



NEWSLETTER

NEWSLETTER FOURTEEN – 14th June

Value of the week.....Let's Promote Peace

This week we have learned more about D-Day and the significance of it. We know that it was a huge turning point in the war as it weakened the German forces and sped up the end of the war. We have been focusing on how to 'Educate our Character' with the main focus on how to promote peace in our school. Pupils have been actively listening to each other and compromising if needed. We have also learned that getting to know other children in school and understanding their story is important.

Parent Governor.....Are you interested?

Nominations are now open to join our governing board. Please see the posts on dojo for an application form or come into the office to collect a paper copy. Closing date for applications is Tuesday 18th June at 12 noon.

Inset days for next year.....

Governors have agreed the first three inset days of the school year. They have agreed that on the 4th/5th/6th September, school will be closed for staff training. This means pupils will return to school on Monday 9th September 2024. Staff will be refreshing their positive handling and de-escalation training and learning more about Autism.

Governors have taken this decision to help parents plan a summer holiday. Please make every effort to take your holiday before 9th September. Thank you.

Sports week.....

Next week is Sports week and we have lots of fun activities planned. EYFS and KS1 sports day will be on Tuesday 18th. EYFS will begin at 9.15am and KS1 will follow at 10.15am on the school field.

KS2 will be held on Wednesday 19th and will begin at 9.15am. Please make your way up to the school field.

On Friday 21st we have a visit from GB Olympic swimmer Joe Roebuck, he will be in school running drills with the pupils. Please fill in any sponsor ship forms and return to school.

Lunchtime police walk about.....

Pupils have once again enjoyed the opportunity to ask our local PCSOs lots of questions. Pupils shared their lunch time playtime with the officers who answered all the questions from pupils.

Facebook.....

Please make sure you 'like' and follow our brand new Facebook page. Please search for Meadow Farm Community Primary School. There is lots of interesting information shared regularly.

The Book Bus.....

On Thursday 27th June we are having a visit from the Book Bus. Pupils will be able to browse with parents before and after school and will be given a chance to visit the bus during the school day. Parents can pay in cash or card or pre order on the book bus website.

Eyam trip.....

Year 2 have had amazing time exploring the village of Eyam. They have followed maps to find a route to explore Eyam all while locating different landmarks. They spotted a small post office, a very small school, two local shops, hills, fields and a museum. While we were there we compared Eyam's key features to our local area. We were surprised at how different Eyam was to Chaddesden.

We later visited Eyam's church and recognised all the features of a church from our R.E learning from last half-term. We were very excited and great at spotting some of the features that we have spoken about in our class. Some of us compared this church to our local church and noticed how similar it was.

To finish our day, pupils enjoyed an ice-cream from the local shops.

Furthest from the Sea Festival.....

We have had a workshop delivered by Furthest from the Sea arts and crafts. Children in Reception, Year 1, Year 2, Year 3 and Year 4 have all worked incredibly hard to create crafts that will be displayed at the festival. The festival is free and is open to all pupils, not just those that have taken part in the workshop. It is being held on 22nd July 10.00am-4.00pm at Cathedral Green, Derby.

Warmer weather.....

Please remember to send your child with a water bottle, sun hat, sunglasses and sun screen. The weather is starting to warm up and we want every child to stay safe in the sun.

DATES	EVENT
14.06.24	Furthest from the Sea workshop Reception to Year 4
17.06.24 – 21.06.24	Sports week
18.06.24	EYFS/KS1 sports day
19.06.24	KS2 sports day
20.06.24	Photographers in school – class photos/Year 6 leavers
21.06.24	Sports for school athlete visit
24.06.24 – 28.06.24	World wellbeing week
25.06.24	Compass transition workshop Year 6
26.06..24	Halle concert Year 5
27.06.24	The book bus
28.06.24	Year 3 Egyptian day
01.07.24	Inset day
03.07.24	Reception transition meeting with parents
05.07.24	Parents coffee morning – Science
05.07.24	Year 4 Cromford Mills trip
08.07.24	St Mary's assembly
10.07.24	Year 6 transition meeting with parents
10.07.24	Year 6 Dovedale Field trip
12.07.24	Year 5/Year 6 Women's Euros event
12.07.24	Year 4 Linking Schools event
17.07.24	Year 1 transition meeting with parents
19.07.24	Year 6 end of year performance
24.07.24	Last day of term
04.09.24	Inset day
05.09.24	Inset day
06.09.24	Inset day
09.09.24	Pupils back to school