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Dear Parents/Carers

CURRICULUM

Music

We are giving our KS2 children the opportunity to play their musical instruments during Collective Worship. Just before the Bank Holiday we had the pleasure of listening to **Freddie Landheer** and **Wills Dalrymple-Baker**.



Sport Round Up

Year 4 Mixed Tournament

A mixed team of eleven Year 4 players represented the school at a very wet and windswept Central Ajax ground in Warwick on Wednesday 25 April. During the course of the two-hour tournament we practically had all weathers thrown at us! In total we played six games: winning one, drawing two and losing three. A sterling effort from all involved... Some great goal, some great saves and everything in between! (**Charlie W** (c), **Oscar O**, **Rob A-H**, **Malachy M**, **Hannah P**, **Ella T-N**, **Nell T**, **Iris S**, **Charlotte D**, **Luke C** & **Oliver W**).



Boys Football



Last week the boys had their last match of the season, away to Thomas Jolyffe. We struggled to find our game in the first half conceding two goals due to a lack of marking and being caught on the break with counter attacks. However, after half time, we fought back levelling the score 2-2 with great goals from Rory and Max. Thomas Jolyffe then went ahead, for us to equalise again, thanks to Max: 3-3. A draw would have been a fair result, but we lost the game 4-3 with essentially the final kick of the ball! Such is football! (**Sam S** (c), **Alistair R**, **Rory H**, **Max P**, **Dan S**, **Wills D-B**, **Will S**, **Harry D** & **Milo C**).

Tag Rugby

Yesterday, seventeen children represented the school in a Tag Rugby Tournament, divided into an A & B team. Our A Team unfortunately fell prey to some refereeing decisions that went against them which knocked their confidence a little and possibly led them to lose some momentum in subsequent games. However, the refereeing was consistent and there was much learning for the children from these situations - which is part and parcel of sport.

Our B Team seemed to have a 'baptism of fire' against more well drilled opposition - seasoned players - who exploited their first outing as a team.

Interestingly, in playing for final overall positions, our two teams met in the last game of the day, with As beating the Bs 5-2. Overall though, it was an enjoyable afternoon with some good rugby on view from our children and the opposition they encountered.

(Max S, Jamie W, Alfie B, Ben L, Archie T, Izzie W, Chloe L, Maeve T, Max P, Milo C, Dan S, Harry D, Wills D-B, Will S, Ruby B, Charlotte B, & Alistair R).



Thank you to the parents for all their support with these teams and the logistics to and from events (and over the course of a season!). I cannot fulfil these opportunities without your support. Mr Foyle

Tea with Headteacher

The children who had tea with me today were: **Millie L** (YR), **Oscar E** (YR), **Emily T** (Y1) and **Ellie J** (Y2)



Lunchtime pupil of the week

This week the award was presented to **Serena M** (YR)



Team Points

The winners of the cup this week are **Avon Blues**. Well done!

Online Safety



National Online Safety

As part of our #WakeUpWednesday campaign, the National Online Safety Team have created a FREE online guide to parents regarding **Roblox**, the online game which is dubbed by its makers as 'the largest interactive social platform for play'.

The guide informs parents about the dangers associated with the platform and how they can reduce the associated risks, including, but not limited to; 'Chatting to Strangers', 'Griefing' and 'Cyberbullying', 'Online Payments' and 'Information Sharing'.

To access the free guide please visit:

<https://twitter.com/natonlinesafety/status/994235062852997124>

Lost property

Two cardigans (M&S ones) are missing from a girl in YR. Please check if your child has mistakenly picked them up in error? They are labelled with the name 'Serena Macdonald'. If found, please return to either Miss Moore or the school office. Thank you.



'A' Factor

Yes it's that time again... Time to start planning your acts – comedy, song and dance, drama and magic – all types of acts welcome but only 2 minutes long! Don't be shy – it's open to all (including Reception) and is great for developing confidence!



Registration forms have been sent home today – please return these by the **6th June** if you would like to enter!

The big day is June 15th with the rehearsal on the 8th June.

Stratford-upon-Avon Library Lego Club



The second Saturday of each month 11:00 - 12:00 pm. Next session is **Saturday, 12th May**.

Lego club is **FREE** for primary school aged children.

All children to be accompanied by an adult.

Please book a free ticket to reserve your place on www.eventbrite.co.uk

Children's Challenge

Last week's challenge: What was the difference between a suffragist and a suffragette?

Hannah Payne (Y4) got the correct answer which was that the suffragists believed in peaceful campaigning, whereas the suffragettes believed in direct action (violence and militancy).

This week's challenge

Name all the colours in the rainbow, in order

Finally

We would like to wish all the Y6 children well in their SATs next week. Children, please make sure that you get plenty of sleep, eat well and arrive at school ready to show us what you can do! You have worked so hard so just do your best next week – we cannot ask any more of you.

Enjoy the weekend

Yours sincerely

Krysia Vickery
Headteacher



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Name----- **Class**_____