



Newsletter

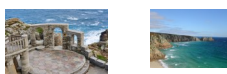
21 June 2019

Weekly News

Year 1/2 have enjoyed coding using Espresso on the Chrome books and have also been continuing their Africa theme in Art and have sketched animals they might see in the National parks and game reserves.



Year 3 enjoyed an outing to the Minack Theatre on Wednesday, where they were treated to a production of Ali Baba and The Forty Thieves. We were very fortunate to have good weather and the opportunity to visit such an amazing and beautiful location.



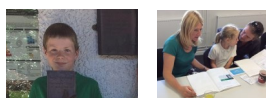
On the same day, Year 5 took part in the Aspire Games at Par Athletics Track. The children had a fantastic time and competed against other Year 5 pupils from the various Aspire schools in the area.



Year 6 enjoyed their second swimming lesson this week, and have continued to rehearse for their forthcoming production. On Friday they also enjoyed a day of activities organized by Go Active,

which included street surfing and nerf.

The week ended with our annual Tracey Taylor award assembly. The award celebrates children who have shown a particular enthusiasm towards writing and English. Parents of each of the nominated children were invited to attend the presentation and had the opportunity to hear extracts of their child's writing and view their work. Congratulations to Tom (Year 6) who won the award and all of the nominees, keep up the great work!



White River Place are once again hosting their garden festival this weekend. Our children from nursery have submitted an entry in the 'planted suitcase' competition. The entries are on display and will be judged on Saturday, with the winners announced at 2:30pm. Good luck to our nursery entrants!



Next week will see Year 4 head off for their residential camp at Porthpean, which we are very much looking forward to! Please visit the [class blog](#) to obtain the kit list for camp, and also sign in to your [ParentPay](#) account to confirm travel arrangements for your child to and from camp. Should you have any queries, please contact Mr Lockett.

Sports Day

Weather permitting, sports day for our reception children and Years 1-6 will now take place on Tuesday 16th July.

Reception class will hold their event from 10:30am to 11:30am.

Years 1-6 sports day will be held from 1pm to 3pm.

We are all hoping that the sun will put in an appearance, to allow the event to finally take place. We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible at the event.



Forthcoming Events

24th June (3pm-5pm) Years 1-6
Open Afternoon

26th to 28th June - Year 4 Camp
to Porthpean

2nd July - Year 2 Visit to Suez
Recycling Centre. [More details to follow.](#)

10th July (2pm to 3pm)
Rocksteady Concert to parents

11th July Rockpool Roadshow
(Reception Class). More details to follow.

11th July (5pm to 6:30pm) - Year 6
Disco. [Please see ParentPay](#)

16th July - School Sports Day.
EYFS 10:30am to 11:30am, Years
1-6 from 1pm to 3pm

23rd July - End of term 2pm finish

24th & 25th July - Inset days

26th July to 3rd September -
Summer holidays

4th September - Inset Day (School
closed)

5th September - Autumn term
starts



The Whole Class	Nursery
Evie	Reception
Elsie	Reception
William B	Yr 1
Joshua W	Yr 1/2
Lewys	Yr 2
Amara	Yr 3
Lucy Tr.	Yr 4
Chloe	Yr 5
Tom	Yr 6

Awards

Well Done to the following children who have received awards this week.

Times Table Stars:

Isabella - Reception (Miss Seeley)
Luna - Year 1
Oliver W - Year 1/2
Lily - Year 2
Riley - Year 3
Joshua - Year 4
Scarlett - Year 5
Esme - Year 6

Spelling Awards:

Hayleigh - Reception (Miss Seeley)
Calvin - Reception (Mrs Evans)
Jacob T - Year 1
Saskia - Year 1/2
Elsie A - Year 2
Oliver - Year 3
Morgan - Year 4
Oliver - Year 5
Charlie - Year 6

Merits:

Bronze:

Alexis - Reception (Miss Seeley)
Brynley - Reception (Miss Seeley)
Charlotte - Reception (Miss Seeley)
Lily-Rose - Reception (Mrs Evans)
Paige - Reception (Mrs Evans)
Scarlett - Reception (Mrs Evans)
Isabell F - Year 3

Silver:

Ella, William B, Bo, Jake, Lily-Jayne & Toby - Year 1

Gold:

Alfie - Year 3
Emily - Year 3

Reading Awards

Congratulations to the following pupils who received reading awards this week.

EYFS & KS1 Rocket Reader:

Nathaniel - Reception (Miss Seeley)

EYFS & KS1 Star Reader:

Charlotte - Reception (Miss Seeley)
Olivia T - Reception (Miss Seeley)
Max - Reception (Miss Seeley)

KS2 Ready Reader:

Scarlett - Year 5

KS2 Independent Reader:

Sophia - Year 3
Tegan - Year 3

KS2 Rising Reader:

Bella - Year 3
Nevaeh - Year 3

KS2 Super Reader:

Ben - Year 5

KS2 Advanced Reader:

Tegan - Year 5

Attendance

Whole School : 96.5%

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Government satisfactory attendance for a pupil is **96%**.

Miss Seeley – 94.8%

Mrs Evans - 95.2%

Mrs Matthews - 95.8%

Mrs Bussandri - 96.5%

Mrs Osborne - 96.9%

Miss O'Brien - 97.1%

Mr Lockett - 97.4%

Miss Heather - 97.2%

Mrs Rundle/Mr Walker - 97.3%

Phonics word of the week

This week's word of the week is "cure" and the pseudo word is "mure".

Menu

Week beginning:

Monday 24 June 2019

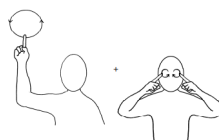
Menu Choice - Week 3

Price £2.30*

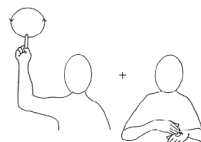
**For children not entitled to free school meals*

Please make sure you have made a menu selection via ParentPay.

Makaton



Sunglasses



Sun cream

Sandy Hill Academy

We aim to be STARS

- Self motivated
- Thinkers
- Aspirational
- Resilient
- Supportive

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Don't forget to visit the class blogs via our own website for latest news and pictures from each class.

The Sensory Garden

It's hard to believe the change that has taken place in the school garden!

Just twelve months ago, our project to develop a sensory garden in school began. The garden was originally designed by the children. Together with a lot of hard work and dedication from Sandy Hill staff, friends and pupils, we have achieved an amazing transformation.

We thought it would be nice to share with you a couple of photos from the project, showing the progress made.

From this ..



To this ...



Open Afternoon - Years 1 - 6

On Monday 24th June, we will be holding our open afternoon from 3pm-5pm.

During this time, you are invited to visit your child's class and view your child's work .

This is always an exciting time for the children, who always enjoy the opportunity to share their work with their parents/ carers.

We hope as many of you as possible will attend and look forward to seeing you all on Monday.



Kids Club

Several of you have contacted us regarding our opening times for the final day of term on Tuesday 23 July, due to school finishing early at 2pm. We wanted to confirm that we will be open on this day as normal, until 5:30pm.

We also wanted to remind you that children should be collected promptly at the end of their session, as a late collection fee of £5 per quarter of an hour will be applied, if you are late collecting your child after Kids Club has closed.

