jaxon Ness, Vincent Serjent, Lillymae Stewart and Reuben Talbot. **Year 2:** Emilia Andrews, Sanaya Ahmed, Jennifer Blower, Ellia Mae Bristow, Henley Corrigan, Jude Humphreys, Bryce Johnson-Ferguson, Isabelle Kneller, Frank Morris, Teddy Redman, Lyla May Saunders, Maddie Swift and Arlo Wilday.

These children finished their busy bee certificates and have received a Busy Bee Motif which can be sewed onto their jumpers/cardigans: Jenson Freeman, Freddie Gibbons, Callum Hall, Lukas Hutchings and Jensen Morley.

50 Things to do Before you're 7

We recently launched this initiative and I am pleased to inform you that Ivy Bartholomew is the first person to complete this is.

Class Reading Challenge: Raffle Winners

I am delighted to let you know that the class winners of this week's raffle were:

- Kingfishers' Class
- Blackbirds' and Woodpeckers' Class
- Owls' Class

Reporting Absence

A reminder that as well as telephoning the school, you can also report your child's absence via a company called **Studybugs** which enables you to go online via a phone or computer to report your child's absence securely. To get the free Studybugs app, or register on their website go to (<https://studybugs.com/about/parents>). If your child is unwell it is your responsibility to inform the school of this.

Forest School Sessions:

Timetable for this half term has already been sent out. Paper copies are on the notice boards by the North Door and the South Door. You are also able to check the timetable by clicking the following link: [Summer A Timetable](#).

Lunch Menu

Next week's menu will be: Week 2. Please click on the following links to access the menus online: [hot menu](#) or [Jacket Potato Menu](#) Paper copies are on the notice boards by the North Door and the South Door and in Wagtails' Class window.

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Yours sincerely



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