



Forefield News

Dear Parents/Carers,

Nursery have been in superhero training this week, helping Supertato battle the evil pea. Rowen group also had a wonderful day visiting Acorn Farm on Tuesday. They got to meet lots of different animals and found out lots of different facts about them too. It is Oak groups turn next week. In Reception the children have been reading The Very Busy Spider and comparing this to The Very Hungry Caterpillar. The children have been watching their caterpillars grow and change into a chrysalis and this week the first butterflies arrived. The children excitedly studied their colours, shape and patterns using magnifying glasses. Year 1 children have been thinking about questions this week and generating their own questions they would like to ask Laika. Year 1 have also been working incredibly hard, brushing up on their phonics skills in preparation for the phonics screener check, which will take place after the half term. The Phonics Screen Check is a statutory assessment of children's phonics knowledge and decoding skills. Year 2 have been learning about fractions in math's lessons this week, looking at a half, a quarter and a third of a shape and a number. In English they have started reading their new text Tin Forest and will continue exploring this next week.

As you will have read in our newsletter a few weeks back, one of our Reception pupils, Holly, is courageously battling stage 4 neuroblastoma and was recently recognised for her bravery at the Pride of Sefton awards. With the agreement of Michael's Mum, Sally, we will donate the incredible £418 raised on Michael's day last week, to Holly's 'Give Holly Hope' fundraising page, which has recently been set up to support her future treatments and give Holly every chance to beat this dreadful disease and get back to school with her friends. We are currently in the process of planning some further fundraising events, the details of which we will share soon. I have included the link below for any families wishing to donate to her campaign.

<https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/hollyscampaign>

Next week is our final week of the half term and the children are completing end of term assessments to showcase their learning this half term. As we head to the final half term, we have lots of exciting learning and enrichment activities planned, so please make a note of the key dates at the bottom of this newsletter.

Congratulations to class 8 for being our attendance winners this week with 99%.

Mrs Roberts

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PE Days - Summer 1 Term

<u>PE Timetable</u>		<u>Forest School Timetable</u>
Nursery	Wednesday/ Friday	No Sessions
Class 1	Thursday	No Sessions
Class 2	Tuesday	No Sessions
Class 3	Monday	No Sessions
Class 4	Monday & Thursday	No Sessions
Class 5	Monday & Wednesday	No Sessions
Class 6	Wednesday & Thursday	No Sessions
Class 7	Tuesday & Thursday	No Sessions
Class 8	Tuesday & Friday	No Sessions
Class 9	Monday & Thursday	No Sessions

Key Dates

Mon 18 th May	MVLT 0-3 Stay & Play @ Valewood Primary 3.45pm - Prospective Parent Tour
Tues 19 th May	Nursery Trip to Acorn Farm (Oak)
Wed 20 th May	Author Visit – Reception to Yr2.
Thurs 21 st May	New Parents Meetings - 5.15pm – Nursery / 6pm – Reception
Fri 22 nd May	Year 2 Trip to Imagine That SENCO Drop in meetings – please email our SENCO email address to book an appointment. 3.30pm – End of half term
Mon 1 st June	INSET DAY
Tues 2 nd June	Children return to School Reception Smoothie Workshop
Mon 8 th June	Phonics Screener Assessment Week
Thurs 11 th June	9.15am Prospective Parent Tour
Mon 15 th June	Yr2 Children’s University Graduation Ceremony @ Edge Hill University
Tues 16 th June	UK Military School Sports Day – AM – Year 2 / PM – Reception
Wed 17 th June	UK Military School Sports Day – AM – Year 1 / PM – Nursery
Tues 23 rd June	Yr2 Smoothie Workshops
Wed 24 th June	Yr1 Healthy Teeth Workshops
Thurs 25 th June	Whole School Transition Day 1
Fri 26 th June	Whole School Transition Day 2
Fri 3 rd June	FOFIS Summer Fun Day
Mon 6 th July	3.45pm - Prospective Parent Tour
Wed 8 th July	2pm -Year 2 End of Year Production
Thurs 9 th July	2pm - Year 2 End of Year Production