Hemingford Grey Primary School Newsletter



Friday 10th June

Mrs Marriott News Update:

Welcome back to the last half term of the year.

It has been a busy week which began with a two day Sculpture Workshop for Year 3/4. You will see the wonderful willow sculptures on the wildflower mound as you walk through the main entrance to the playground. The children were so engaged in creating these pieces of collaborative art and are very proud that everyone can share enjoyment of them.

The children were all excited to meet their new teachers yesterday. With lots of sessions over the coming weeks, the children and adults will all get to know each other really well.

Miss Jones and I spent some time in Year 5/6 classrooms looking at the learning and progress of pupils this week. We were so impressed with the high quality of work produced by the pupils and their active engagement in the learning.

Staying Safe! Our KS1 children continue to swim this half term and following a half term of Year 5 swimming, Year 6 will swim this half term. Whilst the school is in receipt of Sports Premium funding from the government, we are prioritising swimming as a skill which all children should have an opportunity to develop. The local area is surrounded by water and so teaching water safety is a high priority. Next year all our pupils in Year 1 - Year 6 will have at least a half term of swimming lessons so that we support this important skill development. With a range of water activities coming up in the summer, please talk at home about water safety too. Here are some useful sites to help: How to stay safe in the water - Active Nation¹ and Water Safety Advice | Royal Life Saving Society UK (RLSS UK)²

https://activenation.org.uk/thelocker/how-to-stay-safe-in-the-water/?gclid=CjwKCAjw14uVBhBEEiwAaufYx1s4fmH1RiAhhEZu3ZVgrawxYYBSByzdPf6K-Gt9_p7iJzoO1-o2nBoCjyEQAvD_BwE

²https://www.rlss.org.uk/Pages/Category/water-safety-information?gclid=CjwKCAjw14uVBhBEEiwAaufYx-XZMNyBgKv4bYZaXSroVyzujAUjuCbxwP8n9pva7ToItQtA443tFxoCJ3UQAvD_BwE

Have an enjoyable weekend!

Kirsten Marriott

Headteacher



The above willow sculptures that have been created by the Year 3/4 children during their two day workshop by the wildflower mound. The willow sculptures are art installations to be admired and enjoyed with eyes only and not to be touched! Thank you

What's on next week:

Monday 13th June

Year 1 & 2 Swimming

AnsteyArt Art Club - Year 3 & 4: 3.15-4.15 Years 5 & 6: 4.15-5:15

Tuesday 14th June

Connect Coffee Morning - Foundation Stage - 9:00-10:00 (For Foundation Stage's connect coffee morning please bring along cake donations (no nuts please). Any money raised at the coffee morning will go directly to the child's phase. All donations greatly appreciated thank you!)



Wednesday 15th June

Lawrence Godfrey Photographers - Class photos and Year 6 leaver photos

Anglo Saxon mini fire making afternoon - Year 3/4

Thursday 16th June

Connect Coffee Morning - Mr Carter's Class - 9:00-10:00 (For Mr Carter's connect coffee morning please bring along cake donations (no nuts please). Any money raised at the coffee morning will go directly to the child's phase. All donations greatly appreciated thank you!)

Year 6 Swimming - *please remember they need a pack lunch and their swimming kit*. (Parent helpers: If you are able to help to walk with the children to swimming between 10:15-1:30pm please email the school office: office@hemingfordgrey.cambs.sch.uk³ thank you!)

Girls Tag Rugby Club - Years 4, 5 and 6 - 3:20-4:20pm

Friday 17th June

Ice cream Friday after school in the playground

There has been a lot of money, time and organisation in putting together the play equipment in tubs for all of the children at break times - Please note this equipment must **NOT** be taken out of the tubs before or after school - Thank you!!!

Aspens Update: There have been two pudding option changes:

- Week 1 Thursday
- Week 3 Monday

³mailto:office@hemingfordgrey.cambs.sch.uk



Week One: 25th to 29th July AT HEMINGFORD PAVILION

Week Two: 15th to 19th August

> 10am to 3pm £30/Day £120/Week

INCLUDES CAMP T-SHIRT



Contact Rob to book: robertdadds@hotmail.com 07964 868665

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Lost property - All of these items have been handed into the school office. If they belong to you do please stop by the office to collect!