



Dear Parents and Carers

We are already well underway with the first of our Summer terms. These are always packed with activities linked to the nicer weather, so please do look below at the future dates to add to your diaries.

This half term our value is CREATIVITY under our Enquiry, 'What are the dreams of great visionaries?'. Children will be learning about people from the past who have had a real impact on our world today. We will also be visionaries of the school with the Pupil Leadership Team capturing pupil voice with ways to make our school better. They have lots of great ideas that they would like to carry out before the end of the academic year so watch this space.



Behaviour

We are continuing to uphold behaviour in school – and have revisited the Calm School Code again with the children as part of our assemblies. We have so many children who are kind and thoughtful and we really want to recognise them alongside our Learning Warrior each week. From this Friday, we will be looking for a Calm School Code Custodian who will be chosen for exemplary behaviour. There will be a post card that will come through the post. We really believe it is important to shine a light on the children who are role models in our tribe.

Outdoor Spaces

We are delighted to announce that the outdoor classroom has been finished. We now have a dedicated space for outdoor learning. Some classes have already been out exploring alongside smaller groups. We look forward to sharing some photos with you – please keep checking our social media page.

At the end of last term, all 110 trees were planted and we are very grateful for all who have supported us in dedicating time or resources to improve these areas for our children. Each class now has their own plot in the science garden - and some planting is underway in the hope we can harvest our crops before we break up. A special mention and gratitude to the community project 'Tintagel Sow Beautiful' who have kindly donated seeds, propagators, watering cans and a water butt. This will really help us. Thank you.



Statutory Testing

The summer is the time of the year that the government set their statutory tests. These start for Y6 next week (Week beg 9th). All Y6s have had a timetable and there will be a revision breakfast club in the library for them (free of charge) from 8:30am each morning of the tests. You should also have received a parent leaflet last week. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to speak with Miss Court or Mrs Kirkman.

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In addition, Y2 children will be sitting their SATs the week beginning 16th May. Whilst these are statutory, we facilitate them so children work in small groups and they are an opportunity for children to showcase what they know. They certainly shouldn't be feeling anxious about them. Again, any queries please speak with Ms Thorpe or Mrs Kirkman.

Please ensure wherever possible that your child is in school for these dates.

Deli Farm

After a two-year break, we are delighted to confirm that the annual Deli Farm Run will take place on Saturday 21st May 2022. The location address is Deli Farm, Delabole, PL33 9BZ. Children need to arrive at the big barn at 9.30 a.m. and the race will start at 10.00 a.m. The event is open to EYFS & KS1, KS2, Youths (12-17) & adults. Please note that all children in EYFS and KS1 will need to be accompanied by a parent/carer whilst on the run. The Friends of Delabole School will be holding a refreshment and cake stall in the barn.

Please let us know if your child would like to attend so we have an idea on numbers please.



Jubilee

The Queen's Jubilee will be taking place over half term however on Tuesday 7th June, we will be inviting the children to come to school wearing Red, White and Blue, and Mrs Vare is going to be providing a picnic school lunch on this day. Weather depending, we will be eating in the field so if your child would like to bring a picnic blanket, they are very welcome.

Kind regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read 'Lou Kirkman'.

Lou Kirkman and the team



Diary dates:

Summer Term 2022	
Monday 9 th May – Friday 13 th May	Y6 SATS week
w/c Monday 16 th May	Y2 SATs week
Saturday 21 st May	Deli Farm Run
Tuesday 24 th May – Friday 27 th May	Y6 Bristol Residential
Friday 27 th May	Last day of Summer Term 1
Monday 6 th June	First day of Summer Term 2
Tuesday 7 th June	Children's Jubilee Picnic
Wednesday 8 th June	Sir James Smiths School to visit Y6 leavers
Thursday 9 th June	Class Photos
Friday 10 th June	INSET day – school closed to pupils
Wednesday 15 th June – Friday 17 th June	Y4/5 Roadford Lake Residential
W/c Monday 20 th June	Healthy Active Living Week
Thursday 23 rd June	Sports Day & Parent Lunch
Friday 1 st July	Class 3 & 4 Surfing Lessons
w/c Monday 4 th July	Fly Up Week
Monday 4 th July – Friday 15 th July	Class 1 & 2 swimming
Friday 22 nd July	Y6 Leavers Assembly
Friday 22 nd July	Last day of Summer Term 2
Monday 25 th & Tuesday 26 th July	INSET days – school closed to pupils