



NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents/Carers

We hope you have all had an enjoyable half term break. The first week of the last half of term is already over and what a week it has been. The children have returned to school with energy and focus and it has been wonderful to see the excitement around the classrooms as new topics begin and learning continues.

Robins Class kicked off the week with a Roman battle and are ending it with a visit from Dylan’s Ice Cream. We would like to thank Ben Govier, owner of Dylan’s, for his involvement and enthusiasm in their Ingenious Inventions topic over the last few weeks. We are all looking forward to trying the Robins’ ice cream flavours this afternoon!

Owls and Badgers Classes have been up to Forest School this week and both classes have really enjoyed noticing the differences in the woodland since their last sessions in the Autumn Term. We have also been lucky enough to have Chris and Jennie Orange accompany one of the sessions this week and off the back of this they have produced an amazing video about our Forest School. We cannot thank them enough for their time, energy, enthusiasm and effort they have afforded us—the pieces of marketing they have produced are invaluable! If you get a moment, please visit the Forest School page on our website to view the film.

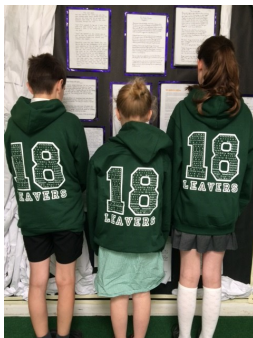
Badgers Class have completed their SRE (sex and relationships education) lessons this week - a vital, if occasionally awkward, part of the curriculum. They have also started their rehearsals for “Dream On”, our summer production, and our budding actors and actresses are showing much promise, with some hilarious scenes already tripping off the tongue! Today, they have been given their leavers hoodie—the school’s gift to them to mark the end of their time with us, I am sure you will see them wearing them around school over the coming weeks. They are off to Cobnor Activity Centre next week for a four night residential, jam packed with land and water based activities, we can’t wait to hear how they get on.

All our classes have taken part in a whole school writing assessment this week. This is a new initiative that we have decided to try following a recent training course attended by our English Leader, Mrs Isaac. All year groups were shown a video about giraffes and were then asked to produce a piece of writing, without teacher assistance. We will then be comparing the writing across the ages and this should enable us to mark progression across the whole school. It should prove to be an interesting and valuable exercise and the feedback is that the children have really enjoyed it.

Mrs Isaac and I have been away for the last two days on a strategic leadership course with the Trust; interacting and sharing knowledge with other Senior Leadership Teams from our fellow Trust schools. It has been an interesting couple of days and we will be taking away a lot of valuable information.

Wishing you all a good weekend,

On behalf of SLT



★ STUDENTS OF THE WEEK ★	
SQUIRRELS	Alexis James
DEER	Tobiasz Dias-Martins
OWLS	Alfie Burger
RED KITES	James Tempest
ROBINS	Adelaide Elder
FOXES	Przemek Zymek
BADGERS	Alex Melia
LUNCHTIME AWARD	Hattie Blatherwick
HEADBOY & HEADGIRL AWARD	Tabetha Parker
FOREST SCHOOL OWLS	Nyla Bentley
FOREST SCHOOL BADGERS	Teyen Morrin

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DIARY DATES

JUN

Fri 8	Dylan's Ice Cream Visit
Fri 8	7.30pm FOFS Meeting at Red Lion
Mon 11	Badgers to Cobnor
Wed 13	UNLOC Workshop
Wed 13	Under the Sea Drama Workshop for KS1
Fri 15	9.30am Welcome Morning for New Parents
Fri 15	Badgers return from Cobnor
Wed 20	Foxes to Woolmer Hill Taster Morning
Wed 20	6.30pm Woolmer Hill Info Evening for Y4 & Y5
Thurs 21	9am & 6pm Parent Forum
Fri 22	9am Foxes Science Masterclass with Woolmer Hill
Fri 22	3.15pm Messy Church
Mon 25	Squirrels Summer Cake Sale
Wed 27	Glee Club performing at Village Hall
Thurs 28	Sports Day

JUL

Tues 3	9am Cobnor Assembly
Tues 3	Owls Class Brilliant Bricks morning
Wed 4	Woolmer Hill & MRC Y6 Transition Days
Wed 4	Foxes Taster Day at Bohunt
Fri 6	Bohunt Y6 Transition Days
Fri 6	In house Transition morning for all classes
Wed 11	Reserve Sports Day
Fri 13	FOFS Summer BBQ
Mon 16	Badgers Bikeability Week
Tues 17	KS2 Evening Production
Wed 18	KS2 Evening Production
Mon 23	1.30pm Fernhurst has got Talent
Tues 24	Last day of term

A NOTE OF THANKS

The Chairperson for the Haslemere Charter Fair, Melanie Odell, has written to express a "heartfelt thank you" for our support of the Fair this year. She mentions that she has had wonderful feedback and wanted us to pass on her gratitude to the "brilliant performers for their wonderful enthusiasm especially on such a searingly hot day!" as well as to the staff that facilitated it. Well done, again, to all involved!

Article 31; leisure, play and culture

the big workout.

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STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

Well done to Ruben Szabo-Steer for achieving his British Gymnastics proficiency award for Level 7!

LIBRARY OPENING TIMES

We are delighted to announce that on Monday afternoons from 3.15pm until 3.45pm we will be opening up our school library for children and families to come and enjoy our lovely collection of books.



It will be available for children to come along and browse the collections and hopefully select a book to take home. This might be a fiction book to read for pleasure, a bedtime story book for younger ones or non-fiction to perhaps assist with a homework project! Mrs Edwards has kindly agreed to be on hand to advise on appropriate texts and genres and to give guidance to children and parents alike. Dependent on how popular this session is, she may even have the opportunity to do story time towards the end of the session!

These sessions will start from next Monday, so do please pop along and browse the books!

Please note that children must be accompanied by an adult to the Library.

On a Library note—there seem to be a lot of books missing from the Library at the moment, if you have any lying around at home (they will all be stamped with the school name and a barcode) please

FOFS

Congratulations to Lana Kelsey who was last month's 100 Club winner!

A reminder that we have our meeting tonight at 7.30pm at The Red Lion pub in the village. We have lots of exciting events to plan and would love to see you there, so please do come along, enjoy a Friday evening drink and support the school!

And don't forget easyfundraising—a really simple, fuss-free way to raise money for the school from the comfort of your armchair!
www.easyfundraising.org.uk

FROM THE OFFICE.....

- Robins and Foxes—please return your reply slips for the **Woolmer Hill Information Evening**.
- Foxes—please return your reply slips for the **Woolmer Hill Taster Morning**—the deadline is today!
- Parent Forum—please return your replies confirming your attendance at either of **Parent Forums on the 21 June**.

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