



Spring Term 2018

End of Term 4 - Newsletter



Diary Dates for Term 4 and beyond

<i>School Closed to pupils End of Term 4</i>	<i>Thursday 29th March</i>	<i>3.15 pm</i>
<i>School re-open to pupils for Term 5</i>	<i>Tuesday 17th April</i>	<i>8.50 am</i>
<i>Swimming starts</i>	<i>Friday 20th April</i>	<i>9.10 am</i>
<i>Oundle Kid Lit author visit years 3-5</i>	<i>Tuesday 24th April</i>	<i>10.00 - 11.00 am</i>
<i>York Residential (Year 4)</i>	<i>Wed 25th to Fri 27th April</i>	
➤ <i>E-safety talk for parents by Service 6</i>	<i>Wednesday 2nd May</i>	<i>6.00-7.00 pm</i>
<i>PFA meeting at school</i>	<i>Wednesday 2nd May</i>	<i>7.30 pm</i>
<i>School Closed -Mayday Bank Holiday</i>	<i>Monday 7th May</i>	
➤ <i>Hockey Tournament at PWS years 3/4</i>	<i>Thursday 10th May</i>	<i>4.00 - 5.30 pm</i>
<i>Year 6 SATS</i>	<i>Monday 14th - Thursday 17th May</i>	
➤ <i>Hedgehogs Class Trip</i>	<i>Wednesday 16th May</i>	<i>8.30 am to 4.00 pm</i>
<i>Year 6 visit to Ed's diner</i>	<i>Friday 18th May</i>	
➤ <i>Swimming Tournament Years 5 & 6</i>	<i>Thursday 24th May</i>	<i>1.00 -3.00 pm</i>
<i>School Closed to pupils End of Term 5</i>	<i>Friday 25th May</i>	<i>3.15 pm</i>
<i>School re-open to pupils for Term 6</i>	<i>Monday 4th June</i>	<i>8.50 am</i>
➤ <i>Foxes Class Trip</i>	<i>Thursday 7th June</i>	<i>9.00 am</i>
<i>Whole School Photo</i>	<i>Monday 11th June</i>	<i>am</i>
➤ <i>Year 1 Phonics Screening check</i>	<i>w/b 11th-15th June</i>	<i>10.00 am.</i>
➤ <i>Summer Fete</i>	<i>Saturday 16th June</i>	<i>1.30 pm onwards</i>
<i>Sports Morning and PFA Picnic</i>	<i>Wednesday 27th June</i>	<i>9.30 am</i>
<i>Food and Farming day East of England- whole school</i>	<i>Friday 29th June</i>	<i>9.30 am -2.30 pm</i>
➤ <i>Red Kites Class Trip</i>	<i>Friday 13th July</i>	
➤ <i>Further details to follow</i>		

Dear Parents,

It has been a very busy term and I would like to say a big thank you for all your contributions and support



Frontier Centre

Badgers Class had a fantastic time at the **Frontier Centre** with children from Titchmarsh and Trinity Schools. They were excellent ambassadors for the school. A big thank you to Miss Kemp for supporting and staying with our children.



World Book Day & Literacy Week

There were some great outfits on World Book Day and the children took part in lots of literacy based lessons for our Literacy week and also visits to the Oundle Festival of Literature. A big thank you to Mrs Nicholls for running the Usborne Book Sale, and thanks to your purchases, the school was able to buy £130 of books for our library.



Sport Relief

Sports Relief was extremely well supported. Children enjoyed running with Miss Aldous, Miss Ibotson, and Mrs Dunkley , Just Dance with Miss Kemp and Joe Wicks Workout with Mrs Campo, to name but a few! A big thank you to everyone. Please return your sponsorship forms after the Easter break.



Sports

Well done to all our sporting heroes who have taken part in a number of events this term, including **Tag Rugby** and **Netball**.



York Wednesday 25th to Friday 27th April

Our Year 4 children are very excited about the approaching York trip with our friends from Titchmarsh and Trinity. They will be accompanied on the trip by Miss Ibotson.



Clubs

Clubs' permission letters went out last week. Please may we have permission slips back by **Tuesday 17th April**. There will be **no clubs** for the first week of term, as clubs will begin again on **Monday 23rd April**. If you need to book your child into After School Club for extra sessions for the first week back please see Miss Guy or Mrs Herrick.



Swimming

In Term 5, Foxes, Badgers and Red Kites will travel to Oundle Pool for swimming lessons on Friday mornings starting on **Friday 20th April**.

Miss Guy has sent out a swimming permission letter outlining what you need to know. To give as many of our children the opportunity of swimming we rely on volunteers to assist staff with non-swimmers. If there are any parents or carers who are willing to come along and get in the pool on a Friday morning please speak to Miss Guy.



Parent Volunteers needed!

Thank you to those parents who have volunteered already to help in school. We are still looking for more volunteers to come to school to listen to children read and help practise spellings. If you could spare a morning/afternoon a week, please see your class teacher.



PFA Easter Egg Hunt

A big thank you to Mrs Campo for organising the Easter Egg Hunt and an equally big thank you to the PFA for supplying the Easter Eggs and "Name The Bunny competition", which raised over £40 towards funds.



School Uniform

When we return for Term 5, children are welcome to wear our Summer uniform, which is red and white gingham dresses, or grey shorts rather than long trousers. These items as well as white polo shirts may be bought from many supermarkets. However, the key items of school uniform, sweatshirts, V necked jumpers and cardigans, bearing our logo, are only available from www.coolcatsclothing.co.uk. (No other cardigans/sweatshirts, please.)



Lost and Found

Unfortunately, many children have recently misplaced jumpers, cardigans, shoes and PE t-shirts. Please can you check at home that your child has not accidentally taken someone else's clothing home.

If you have any suggestions or questions about any of the items in this newsletter please do not hesitate to speak to me or a member of staff.

And finally best wishes from us all for a Happy Easter and we look forward to welcoming you back on **Tuesday 17th April!**

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely,

Mr E Carlyle
Executive Headteacher