

# REASIDE NEWSLETTER 5TH MAY 2023



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# MESSAGE FROM MRS CARRIER

We have had a really wonderful day celebrating the King's Coronation! The whole school gathered outside together for a picnic, followed by a whole school outdoor play session. Take a look at our photos on the back page of this newsletter!

Next week, our year 6 children will sit their SATs tests. Although these tests are an important part of their education, they do not define our children. We have children who are exceptional artists, musicians and athletes and these tests do not allow them to showcase those talents. Whatever the outcomes, I would like to thank our year 6 cohort for working so hard this year - they have made huge progress! I would also like to wish them the very best of luck for what can be, a very stressful week for them (and for parents!) Remember, our SATs breakfast club is open to all year 6 pupils from 8am Tuesday - Friday next week. We hope to see all year 6 children there so that we can have some time together in the morning.

#### **BREAKFAST CLUB**

A reminder that our breakfast club runs every day from 8am. This is completely free! If you would like your child to attend, please book them in with the school office. We can not accept children just turning up on the day without prior notice.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**8th May** Coronation Bank Holiday

**9th - 12th May** Year 6 SATs week

**10th May** 4S trip to Blue Coat school

**11th May** 4C trip to Blue Coat school

**26th May** last day of half term **6th June** New year 2 transition from Holly Hill

20th June New year 2 transition from Holly Hill 19th June Year 3 to Hindu

**28th June** Year 2 SEND parent visit to Reaside



#### LET'S LOCALISE

We have started working alongside a charity called Let's Localise. They support schools with getting donations with anything from iPads, to books, to gardening equipment for the school. Please support us by joining the Let's Localise platform so that we can get our wish list out to as many people as possible!

#### www.letslocalise.co.uk

Please take a look at the website and give Reaside a follow.



#### **ACHIEVEMENTS OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL**

Congratulations to Patrick in 5W, who has been spotted by West Brom football scouts and has a trial for their team.

Good luck Patrick!

Bobby, who is also in 5W, has been pursuing his dream to become a professional boxer and has his first fight coming up in May. We hope it goes well, Bobby!

## AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS FOR THE SUMMER TERM

Monday - Debate Mate Tuesday - Netball Tuesday - Gardening (y3 &4) Wednesday - Multi-sports Thursday - Badminton

There are still places available at netball, gardening and badminton club!

#### THE WONDERFUL THINGS THAT WE ARE UP TO!

## **Buddhism workshop**

Our children immersed themselves in the Buddhist religion last week, with RE OnDemand.

The RE Buddha experience was good. We learned all about the special person Buddha and why he has a stick on his head in the statues and a halo in the pictures. The stick is a flame of fire to show he is special. We also held lots of special items like: a prayer flag, prayer spinners and beads to count for prayers as well. It was fun finding out new things.

Jazmin 4C

## **Eco Warriors**

Our Eco-Council and gardening club have been hard at work planting seeds to grow seedlings for our tower planter and new allotment space. We can't wait to get them planted!



#### **ATTENDANCE MATTERS**

# Attendance Ladder



Our school attendance target is 96%.

Best class attendance this week: 5J with an amazing 100%!

Whole school attendance figure year to date: 94%

#### **Class attendance:**



3OL - 97% 4S - 88% 5W - 90% 6K - 97%

3D - 95% 4C - 93% 5J - 100% 6B - 94%



### **Book swap**

We have now launched our book swap shed, which is located at the front of school. If you have any books which you would like to donate, we would really appreciate it!

We would love to see children, parents and staff using the book swap on a regular basis. Please help yourself to a book; all we ask is that you replace in with another to keep the shed full!

Happy reading!



