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Newsletter: 10th May 2021

Mental Health Awareness week

As I am sure you are aware, this week is Mental Health Awareness week. As we move out of the challenges of the last year, it is noticeable that many adults and children have been affected in some way by the lockdown and anxiety that has been created by Covid 19. In school, alongside the resources we already use to support pupils, we are going to use 'RISE' - Resilience in Schools and Education from The EdPsychEd Team. This will start with a whole school assessment so we can identify areas of strength and need. Please see the attached leaflet for more information. The site also hosts a parent hub that you may find useful.

[EdPsychEd Parent Hub | A Community of Support For Parents](#)

Another set of resources we will be using is Stormbreak. This site will encourage our pupils to take a step to better physical and mental health. There are lots of resources here for you to use at home with you children too. [home | stormbreak CIO](#)

Please take a look around these websites, there are many helpful resources

Science Week - Week commencing 24th May

During the last week of this half term, we will be focussing on science across the school. The pupils will have a visit from the Professor Bubbleworks workshops and will be taking part in a range of investigations and activities. We would love parents and our wider community to be part of this week, and would like to invite anyone who works or has an interest in science to share their knowledge and experience with one of our classes via a virtual link. Please drop me an email if this is something you would like to be involved in.

Communications

As school routines and teaching begin to return to normal, please note emails and Dojo messages will be answered weekdays between 8.00 am and 6 pm.

Please note that there is currently no one in the office on a Tuesday and Friday afternoon. If you need to phone school, please leave a message and we will get back to you asap.

Forest School—Tuesday

11th May—Swallow
18th May—Swift
25th May—Goldfinch

Signs in the Car Park

New signs have been displayed in the car park by the Parish Council about camping and dogs on the field so that the field is kept for a children's play area.

100 Club

The winners of the April draw were

1st	15	Margaret Pettigrew
2nd	24	Richard Groves
3rd	52	Kerryanne Hollis
4th	29	Clair Hogg

School Uniform

Just to remind you that school uniform is now available to purchase from our online shop:

<https://www.pbuniform-online.co.uk/longneycofe>

Please do check with the office first as we still have plenty of PE Kit and uniform in the office to purchase immediately while stocks last.



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Tuesday 11th May	Swallow Forest School
Tuesday 18th May	Swift Forest School
Tuesday 25th May	Goldfinch Forest School PCSO visit – Road Safety – Swallow, Skylark, Goldfinch
Wednesday 26th May	Professor Bubbleworks Science workshops
Friday 28th May	Break up for half term