

Leatherhead Trinity School and Nursery
Inspiring Learning, Unlocking the Future
Summer Term
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Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a pleasure to welcome parents and carers into the school over that last few weeks as we complete our cycle of class sharing assembles. This Tuesday, Year 4 shared with us their residential experience at ACS Cobham. They cleverly informed us of their activities in a chat show style with presenters. We were also able to hear the children very clearly as the Rotary Club have kindly sponsored a new sound system for us. Thank you to David Slater and his committee members!

Sports Day is taking place on **Wednesday 12th July** from **9.30am** (Rock Steady concert starts at 9am). Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 will have their events in the morning. Year 1 and Year 2 will have their events in the afternoon. Parents and carers are warmly invited to have a picnic lunch from 12-1pm on the field. Year 6 will be running enterprise stalls and FOLT will be selling refreshments.

Tomorrow, FOLT are hosting the **Summer Colour Run**. Every pupil has been sponsored a place to take part in the colour run so please do make sure that you sign up to a chosen slot! Additional spaces can be secured for £5. There will be additional stalls and plenty to keep spectators occupied. If you would like to volunteer to help, please sign up to a slot following the link https://volunteersignup.org/BDMR3

Mrs Elizabeth Killin Headteacher

Attendance



Class	Week Ending	Week Ending	Week Ending	Week Ending	Week Ending
	09/06/23	15/06/23	23/06/23	30/06/23	07/07/23
Bumblebee	100%	99.20%	98.3%	100%	98.9%
Ladybird	95.83%	88.75%	89.7%	85.2%	88.7%
Hedgehog	93.75%	<mark>97.40%</mark>	94.3%	<mark>97.7%</mark>	92.5%
Squirrel	<mark>99.25%</mark>	99%	96.4%	<mark>97%</mark>	95%
Badger	93.6%	93.85%	91.5%	91.55%	94.2%
Fox	<mark>98.05%</mark>	94.2%	86.2%	92.3%	91.5%
Chestnut	90.4%	<mark>97%</mark>	<mark>97.27%</mark>	96.35%	88.79%
Oak	<mark>99.01%</mark>	96%	<mark>97.4%</mark>	94.8%	92.95%
Maple	93.9%	<mark>97.5%</mark>	<mark>97.6%</mark>	96.8%	91.5%
Eagle	100%	96.1%	95.15%	<mark>98%</mark>	94.85%
Hawk	90.6%	92.8%	90.3%	92.2%	89.7%
Kestrel	96.45%	<mark>97.30%</mark>	95%	91.5%	91.14%
100 % Attendees	314	291	276	290	256

It seems that nothing can stop Bumblebee this term – I am SO impressed and amazed by their attendance week after week. I am very pleased that Eagle are chasing them though with another fine score this week! There are only 10 more days of term which means 10 more days until the July wrist bands are handed out and of course the golden badges for a whole term's attendance. Last but not least, we will be giving out the highly prized badges for a whole year of perfect attendance. If you are a family who has to provide medical evidence for your child's absence then please be aware this remains the case in September.

Mrs Gray

Deputy Headteacher

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

Commitment: Ava O'A (Hawk), Benjamin G (Kestrel), Ruby W (Maple), Agarvin M (Badger), Arthur P (Badger), Henrik L (Squirrel) Isaac E (Squirrel), Darcie S (Eagle)

Fine Diners

Winners this week

Ellie R, Volodymyr T, Cameron J, Isaac G, Tristan G, Nathan F, Jayden R & Joel P

Well Done!



School Communication System

The school will be changing the system we use to communicate to parents – we currently use SchoolComms. The new system (called SCOPAY) will integrate most services including the booking of clubs, parents' evenings etc. We plan to use this system from Monday 17th July. All balances/bookings will automatically be transferred to the new system.

Please look out for new communication in the coming week.

School Admin Team



Badger Class Learning

Badger class have enjoyed learning all about our current topic "Our wonderful world".

The children have been learning about the continents and oceans around the world and it has been lovely hearing their enthusiastic voices joining in the continents song, they have used team work to create their own jigsaw maps with all the continents and oceans on.



We also read the lyrics and sang along "What a wonderful world" from Louis Armstrong.

The children have been learning about the Equator, the Northern Hemisphere and Southern Hemisphere and how this effects each part of the world giving us different climates.

It's going to be a bit warmer than Scotland because it's closer to the Equator- Louie-Rose

The Equator



I can hear the raindrops in the heavy rain-Agarvin

This week we have learned about weather patterns in the UK. Badger class have enjoyed role playing weather forecast presenters using our scripts and recording their about different types of weather.

their observations about different types of weather.



The south of the country has the best weather today. It's cloudy most of the day but sunny this afternoon.- Freddie

In the East it's rainy all day today, I'm afraid.
The temperature is around 13°.- Cameron



Miss Repiso Badger Class Teacher

Recommended read by Radha and Ledjon BEAKY MALONE Worst ever school trip

By Barry Hutchison

On a school trip to Learning Land, Beaky is horrified to be partnered with Wayne, the school bully. Despite trying to keep a low profile, Beaky blurts out in front of the class that Wayne is petrified of clowns and his last encounter with Clumso, the theme park's mascot, resulted in Wayne wetting himself in terror. The furious bully vows to pulverise Beaky at the earliest opportunity.

"I like the clown when he scares the bully, it's funny. I like the pictures" Ledjon

"I enjoyed reading this book because I think Learning Land is an exciting place. I think inside the volcano there are things you might find, random things like snails, books and pizza. This book is funny - there is a boy with six nipples and the main character wants to marry the angry dinner lady, the main character's sister has hairy troll feet". Radha

Top Classes for using TTRS this week



1st Oak 2nd Badger 3rd Fox

Highest number of coins this Year

Most Improved Studio Speed

 1^{st} Victor 1^{st} Oscar 2^{nd} Aniketh 2^{nd} Mateo 3^{rd} Mateo 3^{rd} Maria

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

1st Zakaria-Hussain

Achievements



Albie in Year 3 won 2nd place in a fishing competition. Albie did this without any help and won a fishing rod as the prize.

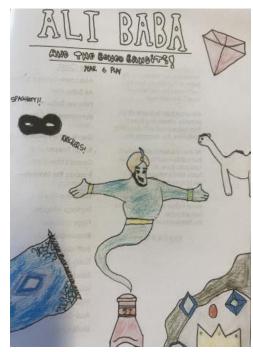
Well done!

Eagle Class Learning

Eagle class have been having an even busier time than usual over the last two weeks as we prepare for the end of year shows and church services.

Over the last few weeks, we have enthusiastically learnt, memorised and sung (some of the more creative children even created routines to go along with each of the songs) the songs for the Year 6 show, 'Ali Baba and the Bongo Bandits.' Last week, we started practising with Year 6 in our hall, this week we had our first rehearsal in the theatre at St John's swiftly followed by our first performance with a live audience of Years 1 and 2 on Thursday. The show is a genuine extravaganza and an assault (in the nicest possible way) on the senses. Book your tickets now. Don't miss out.

Returning to the curriculum, we are finishing our explanation texts about the ancient Egyptian process of mummification. This has been particularly fascinating as we recently saw some genuine 3,000 year old mummies in the British Museum therefore learning how this preservation is possible



has been truly eye-opening. We have made this an informal piece of writing with a chatty style and the injection of humour. For example a couple of children opened with the line, "My mother told me to marry an Egyptian: they make great mummies."

In maths, we have started learning about metric conversions. Having mastered multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1,000 and looked at equivalence between fractions and decimal numbers it has been a natural next step.

Mr Gattey Eagle Class Teacher

Dates for your diary

Date	Event	Time
Saturday 8 th July	FOLT – Colour Run & School Fair	12pm – 3pm
Tuesday 11 th July	Year 5&6 show at St Johns (Admission by ticket only)	2pm + 6pm
Tuesday 11 th July	Year 3 and 4 at the Tower of London	All Day
Wednesday 12 th July	SPORTS DAY KS1 & KS2	KS2 AM & KS1 PM 9.30am Start
Wednesday 12 th July	Rock Steady Concert	9am
Thursday 13 th July	Governors Awards Ceremony	2-3pm
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
Monday 17 th July	*NEW* Year 1 and 2 Church Service – Methodist Church	1.45pm
Tuesday 18 th July	Glee Club – Pantastic Show – School Hall	9.30am
Tuesday 18 th July	*NEW* KS2 Church Service -Parish Church	1.45pm
Tuesday 18 th July	FOLT – Summer Disco	Afterschool
Wednesday 19 th July	Glee Club – Pantastic Show – School Hall	2pm
Thursday 20 th July	Year 6 Leavers assembly	2pm
Friday 21 st July	FOLT - Ice Cream Sale	1.10pm
Friday 21 st 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

