



Over Primary School Newsletter

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"I thoroughly enjoyed it and it was very exciting!" Oscar, Yr 5



New summer menus

Upcoming dates

- Year 4 residential at Burwell House 13-15 April
- FOPS Chocolate Bingo 22 April
- Robins' class assembly 27 April
- Nightingales' class assembly 4 May
- FOPS Quiz night 13 May
- Barn Owls' class assembly 25 May
- Family camping on school field 27 May
- FOPS golf day 5 June
- Hawks' class assembly 8 June
- Kites' class assembly 22 June
- Year 5/6 production wk. beg. 27 June
- EY & KS1 Sports morning 5 July
- KS2 Sports morning 6 July
- Reserve Sports morning in case of rain 7 July
- Year 6 leavers assembly 19 July
- Year 6 at SVC 20 – 22 July
- Parent drop-in 21 July
- Last day of term 22 July

See '[Term Dates](#)' under '[About Us](#)' tab on website for 2016-17 term dates.

[New guidance for parents from the NSPCC about keeping children safe online:](#)



Pirates vs Mermaids

On Tuesday the 22nd and Wednesday 23rd of March, Year 3/4 performed their play of Pirates verses Mermaids. The play was about the pirate in training, Captain Scarypants, who has to ask the mermaids to teach him how to swim so he can conquer his fear of water. At first they were deadly enemies but after the mermaids taught the pirates how to swim and the pirates saved the mermaids from the crocodile they became friends. There was lots of singing and dancing and it was all well performed. By Lina

Year 5 Netball tournament

[Click here to read Sophie & Chiara's report](#)

Annual parent carer survey

Thank you to those who have completed our annual survey. If you haven't yet had chance to do so please follow the link below:

www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/Par2016

Mural making

Children across the whole school have worked with local ceramic artist Paula Armstrong this term to begin creating a new 'Welcome to Over School' mural. They have each crafted a clay tile which will be fired, glazed and assembled to form the image of a willow tree, river and heron for the section of wall outside the school's main building entrance.





A new cooker for Reception's mud kitchen, built by the Fenwick family.

Running a mile for Sports Relief.



As well as a fantastic end of term concert, Orchestra play at the Day Centre.

Some Year 5/6 attend a teachers' conference to share how we're using Minecraft to engage and teach children across the curriculum.



PC Dan visits Early Years as part of their 'People who help us' topic.

Year 1/2s Mexican food making afternoon.

