

WEEK ENDING 23RD MAY

The end of a very short term has come around extremely quickly. We have fitted so much into our time at school, we have had trips, visitors, year 6 SATS and so much more happening that it has gone in a flash. We have lots planned for the final term of the school year including a treat for all of the children paid for by the PTA from the fundraising that they do and of course the Year 4 camping night.

This week in school

Acorns have been learning about floating and sinking as part of their pirate theme. Year 6 have had a workshop with Children Challenging Industry and enjoyed a day with Apollo Music making their own digital music composition. Year 5 have been writing comparative texts, comparing the River Tees to other rivers around the world. Year 4 have had a specialist rugby coach to begin teaching them how to play rugby and have been on their trip to York to learn all about chocolate. Year 3 have been developing their culinary skills as part of their DT topic in order to make vegetable tarts. Year 2 have been looking at poems this week and in particular a poem called The Sound Collector. Year 1 have been creating a giant sculpture of a spider in art. Reception have been exploring lifecycles of plants. They have planted beans and enjoyed reading about Jack and the Beanstalk. Nursery have been learning about minibeasts and decorating butterflies.

School Disco

The PTA have planned their next event of the year which will be a Summer disco on Thursday 12th of June. The early years and key stage one disco will begin at 4.30pm and finish at 5.30pm. Parents and carers must accompany their children during this disco. The key stage 2 disco will begin at 5.45pm and end at 7pm. Children can be dropped off at school but must be collected by an adult. Entry for this will be £2 and there will be a tuck shop with sweets and drinks on sale.

Staffing

After half term Mrs Gray will continue to be the teacher in Year 5 and Mrs Dalzell will continue to teach in Year 4. This will continue until Mr Robinson returns to school.

Digital Leaders

This week our digital leaders have been teaching the children across the whole of the school about internet safety. They worked well together and increased in confidence as the day went on. They are now looking forward to sharing what they know with parents over the coming weeks.

Have a lovely half term break and I look forward to seeing everyone on Monday 2nd June.

Mr Sanderson

Upcoming Events

Class Photos Monday 9th June

School Summer Disco Thursday 12th June

School Summer Fair Friday 11th July

Year 6 Leavers Assembly 6pm Wednesday 16th July

Class End of Year Assemblies - All of the following assemblies will be held at 2.30pm on the dates below - Reception -24tth June

Year 1 - 18th June

Year 2 - 26th June

Year 3 - 1st July

Year 4 - 8th July

Year 5 - 16th July

Nursery will be held on 8th July at 11am

Sports Day Tuesday15th July **Nursery and Reception -**9.15am Year 1 and Year 2 -10.30am Years 3 - 6 1.15pm

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