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Message from Head Teachers

Dear parents and carers,

This week our value has been aspiration and we have seen this in abundance from our Year 6 pupils who this week completed their SATs tests. We are incredibly proud of how they have demonstrated such resilience as they stepped up to this challenge.

We are all looking forward to our May Fair tomorrow and have all fingers crossed that the sun will shine! Our SASA have worked incredibly hard to organise a super event with a huge range of events for everyone to enjoy.

We are really disappointed that we are not able to open the swimming pool next week. We hope that it will be fully functional and open after the half term break. We appreciate your understanding with this.

Today we said a temporary farewell to Mrs Munford who is leaving for her maternity leave. We wish her all the very best and look forward to meeting baby Munford.

Jo Mitchell and Bethan Thomas

Reed's School

On Monday morning, fifteen Year 4 children travelled to Reed's School to take part in their Arts Award Day, which included art, drama and music. The children were split into three groups and given a Year 7 buddy for the day. During the day, the children were impeccably behaved and thoroughly enjoyed all the activities, making new friends and the delicious lunch! During the drama session, the children had to retell a Greek myth chorus style, in music they accompanied a song on many different instruments and created a 3D flower print in art.

A huge thank you to Reed's School for having us and to all the parents who helped with transporting the children to and from the school. Miss Fenwick)



Internet Safety Workshop

We would like remind Year 3,4, 5 and 6 parents about the internet safety workshop on **Wednesday 22nd May at 7pm** in the main hall which will highlight the potential effect of the Internet on the behaviour and mental wellbeing of children. Mrs. Staegemann will be leading the discussion and will provide practical tips for raising a digitally resilient child.

We look forward to seeing you at this important workshop.

Parent partnership meetings

Year 3 and 4 parents are invited to the parent partnership meeting on Wednesday 22nd May at 9.00am in the dining hall. The meeting will focus on maths and developing a range of strategies to support learning at home. This will be a great opportunity to learn about the age related expectations for each phase and the way in which we teach particular methods. We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible.

May Fair

We are looking forward to seeing everyone at the May Fair on the school field tomorrow 12.30 - 3.30. Try your luck on the Bottle Tombola or visit the Coconut Shy, Crockery Smash and Nerf Guns to test your aim. The Mayor of Elmbridge will be judging the Bake Off competitions for children and adults and anyone can sign up on the day to be in the Tug of War. Come along and cheer on the Year 6 football league champions as they take on their dads in the main arena, where there will also be performances from Jamming Together, Susan Roberts Academy and St Andrew's Maypole Club.

With the St Andrew's governors and staff running the Pimms & Beer Tent and Stoneleighs Butchers supplying the burgers it promises to be a great family event. Remember to bring your raffle tickets to be in with a chance of winning a prize, and we would be grateful for your donations of cakes and biscuits on the Refreshments Stall



Cobham Messy Church – Thursday 23rd from 3:45pm at Cobham United Church, Stoke Road. Lots of fun crafts, activities, songs and supper- including a visit from the ACTS Puppet team this month. Everyone welcome

Swimming

As you are aware we are experiencing some difficulties with the swimming pool. We are currently waiting for two new pumps to be delivered in order for it to be functional again. The swimming pool will unfortunately be closed until after half term.

We appreciate that our families and pupils are very disappointed about missing swimming. We are working with Mrs Mercy, our swimming lead, to try and ensure we can make up for lost lessons before the end of the school year. However, it may be the case that we will need to move some lessons to September along with our year 1 pupils.

Key Dates: • SASA May Fair—Saturday 18th May
• Parent Partnership meeting for Year 2,3 & 4 parents 9.00-9.45am—Wednesday 22nd May 9.00-9.45am
• Interner Safety evening for YR 3,4,5 & 6 parents—Wednesday 22nd May 7pm • Class photos—Thursday 23rd May • Inset Day—Friday 24th May • Half term holiday Monday 27th to Friday 31st May • School and after school clubs start Monday 3rd June

Positive Playtime winners
Luther King & Mandela



Winning House
Wisley

Best Class Attendance
Franklin & Mandela 100 %

This week's value
Aspire

Next week's value
Contribute

Celebration CertificatesValue—Aspire

Donaldson: Annie	Einstein: Josie
Nightingale: Sophoie	Earhart: Sebastian
Dahl: Joley	Luther King: Oceana
Hawking: Jasmine	Potter: Elisaveta
Attenborough: Alice	Lowry: Lorenzo
Johnson: Zico	
Parks Jack.	
Djawadi: Casper	Shackleton: Ben
Franklin: Whole class	Mandela: Whole Class

Achievement, Progress or effort in Maths/English

Donaldson: Aron	Einstein: Carter
Nightingale: Myschka	Earhart: Freddie
Dahl: Nikloa	Luther King: Fionnlagh
Hawking: Bella	Potter: Laura
Attenborough: Jack	Lowry: Leia
Johnson: Sofia	
Parks: Lexie	
Djawadi: Ruby Lou	Shackleton: Callum
Franklin: Whole class	Mandela: Joonkee