

Summer Newsletter 1

It has been a busy fortnight since returning to school following the Easter break and the children have been working hard on their new topics.

Year 3 enjoyed their trip to Magna to launch their science work on magnets and their geography work on volcanoes. A big thank you to the parents and carers who came along to help. Year 3 also learnt lots from their special visitor on Romans day.

Year 4 had a wonderful experience on their Egyptian day, learning lots about different aspects of life in Ancient Egypt. They explored many different artefacts and learnt why the River Nile was so important.

Year 5 have started their Rainforest topic and it isn't long until they will be visited by Zoolab and will experience lots of exotic creatures!

Year 6 are learning about the Golden Age of Islam this term. There are lots of amazing art opportunities planned over the next few weeks and we are looking forward to seeing what they can create!

Collaboration Meeting

Another reminder that all parents and carers are invited to a meeting about our future collaboration with West Bridgford Infant School on Wednesday 8th May at 6.30pm. The meeting will take place at the Infant School. You can confirm your attendance as well as leaving any comments and questions via the link below:

<https://forms.office.com/e/zFsB7C4sMG>

Art Exhibition Thanks

A big thank you to all those who supported our children by attending the art exhibition at the Methodist Church last weekend. It was lovely to see so many of you there and I'm sure you will agree that the art work was of a really high standard. A big thank you to all the staff involved in putting it together and especially to Mrs Cox who co-ordinated the event.

Food festival

Don't forget that our Community Food Festival will be returning for its third year on **Saturday 18th May 11.00 – 3.30pm**. Please save the date!

We have some amazing food vendors confirmed. Vegetarian Rasoi, Falaffel Baffle, Aficionadoughs Pizza, All Flavaz Jamaican inspired cuisine, Chloe's Cupcakes and Blackbird Coffee.

The Circus company who joined us last time will be returning and we will have a range of entertainment, including our school samba band, a local jazz band and choirs from the infants and juniors.

To help us put on this brilliant event, we have decided to have a **non-uniform day on Friday 3rd May**. You will be able to make a small donation on Parent Pay and more details of how to do this will be shared early next week.

HSA Raffle

Even if you aren't attending the curry and quiz tonight, you can still take part in the raffle and help raise important funds for the school. There are some fantastic prizes and the draw isn't until 9.30pm this evening. Please use the link below to get involved:

<https://app.galabid.com/curryandquiz>

Key dates for the rest of the year

Wednesday 8th May 6.30pm
Week beg 13th May
Saturday 18th May
Mon 27th – 31st May
Friday 21st June
Friday 28th June
Week beg 8th July
Wednesday 10th July
Week beg 15th July
Friday 19th July
Tue 23rd & Wed 24th July
Friday 26th July

Collaboration Meeting at Infant School
Year 6 SATs week
Community Food Festival
Half Term
Maths Day
INSET Day
Year 3/4 Health and Sport Week
Class swap morning
Year 5/6 Health and Sport Week
Year 6 leavers party
Year 6 production
Year 6 leavers assembly