

Leatherhead Trinity School and Nursery Inspiring Learning, Unlocking the Future Summer Term Newsletter No. 32 Friday 16th June, 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week, Year 6 attended their Leavers' Service at Guilford Cathedral. This service happens every June for all Year 6 pupils who attend a school in The Diocese of Guildford (all church schools). Guildford Cathedral is a very impressive cathedral and the children and staff were in awe of the experience! During the service, led by The Rt Revd Andrew Watson (Bishop of Guildford) the children had the opportunity to reflect upon their 'wow moments' in Year 6 and to think about their transition into secondary school. The children came home with mementos of the day including a 'ticket to secondary' and a pipe cleaner person to represent an adult that they wished to thank God for.





FREE Ukulele Lessons!

Surrey music service are offering free ukulele lessons for 6 children (KS2 only) starting this term if possible. They provide the instrument and the taught session which would be in school on a Friday. Please call or speak to the office if you are interested as places are to be offered on a first come first served basis.

Mrs Elizabeth Killin Headteacher



Upcoming Events This Month

Monday 19th June – Stay and Pay Sessions New Reception Sep 2023

Tuesday 20th June - Year 1 assembly, Hedgehog and Squirrel Classes

Tuesday 20th June - Rounders Tournament – The Raleigh

Wednesday 21st June - Sport's day for Nursery and Reception classes

Friday 23rd June – Stay and Pay Sessions New Reception Sep 2023

Monday 26th – Tuesday 26th June - Year 4 camping trip

Tuesday 27th June - Year 2 Badger and Fox Class assembly

Wednesday 28th June - Meet the teacher day/ Year 6 at Therfield

Friday 30th June - FOLT – Ice Cream Sale

Attendance



Class	Week Ending 09/06/23	Week Ending 15/06/23
Bumblebee	100%	99.20%
Ladybird	95.83%	88.75%
Hedgehog	93.75%	<mark>97.40%</mark>
Squirrel	<mark>99.25%</mark>	99%
Badger	93.6%	93.85%
Fox	<mark>98.05%</mark>	94.2%
Chestnut	90.4%	<mark>97%</mark>
Oak	<mark>99.01%</mark>	96%
Maple	93.9%	<mark>97.5%</mark>
Eagle	100%	96.1%
Hawk	90.6%	92.8%
Kestrel	96.45%	<mark>97.30%</mark>
100 % Attendees	314	291

Our amazing Bumblebees have won again with a huge 99.2% this week – a brilliant score! And a big well done to Squirrel Class who will be welcoming Gus the hamster next week as they got 99%. Maple Class are hard on their heels though with 97.5% and it is great to see Kestrel, Hedgehog and Chestnut all hitting the 97% target - another great week! Only 10 more days till the June wrist bands are given out too!

Mrs Gray Deputy Headteacher

Words of the Week

As a school, we have done lots of work with the children on developing their vocabulary. Each week we share our words of the week (linked to our topic and curriculum learning) and unpick what they mean. We use the word in different contexts, find synonyms, act them out, draw pictures and many more strategies to help us to remember them.



Developing children's vocabulary really impacts their speaking skills as well as their reading and writing. Listed below are next week's words of the week so you can discuss these with your children at home!



Words of the week next week:-

Year 5 and Year 6 – Devotion & Prestige
Year 3 and Year 4 – Decibel & Evaluate
Year 1 and Year 2 – Continents & Oceans
Reception – Crown & Defence

Christian and Learning Values Well done to the following children who received a values award this week:

Commitment: Lily W (Hawk), Natalia L (Kestrel), Alfie G (Maple), Romina D-M (Fox), Alisa K (Badger), Charlotte M (Squirrel), Rowan M (Squirrel), Ada T (Hedgehog), Vari B (Oak), Amriel S (Oak), Ellie-May G (Eagle)

Perseverance: Jayden P (Badger)
Resilience: Kyle D (Chestnut),

Fine Diners

Winners this week

David S, Mason P, Evie T, Luvaniel W, Ross S, Bridielouise K and Tyler B-W

Well Done!

Top Classes for using TTRS this week



1st Oak 2nd Eagle 3rd Maple

Highest number of coins this Year Most Improved Studio Speed

 1^{st} Aniketh 1^{st} Logan 2^{nd} Caleb 2^{nd} Darcie 3^{rd} Amriel 3^{rd} Lara

Numbots (Key Stage 1) - highest number of coins earned this year

1st Curtis

2nd Yevhenii

3rd Nam

House points -

1st Phoenix 2nd Griffin 3rd Dragon 4th Unicorn





The school nursing service are running three online sessions on school readiness in September 2023 for parents of reception and year 1 children. The sessions will cover toileting, sleep routines and healthy lifestyles.

These sessions will be held virtually via Microsoft Teams on the following dates:

Tuesday 5th September: 2.00 – 2.45pm Thursday 14th September: 09:30 – 10:15am Monday 18th September: 4.00 – 4.45pm

If you would like to join, please email this address <u>csh.schoolnurseadminneq@nhs.net</u> with the following information.

- Name of School.
- The date you would like to attend.

Once you have emailed, you will then receive a Microsoft Teams link to log on to the session near the time.

Mrs Gattey

Designated Safeguard Lead/ Assistant Headteacher

District Sports



Well done to all who took part in this year's District Sports Event. We came 3rd in our school category!







Our track and field kit was generously







Achievements



Harper E from Eagle class and her cheerleading team came 3rd place at the Brighton Future Cheer competition.



Isabelle F from Oak class passed her level 4 swimming on Wednesday.



Matilda E from Hedgehog class won a prize from the Lego bridge-building competition at Leatherhead Library during the May half term.

District Sports Finalists

Y6 Boys 80m relay final 3rd place (Mason, Viktor, Wakil, Finley, Daniel Tommy)

Y5 600m final (800m but it was too hot) 3rd place Benji

Y6 80m sprint final 2^{nd} place Wakil

Y6 Throwing final 2nd place Harry I

Y6 600m final (800m but it was too hot) 3rd place Tommy S

Y3 60m sprint finals 5th place Mouna

Learning in Squirrel Class

This week has been very busy in class! In **maths**, the children have been learning left and right. They have also been learning forwards, backwards, above and below. One of the activities involved describing a grid to their partner and their partner had to draw it out. When it was done the children compared grids!



In **literacy**, some of the children in class listened to Handa's Surprise and acted out parts of the story. The children wrote a sentence about their favourite part and included a conjunction. They ordered events from the story and wrote sentences, using the past tense, explaining what was happening.











In guided reading we have been

reading a lovely book called 'Chicken in the Kitchen' by Nnedi Okorafor and Mehrdokht Amini. The story is about a brave girl called Anyaugo who finds a chicken in her kitchen in the middle of the night who wants to eat all the food they have been making for the Yam Festival. With the help of the Wood Wit, Anyaugo saves the day. The children really enjoyed finding the Wood Wit hidden in all the pictures!

In **PSHE**, the children learned about how to keep themselves safe in the sun. The children started the lesson by reading a passage with their partner and then working out what we were going to learn about. Children then chose items from a bag and they had to decide if they help or do not help us stay safe in the sun. We all decided that applying sun lotion, drinking water, wearing sunglasses, hats and t-shirts can keep us safe. We also talked about when the sun is at its hottest and how we can avoid this by going inside or sitting in the shade.





In **free-flow** the children have been playing lots of phonics games and reading books in our book corner.





The children have completed their Phonics Screening Checks this week and we are extremely proud of them. We have also been busy rehearsing for our year 1 assembly and we are looking forward to sharing this on Tuesday.

Mrs Ingle and Mrs Inci





Book recommendations

The children have been sharing their book recommendations this week. Elouise recommends 'The Gruffalo' by Julia Donaldson, "It's a good book to read. I like the ending when Squirrel finds a nut to eat." Ross, recommends 'The Smeds and the Smoos' also by Julia Donaldson. "The ending is great – they have a purple baby!" If you want to find out more about these stories, Elouise and

Ross would enjoy talking to you about them.

Squirrel Class

Dates for your diary

Date	Event	Time
Monday 19 th June	Stay and Play Session Reception 2023 Parents	2.15pm – 2.55pm
Tuesday 20 th June	Rounders Tournament – The Raleigh	1pm
Tuesday 20 th June	Year 1 Assembly	9am
Wednesday 21 st June	Sport's day for Nursery and Reception classes -Bumblebee & 1 st half of Nursery AM. Ladybird and 2 nd half of nursery PM.	AM/PM
Friday 23 rd June	Stay and Play Session Reception 2023 Parents	2.15pm – 2.55pm
Monday 26 th – Tuesday 26 th June	Year 4 camping trip	Overnight and both days
Tuesday 27 th June	Year 2 Class assembly	9am
Wednesday 28 th June	Meet the teacher day/ Year 6 at Therfield	All Day
Friday 30 th June	FOLT – Ice Cream Sale	3pm
Tuesday 4 th July	Year 4 class assembly	9am
Tuesday 4 th July	FOLT – Clothes Collection	AM
Wednesday 5 th July	Sports Day for KS1 and KS2 – timings TBA	All Day
Friday 7 th July	FOLT – Mufti Day Donations for Colour Run	All Day
Saturday 8 th July	FOLT – Colour Run	12pm – 3pm
Tuesday 11 th July	Year 5&6 show at St Johns	2pm + 6pm
Tuesday 11 th July	Year 3 and 4 at the Tower of London	All Day
Wednesday 12 th July	Rock Steady Concert	10-11am
Friday 14 th July	Year 6 festival	6-8pm
Friday 14 th July	FOLT – Ice Cream Sale	3pm
Monday 17 th July	Year 5 and 6 trip to Littlehampton Beach	All Day

Tuesday 18 th July	*NEW* Glee Club – Pantastic Show – School	9.30am
	Hall	
Tuesday 18 th July	FOLT – Summer Disco	Afterschool
Wednesday 19th July	NEW* Glee Club – Pantastic Show – School	2pm
	Hall	
Thursday 20 th July	Year 6 Leavers assembly	2pm
Friday 21 st July	FOLT - Ice Cream Sale	1.10pm
Friday 21st July	End of Summer Term	Early Closure
		1.20pm – Nursery,
		Reception and Key Stage 1
		1.30pm – Key Stage 2
Tuesday 5 th September	Start of term	*NEW* school day
		timings:
		Reception, KS1 and KS2
		8.50am – 3.20pm
		Nursery 9am-3pm