

Guilden Morden Church of England (VC) School Newsletter

Friday 16th June 2017

Head teachers update

Another busy week with lovely weather. This week we introduced our new themed activities at lunchtimes, to develop their skills such as striking, target games, bouncing, balancing, skipping, pulling and building equipment. We hope that lunchtimes will be more enjoyable for the children and would welcome your feedback.

We would like to invite you to a Coffee Morning in the PreSchool 'Ark' on Tuesday 27th June at 09.15 am to meet the Governors and the new Head Teacher, Mr Jeremy Fisher.
Mr Wright



Our new improved website has now been relaunched, although is still 'work in progress'. Do have a look and we would welcome your comments.

Please delete any previously saved links in your browser and save your search again.
<http://guildenmorden.cambs.sch.uk/>

Swimming

We are planning to take the children swimming during the school day more than Wednesday P.E. class. Therefore, can you please ensure that your child's swimming bag comes to school every day.

Pre-School 'The Ark'

What a lovely week! Our Sports Day was on Thursday and the children did really well with lots of fun in the races, and the weather was beautiful.

We are learning about quantities, matching to numbers. Whilst playing on the bikes, a couple of children have achieved their learning target of riding

the bike!

Kristy



Cool Club

The children have created a natural den in the bamboo and used logs as seats. Ribbons were tied onto the branches for added attraction.

By request, the children made pitta pizzas, choosing their ingredients and sprinkling them on top. Some children even came back to eat a second one!

Helen Smith

Class 1 - 'Tigers'


This week Year 2 have been working very hard with their beautiful writing. They were all stuck on an island and sent a message in a bottle. Also a fantastic effort by Year 1 on their phonics tests too.

Reception have been building with shapes and writing all about the sea. On Wednesday we were so pleased to welcome the PreSchool Rising 5s, they painted beautiful portraits, thank you Class 1 for being gentle and welcoming to them.
Mrs Berrio



Class 3 - 'Owl'

We had a fabulous time at Kingswood, and as they children were so well behaved, and worked together

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| with great teamwork I am presenting the whole class with a certificate this week. Mrs Cooper |
| Class 2 - 'Fox' |
| Class 2 have been videoing their poetry performances and have been writing persuasive letters to our MP, Ms Heidi Allen about local issues that concern us, such as litter, cars speeding, dog mess etc.! Also we have been preparing for next week's mini-Olympics, getting stuck into fractions in Maths, and excited to learn about Ancient Rome. Mrs Dunnell |
| Oxford & Cambridge Singing School |
| Holiday courses in St Catharine's College, Cambridge on 24-28 July, for children aged 7-13 who love to sing. Learn to perform classical music with a team of professional singers and coaches www.oxbridgesingschool.co.uk |
| Uniform |
| Please order your Uniform for next year with Nicola Chapman nicolaachapman@googlemail.com |
| See the attached flyer to order your own personalised stamp to mark your belongings. Use the code to support and raise money for the PTFA. |
| Bags 2 School |
| We are collecting your old items for charity again. Good quality second hand clothing, shoes, hats, belts, handbags, ties and soft toys. Charity bags are coming home in the school bags today and we would appreciate your support as free fundraising for the school. <u>Collection Day: Monday 26th June, 9am</u> |
| PTFA: Teddy Bear's Picnic |
| Please join us for a really fun afternoon: lots of games, food, teddy's and treats! <u>Thursday 22nd June</u> <u>3.15-5pm</u> |
|  <p>Tickets must be purchased in advance from the office. £5 each (all inclusive event)</p> <p>Everyone welcome - main school, pre-school and siblings</p> |

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| AWARDS | |
| This week's Awards have been given to:- | |
| Code of Conduct: All of Pre-School for their Sports Day races, and Amy Doherty, Heather Weekes, and the whole of Class 3. Well done! | |
| Thought for the week: | |
| "Life is like a textbook. Every day is a chapter" | |
| Christian value: | |
| 'CO-OPERATION' Genesis 11: 1-4 1 Corinthians 14:40 Proverbs 27:17 | |
| Diary Updates and Reminders | |
| 20 th June | Mini-Olympics, years 3&4 |
| 22 nd June, 3.15pm | Teddy Bear's Picnic |
| 27 th June, 9.15am | Coffee Morning in the Ark |
| 28 th June a.m. | School Sports Day |
| 29 th June | Class 3: Hockey Final, St Ives |
| 5 th July (provisional) | Moving Up day |
| 5 th July, 6.30pm | Getting to Know Guilden (Pre-School to Reception) |
| 6 th July 9.30-12 | Open Day for PreSchool |
| 11 th July (Tuesday) | Faith Tour (Class 2 & 3) |
| 18 th July (Tuesday) 9.30am | Leaver's Church Service |
| 20 th July | LAST DAY OF TERM |
| 21 st July | Non-pupil Day |
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