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Newsletter 30 – 6th May 2022

Class News

- Nursery - have been learning a new dinosaur song and started making our own volcano
YR - have been exploring the story The Three Billy Goats Gruff and looking at photos of famous bridges all around the world
Y1 - have enjoyed their scientific investigations looking at the parts of flowers and trees
Y2 - really enjoyed their gymnastics lesson this week
Y3 - have thoroughly enjoyed developing their recorder playing skills further this week and have already made some great progress
Y4 - loved 'The Fresh Air Club' session, learning all about how to classify trees
Y5 - loved 'The Fresh Air Club'; we learnt bow drill techniques for friction lighting and how to use flint against steel to create sparks
Y6 - have showed great resilience and hard work this week during their SATs revision

Dear Parents,

Happy Minds and Team HAP has been in full flow this week. Take some time to ask your child what they have been learning and how it has helped them. Each year group from Year 1- 6 has individual journals.

Congratulations to Joseph Cunningham-Davis and Harry Cooper who won the Rotary Interschool Photography Competition – what an amazing achievement! Their work will be displayed at the New Forest Heritage Centre gallery.

Value of the week – Aspiration

We have been discussing whether we should have the right to say whatever we choose in picture news this week, it is certainly an interesting debate!

Online Safety

Research by the Mental Health Foundation found that loneliness has been exacerbated by the Covid pandemic, with more people experiencing it to an even more severe degree. This increased loneliness has contributed to higher levels of distress, resulting from people's heightened feelings of isolation and diminished ability to connect with others.



The online world can help us feel more connected to people – but it can also leave us feeling even more cut off. This week's guide highlights possible causes of loneliness online, as well as what children can do if they feel this way... and how they use their digital devices to lift their spirits.

Message from Nursery

Nursery are in need of some resources to enhance the role play area. We are asking parents to kindly donate any unwanted resources you may have in your home. We would warmly appreciate wooden utensils (i.e. Wooden spoons), real indoor plants, baby doll clothes, dolls pushchairs, child sized chairs, play food and any other home corner equipment.

We were also wondering if anyone would be able to provide 3 wooden crates to enhance our sand play area, as well as any unwanted trikes or balance bikes.

We would like to thank you in advance for your support, we really appreciate it!

One final thing, now that the weather is getting warmer, please can we ask that all children bring in sun cream and a sunhat.

Mrs De Jesus & The Nursery Team.

Dates for Diary

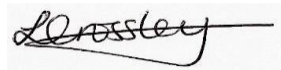
May

9 th	KS2 SATs week
18 th	National Numeracy Day
24 th	Year 1 assembly
25 th	Heath Run
27 th	Last day of term

June

6 th	Jubilee Day – School closed
7 th	Swimming starts

Yours sincerely,



Mrs L Crossley
Headteacher



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