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Sports Week

Huge thanks to Mr Easton for pulling off a legendary Sports Week – we've tennised, cricketed and yogaed with wild abandon (within stringent health and safety parameters of course), and it has been a total joy to see so many children having so much fun. We will be keeping the sporting momentum going over the summer, so watch this space!

Virtual Author Visit

Falcons played (virtual) host to Simon Parnaby earlier this week, talking about his new book – The Wizard in My Shed. Many thanks to the fantastic Little Ripon Book Shop for facilitating this, what a treat!

Summer Holiday Club

Escape Holiday Club have been in touch about running their awesome holiday club in our school for two weeks during the summer holidays. We are currently finalising dates, and will let you know as soon as we have fixed them. You can find Karen Thompson, Escape Holiday Club on Facebook for more information about her exciting provision.

Forest Schools

Next half term Falcons will be handing the Forest School baton over to Kites, who will need to come in outdoor gear on Thursdays after the holidays. Please make sure children have their wellies and overs in school - although it will be June, so (hopefully) sun cream and sunhats will be useful too.

Cake Stall

We will be holding a cake stall after school on Thursday 10th June, and Friday 11th June (if there is anything left). Bus pupils will have the opportunity to visit a little earlier, so they don't miss out. If you would be able to send any baking in it would be very much appreciated. All money raised will go towards another interactive whiteboard in school – they really help to bring learning to life for the children.

Drop off and Pick up

As our school grows, so too does the number of cars bringing pupils to and from school. Some of the traffic moving through the village does so at more than the speed limit – we are working with the Police on this, but in the meantime, please do keep a close eye on your little ones (especially the pre-schoolers) and make sure they are well away from the road.



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Bottle Top Art Competition

Thanks very much to the fabulously creative Year 6s who helped me with the bottle top art competition. Every child in school has a letter and entry form in their bag (you may need to frisk them for it!) and the Year 6s and I would love it if they designed something amazing for our Reflective Garden. Entries to be returned after the hols, when my crack squad and I will be judging your amazing art!

Attendance

We have already had a couple of holiday requests in for time off before the summer holidays. Please can I take the opportunity to ask you to consider this very, very carefully - yes, this has been a hideous time for all concerned and we are enjoying the increasing freedom as restrictions ease, however, we are putting in such a lot of extra support and effort into helping our children fill any gaps in their learning. Literally, every minute in school counts at the moment in terms of catching our pupils up ready for their next stage in school. We have put a significant amount of time and resources in to physical and emotional wellbeing in school too, to address any issues which had been caused by lockdown and isolation. Now more than ever, your child should be in school, and I would ask for your full support with this, by not taking your child out on holiday during term time. Thank you.

Owls: 97.5%

Kites: 93%

Falcons: 94.5%

Training Day

Just a reminder that Monday 7th June is a training day. We look forward to welcoming our wonderful children back on Tuesday 8th June.

Transition Sessions

We have tentatively put some dates in the diary (see below) for our lovely new starter children to come and visit us in school. Our Year Fives are soooooo excited to be their Buddies too, so we are keeping our fingers crossed that the 21st June relaxation of Covid regulations will go ahead as planned. There are four dates, and we would like new starter parents to choose two of the dates to send their little ones in for lots of fun and games! I will be writing to new starter parents straight after half term with more information.



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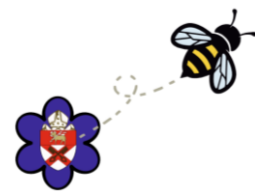




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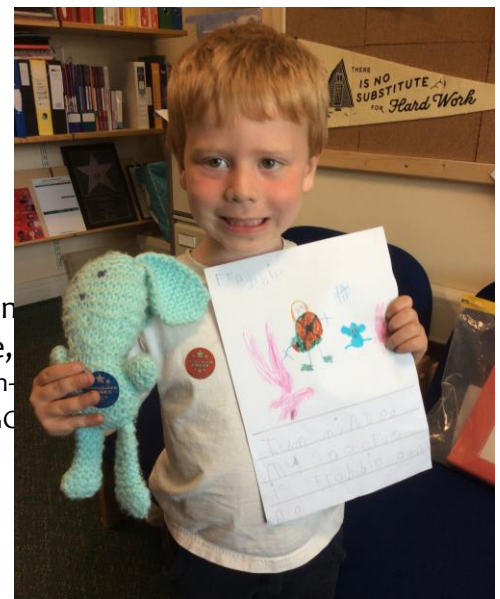
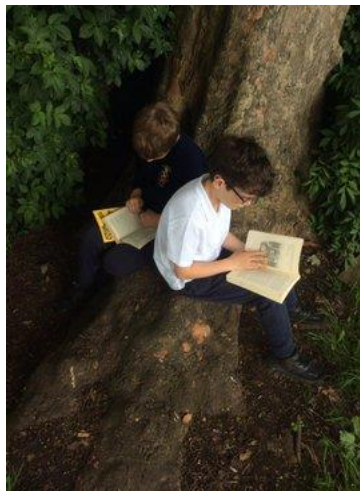


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Dates

When	What	Who
07.06.2021	INSET Day	All
08.06.2021	Children return	All
9.07.2021	Reports out	All
15 th , 16 th , 19 th , 20 th July	New Starter half day sessions (more info to follow)	New starters September 2021
23.7.21	Close for summer	All

Here's a taste of what we've been up to this week:



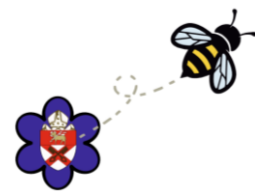
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