

### **THANK YOU!**

Our Summer Fayre was a great success and we extend a BIG thank you to all of the PTA and staff who helped to set up the stalls and run them during the fayre.

The whole event was organised by Kerry King, Claire Lewis-Smith, Claire Ashton and Liz Smith and with their team of amazing helpers, they prepared the range of activities for you all to enjoy.

We are thrilled to have made over £2500 which will help us to redesign the Year 2 playground.

### **VALUES COMPETITION**

Please look out for a separate email with details of a competition we have launched today. Year 1 heard about this in assembly this morning and the F1, F2 and Year 2 children will talk about it with their teachers during the week.

## **Bedgrove Bits & Bobs 14<sup>th</sup> May 2018**

### **POLITE REMINDERS**

#### **Royal Wedding Mufti Day!**

Each Year Group will be celebrating the Royal Wedding in classes on **Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> May**. They would like to invite children to come into school wearing Red, White and Blue to celebrate this special day!

#### **Pet Therapy**

Reminder for parents to let us know about any pet allergies children have asap, as our sessions start this week.

Riley, the dog, is expected this Friday!

#### **Year 2 SATs**

This week the Year 2 children will be undertaking a series of 'quizzes' as part of our assessment process. Please remember that we are not calling them tests so they do not worry unduly. The team have planned a range of fun activities around these to help make the week more enjoyable.

#### **Sunflower Club**

Please note the booking forms for next terms Morning and Afternoon Sunflower Club will go live on Parent Mail tomorrow at 12pm. Please can all parents ensure that all outstanding invoices for this term are paid as soon as possible, Thank you.

### **Foundation 1**

This Friday, F1 will be holding a 'Crowns & Tiaras' street party for the royal wedding. We will be playing confetti parachute games, having a tea party and making our own crown's or tiara's. Please send your child in mufti. Thanks, the F1 team.

### **Year 2**

This Friday, Year 2 will be joining in the Royal Wedding celebrations with a series of creative and musical lessons to celebrate the happy occasion. We will also use this opportunity to talk through the role of the Royal family and to discuss who is in charge of the UK today.

Can we remind everyone to complete the Parent Mail forms for information about packed lunches and zoo passes, this is so we can finalise plans for our wonderful trip to Whipsnade in good time.

### **Foundation 2**

This Friday we will be celebrating the upcoming royal wedding. The children will be making decorations as well as making and decorating biscuits to enjoy during a Year group picnic. If you do not want your child to consume their biscuit at school, please let us know via the home school diary. We will contact parents and carers of children who have allergies to any of the ingredients to make alternative arrangements. We do not have any spare socks left in school. If your child comes home in a change of clothes from school, please could we ask that items are washed and returned promptly. If you have any socks you are able to donate, we would be very grateful.

### Year 1

The last 2 weeks of Summer 1 are very exciting in Year 1. Friday will have a royal wedding theme and to celebrate we would like the children to come into school in red, white and blue PE/sports clothing as we will still be having PE with Nathan. The children will also be making crowns, flags, bunting and decorating biscuits for a celebratory afternoon tea. They will be having rich tea biscuits (decorated in red, white and blue icing) and orange squash. If there is any reason why your child is unable to eat/drink these items, please let us know via your child's communication book. There will be no spelling test this week.

A final reminder that the Year 1 school trip to The Green Dragon Eco Farm takes place on Monday 21st (1P and 1A) and Tuesday 22nd (1HP and 1M). There are still a small number of children for whom we still await a completed permission slip, lunch form and payment. Without these we will not be able to take your child and they will have to remain in school. Further details have been written in the communication books of those concerned. Forms and payment should be made via Parent Mail.

To link in with the theme of the trip and our "Gardeners World" topic the children will be designing and making a "shoebox" garden. Please can you send your child in with a shoebox or other similar sized cardboard box on Monday 21st (1M and 1HP) and Tuesday 22nd (1P and 1A). If you are unable to provide a shoebox "Clarks" in town are usually happy to provide one alternatively cereal boxes are fine. Please note that we are unable to use boxes that have been used for cereal with nuts or traces of nuts so please check the box before sending it in. Over the next couple of weeks, we will be watching instalments of James and The Giant Peach by Roald Dahl. This is in preparation for our Summer 2 topic entitled "Home and Away" when we will be discussing how Aylesbury has changed over the years and comparing where we live to other areas. We will also be looking at the life and stories of Roald Dahl.