

BROADCAST

Newsletter 22: March 15th 2024

Dear Parents.

This has been a busy term despite it being a short one. We have seen lots of our pupils grow in confidence during this time because of the experiences they have enjoyed. Most notably, the Year 6 returning from their residential. They have learnt a lot about themselves and their ability to overcome challenges on their own by having the confidence to try. Our football team have shown a great respect for each other throughout the season and have demonstrated the power in great teamwork. You have been able to share the progress your individual children have made in their work this year. It is a joy to look at the first piece of work at the start of the year and then compare that to the standard they are regularly working at now. Well done, Castle Hill!



Boys Final

Despite losing to Meadowside in the final, our team were magnificent. Well played everyone.



Thank you!

Amazon Wish list

It means so much to us all that you continue to show your generosity. We feel our resources are really being boosted.

If you feel able to donate anything, you can find the wish lists by following these links:

English Wish list https://amzn.eu/bnNWVET Forest School Wish list https://amzn.eu/fkxiP5O

Thank you to everyone who has supported their children to complete PAWS activities this term. We continue to be impressed by the standard of the work and the time commitment given to the activities. Our shared expectations are crucial to support your child with their learning in and outside of school. We awarded eggs to the worthy winners of the Egg Competition in assembly today.





.My Holiday Experience

During the Easter holidays please talk to your child about what content they can include in their writing. Preparation is key to building their confidence. You were able to see how impressive and treasured the Big Write books have become. They really are a good indicator to the progress your child is making. It is also a good way for your children to reflect on their experiences and realise how lucky they are.

Huge thanks to Spirax Sarco who returned to school this week to give a day of their time volunteering – one of their team travelled over 200 miles each way yesterday to lend his help. We were lucky enough to have 10 visitors, all of whom spent a long day within the school grounds undertaking a huge spring clean and cut back. The spiritual garden is now looking beautiful once more so all of our pupils will be able to enjoy it over Summer.

If you or your company have the ability to donate any volunteering time within the school, please do not hesitate to contact our School Business Manager Jo Mabbutt in the office who would be able to find a volunteering opportunity that suits your interest within school or within the school grounds.



DATES FOR SUMMER TERM

Monday 8th April- School starts

Wednesday 10th April- Year 4 swimming

Wednesday 10th April- Classes open for parents having online Parents' Evening to see your child's work

Friday 12th April-SEND Sports Festival

Tuesday 16th April-Able Writers Day-by invitation

Monday 6th May- MAY DAY-No School

Tuesday 7th May- Class photos + Year 6 individual

Monday 13th May- Friday 17th May- SATs Week

Monday 27th May- Friday 31st May- Half Term

Week beginning - Monday 3rd June- Year 6 Bikeability

Thursday 6th June- Year 4 training to be Sports Ambassadors

Week beginning Monday 17th June- Abbey Home Farm-by invitation

Tuesday 25th June- Sports Day

Wednesday 26th June- Reserve Sports Day

Thursday 4th July- FRIENDs Family Festival- more details to follow

Thursday 4th July- Year 5 Camping- (Provisional date)

Friday 12th July- PAWS in

Wednesday 17th July- Leavers Party

Thursday 18th July- Leavers Assembly

Friday 19th July-Term Finishes 2pm



PARKING

Please continue to be mindful of others

