



Welcome to our Jubilee edition of the school newsletter – **27.05.22**

Throughout this half term the children have worked tirelessly on so many aspects of their learning. We have seen the Nursery and Reception children planting seeds, Year 5 exploring space, Year 1 developing computer animations, Year 3 travelling to France, Year 4 painting like Impressionist artists, Year 2 working on e-safety and Year 6 learning about healthy lifestyles. It's been a busy half term!

SATS

Both Year 2 and Year 6 have taken their SATS tests this half term. Year 2 SATS are done very informally and the children do a little bit at a time. The children have been marvellous and have just taken it in their stride. Year 6 SATS are more formal and are held in exam conditions in the hall. The children approached the week with maturity and concentration and all the staff were very proud of them. Parents will find out how the children have done in the end of year reports. Well done Year 2 and Year 6.

EGGCITING NEWS

Throughout this half term we have had chicks in school. They arrived in the eggs and the children were able to watch them hatch in the incubator. Once they were born they were moved to a special pen with a heat lamp to keep them warm. The children across the school have visited the chicks and Willow class have done a great job looking after them and being substitute parents. They even had to teach the chicks to peck by tapping the ground! The chicks will return to the farm on Friday but it has been a great experience for all to have them here at school for a short while.



Children's Fete

The children all had the opportunity to attend the fete, put on for them especially by the PTA. The children enjoyed games such as 'Guess how many balloons there are in Tom's land rover' and the ever popular 'Hook a duck'. They also visited the tombola and the prize grabber. They all had a great time in the sunshine and our thanks must go to the PTA for organising such a great event. They raised £801 which is amazing so thank you for supporting your children with this.



What the children said.....

'The fete was amazing – I managed to have a go at everything and I got some great prizes.'

'I liked being able to go round with people in other classes.'

'I had fun!'

Jubilee Fun

As the Queen reaches 70 years on the throne, we wanted to celebrate her reign. All the children have made a crown which we have displayed on the grass area by the pedestrian path. They look amazing and very eye catching, I am sure you will agree.



On Thursday morning the children met with their buddy classes and made crowns and created artistic masterpieces.



The children then wore their crowns at our whole school picnic which we held on the field. It was lovely to see the children enjoying lunch with friends in all classes.



Well done to Year 3 who presented a Jubilee assembly to their parents at All Saints Church. The children shared lots of amazing facts about the Queen and sang a lovely celebration song. They also asked their families to join in with the National Anthem and everyone was very patriotic.

Here are a few of the things the children said about their assembly:

- Jessica - "My favourite part of the Jubilee celebration was learning the National Anthem and singing it".
- Ivy C - "I really enjoyed everything about our Jubilee celebration day, especially practising our songs".
- Lucas - "The best part of the Jubilee day was singing to our parents. I was quite scared before but afterwards I was proud and so were my parents".

Well done to all the children who entered the Jubilee Bake Off. We had over 150 entries and everyone did an amazing job. Well done to all the winners who will get free entry to the school disco at the end of the term along with a tuck shop voucher.



Each year group has taken a decade of the Queen's reign and have been finding out about what she has accomplished in that time. They have also looked at what else made that decade an amazing time and learnt a little bit about what she does and her role as our Queen.



We have all enjoyed the Jubilee celebrations and it has been a wonderful way to commemorate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee.

We all wish you a very happy half term and look forward to seeing you back in school on Tuesday 7th June.