



As we reach the end of our third week at school, I feel extremely proud to reflect on the superb learning I've observed throughout school this week.

Our book swop, led by our Reading Ambassadors, has proved to be a huge success. Thank you to all of you for your super donations.

Our JLT and UNICEF leadership groups are enjoying working with Mrs Ashcroft as they plan for the year ahead.

Year 6 thoroughly enjoyed their magistrates visit on Monday and they are now preparing for their PGL residential in the first week in October.

The children have enjoyed playing alongside some of their peers at breaktime this week and it has been a real joy to come together as a whole school community again in our weekly assembly. This week, after careful consideration, we have taken the step to invite one parent/carer per family to see their child receive their star learner award in assembly on Fridays. We have asked parents to wear a mask if they can, and social distancing will be in place. Parents of children who are due to receive a star learner award on the Friday will be texted on Wednesday.

Our HSA meeting on Monday was very productive and we have some exciting new creative ideas about fundraising this year and these will be shared with you very soon.

You will have noted that we have postponed the whole school open morning. Instead we are planning year group open sessions after half term; having smaller groups, rather than a whole school session will better enable us to mitigate any Covid risks. Our aim this half term is to be hold face to face parent evenings on Tuesday 19th and Wednesday 20th October. More information will follow.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tuesday 28th Sept Individual and sibling photographs

Tuesday 28th Sept, Whole School Open Morning - **POSTPONED**

Monday 4th—Friday 8th Oct Year 6 Residential

Friday 15th Oct Y4 Harvest Festival, more info re parent attendance to follow

Tuesday 19th Oct, 3.30-6pm Parents Evening (face-to-face tbc)

Wednesday 20th Oct, 4.30-7pm Parents Evening (face-to-face tbc)

Friday 22nd Oct Teacher Training Day

Monday 25th—Friday 29th Oct Half Term

Monday 1st Nov Back to School

Change to Term Dates

You may be aware that an additional bank holiday has been agreed for Friday 3rd June 2022 in celebration of the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. Warwickshire schools will already be on their summer half-term holiday on this day. The Local Authority has decided that the additional one day holiday will therefore be taken on Friday 22nd July 2022, meaning that the **Summer Term 2022 will now end on Thursday 21st July 2022.**

Dogs



We have had an increasing number of parents bringing their dogs onto the school site. Please could we remind you that dogs are not to be brought onto the school grounds. Thank you.

Magistrates come to school!

On Monday, some real life magistrates came to teach Year 6 about crime and court. It was a really interesting start to our week— we discussed crime, law and punishment and learnt about the setup of a trial and people present. We found out about what types of crimes people commit and what punishments they can receive. Children over 10 can end up in court. By Vidhi, CTCN Reporter



Brilliant Book Swop 2021

This morning we had a book swop. We brought in a few books that we had already read and were happy to swap, and took home some new ones, giving us the opportunity to enjoy reading some new, interesting stories and broaden our knowledge. Evie in Year 6 was really excited to swap books with her friends.



Star Learners	★	Reading	%
Reception	Archie	YR	100
Year 1	Otto	Y1	100
Year 2	Reggie	Y2	100
Year 3	Otto	Y3	100
Year 4	Gabriel	Y4	100
Year 5	Mason	Y5	96
Year 6	Oliver	Y6	100
Whole School	Elliot G		



House Captains

Congratulations to our house captains, elected democratically by the children.

Dragon: Laila and Charlie

Phoenix: Leo and Sadie

Goblin: Alan and Evie

Unicorn: Roza and Lily

Sports Leaders

Our Sport Leaders for 2021—2022 are:

Year 5 Mya, Emily, Sam, Harry, George, Saihaj, Bo, Guy, James, Aiden, Lauren

Year 6 Oliver, Laura, Sadie, Daisy, Evie, Riley, Arlo, Akshit, Laila, Zachary, Alan, Roza, Una, Sophia, Lily

We're really excited to see what fantastic sporting events they will be planning and running for us!

UNICEF

We have already secured the UNICEF Bronze award and we are aiming for Silver and Gold this year. Our steering group, exploring children's rights and responsibilities are:

Year 1 Charlie, Edie

Year 2 Poppy, Marko

Year 3 Archie, Angelica

Year 4 Lacey, Dougie, Emily-leigh, Gabriel

Year 5 Eadie, George, Ksawery, Emily, Bo

Year 6 Laura, Anna, Riley

Victorian Day

Last week, Years 5 and 6 enjoyed a Victorian dress-up day for their current topic. The day started with drills, known as PE, followed by Victorian playground games such as hopscotch, skipping, chalk and marbles. We recited our times tables for one of the 3 Rs (reading, writing and arithmetic). Roza said her favourite part was Miss O'Kelly being REALLY strict, because she got to see a different side of her. She also enjoyed drills, where we all worked on our posture. Punishments included finger stocks, the Dunce's cap and the cane. "I had to wear the Dunce's cap—it was funny!" said Anna. By Emilia and Evie, CTCN reporters

Dinner Menu Week 2

Monday

Organic Pork Meatballs

Vegetarian—Jacket Potato

Tuesday

Brunch (Sausage, Bacon, Egg)

Vegetarian—Omelette

Wednesday

Roast Beef

Vegetarian — Veggie Toad in the Hole

Thursday

Chicken Pie

Vegetarian — Veggie Fingers

Friday

Breaded Fish Fillet

Vegetarian—Quorn Nuggets

EVERY DAY:

Jacket Potato with toppings (cheese/beans)

Emails sent out:

Secondary school open evening flyers to Year 6

PGL final arrangements to Year 6

There are children in school who have severe nut allergies (including peanuts)

No food produce containing nuts is permitted in school

Dinner Money

The cost of dinner per day is £2.35, £11.75 a week.

Please ensure that all cash/cheque payments come in on a Monday in a named, sealed envelope.

Cheques should be made payable to: Clapham Terrace Primary School WCC. You can also pay via **Pay 360 (the new name for SIMS Pay)** online. Contact the office if you require an activation code to register.

ROCKETS BREAKFAST AND AFTERSCHOOL CLUB

Open Monday—Friday term time only

8.00am—8.45am (Breakfast Club) and 3.15pm-6pm (Afterschool Club)

Morning session £3.50

Afternoon session £3.60 until 4pm, £6.90 until 5pm or £8.60 until 6pm

Places are available on all days

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