

## Summer Newsletter 2

The academic year is flying by and we continue to pack the weeks full of wonderful learning opportunities and experiences for the children.

**Year 3** have been working on writing newspaper articles in English, based on their roman ruler and rebel topic. In Art, the children have created some amazing mosaics in the style of Jim Bacher. We are so proud of the work they have produced. All the children have loved getting stuck in to the different opportunities health and sport week provided and enjoyed competing at sports day last Wednesday.

**Year 4's** Egyptian topic remains in full swing, including that very common practice of mummifying oranges. We've been making telephones as part of our Science focus on Sound, whilst Cricket and Athletics are our final two PE units for the year. And if you want someone to tell you what kind of house you live in, and where, but in French, then year 4 are the folk to ask!



The highlight of the last few weeks for **Year 5** has been the start of our life cycles topic. Zoolab visited with some amazing rainforest animals and we're looking after our caterpillars so that we can watch them change in to butterflies.

**Year 6** have begun rehearsals for their end of year production 'School of Pop'. We've still been very busy in between times planning and writing our own Arabian Tales as part of our topic, 'Golden Age of Islam'. In maths we've been engaging in some work to prepare for our transition to Year 7 with a special visiting teacher from WBS to teach us all about amazing sequences! We've been finishing off our awesome clay minarets in art by creating Islamic inspired backgrounds – they really do look wonderful!

### Health and Sport week

This week has been health and sport week for our year 3 and 4 children. They have taken part in a range of exciting sports including urban hockey, glow in the dark dodgeball and trampolining.

They had a visit from ex-Olympic gymnast Sam Oldham who wowed them with his flips and taught them some gym skills.

The children also had an assembly all about how to keep safe in and around water.

## HSA Summer Fair

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June is our annual summer fair. This will take place at Cottages after school until 5.30pm.

We are currently collecting items for the tombola and hampers. Each year group has a different colour:

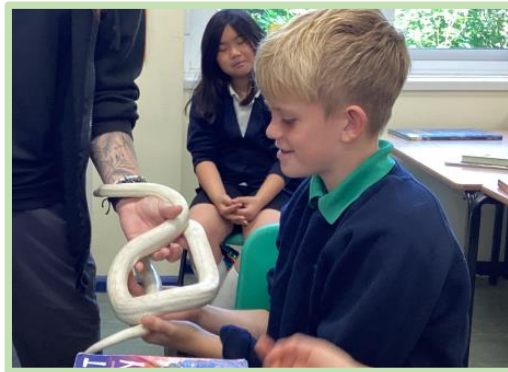
Year 3- red

Year 4- blue

Year 5- green

Year 6- yellow and orange

Donations to be brought into school as soon as possible. Thank you



## Halle Orchestra Trip

Last Friday our School orchestra, made up of musicians from Year 5 and 6, visited the Royal Concert Hall. They had the incredible opportunity of listening to and then accompanying the Halle Orchestra.

It was a fantastic event and was thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended.

## Summer Term Dates

Mon 23<sup>rd</sup> June

Wed 25<sup>th</sup> June

Fri 27<sup>th</sup> June

Wed 2<sup>nd</sup> July

Fri 4<sup>th</sup> July

Wed 9<sup>th</sup> July

Fri 11<sup>th</sup> July

Wed 16<sup>th</sup> July

Fri 18<sup>th</sup> July

Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> & Wed 23<sup>rd</sup> July

Fri 25<sup>th</sup> July

Y5/6 Sports day @Cottages

Y3/4 Music showcase 1.45pm and 6pm

Non- uniform (bottles) and Summer Fair

Y5/6 Music showcase 1.45pm and 6pm

Class 4 assembly

Transition morning and parent's information evenings (on Teams)

Class 6 assembly

Rocksteady concert

End of year reports to parents

Year 6 production

Y6 Leavers assembly and last day of term

