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NEWSLETTER DATE 5th May 2023

NUTFIELD CHURCH (C OF E) PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made; your works are wonderful,
I know that full well. Psalm 139 v14



Coronation

On the coronation of King Charles III, which will be held tomorrow at Westminster Abbey, we wish the King a long and happy reign. Our thoughts, prayers and well wishes are with him, his wife Camilla, his wider family and the country as a whole. To read the liturgy with a useful commentary please follow the

link <https://www.churchofengland.org/sites/default/files/2023-04/23-24132%20Coronation%20Liturgy%20Commentary.pdf>

If you would like to leave a message of goodwill for the King please do add to the messages which are being collected on the Church of England's

website: <https://www.churchofengland.org/coronation/your-message-for-the-king>

Delphine's Cake Sale

A big well done to Delphine Sellick who organised a cake sale, to raise money for Teenage Cancer Trust on Friday 28th April. The total raised was an amazing £429.07. If you would like to know more about the Teenage Cancer Trust, please click on this link <https://www.teenagecancertrust.org/>

'Catch Up'

We alongside schools nationally, continue to monitor outcomes closely, following disrupted learning over the pandemic. As part of this we are offering additional reading/homework support and in some cases, tutoring. To this end we will be offering 1:1 and small group tutoring to some children. If your child has been selected then you will soon receive a letter via parent mail this week from Mrs Brooks our Acting Deputy Head.

Playtimes

We are soon to be out on the field and as soon as we can, everyone will be allowed on the new trim trail which everyone seems very excited about. New equipment has been bought for a range of activities.

Parent and Carer Questionnaire 2023

If not already done so, I would like to remind you to please complete the Annual Parent and Carer Questionnaire which was sent out on Wednesday 26th April. Please could you aim to complete the questionnaire by Wednesday 10th May 2023. Your contributions to this questionnaire will be invaluable to us as we plan our next steps of school development.

KS1 Special Challenges

Over the next month our Year 2 class will be undertaking their SATS tests. We refer to them as 'special challenges'. The tests themselves are completed in class or in the library, usually in smaller groups. We aim for the challenges to be very similar to normal lessons. As you can imagine, timetabling these groups over a number of statutory test conditions is challenging. We ask that no appointments are taken during this time if at all possible. If you have any queries about this week please do see me on the playground or speak with Mrs Cordey.

KS2 SATS

SATS will be taken from Tuesday 9th May to Friday 12th May. Mrs Cox has sent a letter to parents and carers about her special breakfast offer. We are very proud of the children and are looking forward to seeing them do well in the upcoming challenges. If you have any queries about this week please do see me on the playground or speak with Mrs Cox.

Reception (drop off arrangements)

Our lovely Reception class have been coming in beautifully this year and most are now ready to come straight into class in the same way as Y1-6 do. From June 6th we would like parents and carers to leave their children at (or near) the gate. We can adjust for any child who is not quite ready but we usually find that by this stage of the year, the children are glad to go in independently!

Victorian Day

Thank you to Mrs Matthews and Year 1 team for organising a special 'Victorian Day' today. The children have been learning about the lives and times of Victorian Britain. They have done some super learning and enjoyed dressing up! Well done to everyone involved. Photos will be up on the class' news page within the next few weeks.

Class Collective Worship

A reminder that our Year 1 and Year R special Class Worship are coming up soon. Parents and carers usually come along to these to watch their children talk to the whole school about their learning. Parents and carers are welcome to drop off as usual and then come to the front door to sign in. Please do come along.

Ark

We are currently looking to appoint a Play Worker to join the Ark, our before and after school club. No experience for the role of Play Worker is necessary, other than a desire to work with children as full training will be given to the successful applicant. The advert is for Monday to Friday, for afternoons only (3:15pm-5:30pm), term time only, however we would be happy for variants of this provided you could commit to the same day each week. The vacancy can be found on our eTeach page - <https://www.eteach.com/job/after-school-club-play-worker-1311700>

INSET days

INSET days are coming up on 5th and 6th of June. Do remember school is not open to children on these days.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend and looking forward to seeing you all on Tuesday.

Imogen Woods
Headteacher

DIARY DATES

PTFA Bags 2 School	Friday 5 th May
Victoria Day	Friday 5 th May
Bank holiday for King's Coronation	Monday 8 th May (School closed)
KS2 SATS - English grammar, punctuation and spelling (GPS) papers 1 (questions) and 2 (spelling)	Tuesday 9 th May
KS2 SATS – English Reading Paper	Wednesday 10 th May
KS2 SATS – Mathematics Paper 1 (arithmetic) and 2 (reasoning)	Thursday 11 th May
KS2 SATS - Mathematics Paper 3 (reasoning)	Friday 12 th May
Year 1 Class Collective Worship	Wednesday 17 th May
Biodiversity and Sustainability week	Monday 22 nd May-Friday 25 th May
Rounders Tournament Years 5 and 6	Tuesday 23 rd May
PTFA Non Uniform Day for bottles for the Summer Garden Party	Friday 26 th May
INSET Day	Monday 5 th June
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Rounders Tournament Year 3 and 4	Thursday 8 th June
Year 1 Cake Sale	Friday 9 th June
Year R Class Collective Worship	Wednesday 14 th June
Year 6 (2022/23) residential meeting	Thursday 15 th June 3.15pm – 4pm (Y6 classroom)
PTFA Wear trainers for sweets for the Summer Garden Party	Friday 16 th June
Sparkfish Think Space	W/C 19 th June
Year 2 Class Collective Worship	Wednesday 21 st June
Year 3 and 4 Indian Dance Workshop	Thursday 22 nd June
Year 6 Leavers' Service Southwark Cathedral	Friday 23 rd June
PTFA Summer Garden Party	Saturday 24 th June
Trinity Farm Blessing and Hopathon	Thursday 29 th June (9.30am blessing)
Sports Day	Friday 30 th June
Reports to Parents and Carers	Friday 30 th June
Reserve Sports Day	Monday 3 rd July
District Sports Field	Monday 3 rd July
Art Exhibition	Tuesday 4 th July – 3.30pm -5.00pm
Art Exhibition	Wednesday 5 th July – 1.30pm-5.00pm
Open Evening	Wednesday 5 th July – 3.15pm-5.00pm
Music Concert	Thursday 6 th July 2023 – 6.00pm -7.00pm
District Sports Track	Monday 10 th July
Year R Cake Sale	Friday 14 th July
Year 6 Production – dress rehearsal	Friday 14 th July 2023 – 2.00pm-3.00pm
Year 6 Production	Monday 17 th July 2023 – 6.00pm-7.00pm
Year 6 Production	Tuesday 18 th July 2023 – 6.00pm-7.00pm
Year 6 Leavers' Party	Wednesday 19 th July
Leavers' Service Christchurch	Friday 21 st July – 9.30am
INSET DAYS 2023/24	Friday 1 st September 2023
	Monday 4 th September 2023
	Friday 28 th June 2024
	Monday 22 nd July 2024
	Tuesday 23 rd July 2024