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Dear Parents

It was lovely to see many of you at our Easter service on Thursday. I am sure you will agree, the children read and sang fantastically. We must say a very big thank you to Rev Dr. David Jarrett for leading our service for us.

Now, as we come to the end of another busy spring term packed full of exciting learning experiences, I would like to draw your attention to a few updates before the Easter break commences.

Attendance

Congratulations to Pheasant Class who have the highest attendance of the term at 97.97%.

SUMMER TERM OVERVIEW MEETINGS AND 'DROP IN' SESSIONS

As always, teachers will be holding Termly Overview meetings in the first couple of weeks of the new term. At each meeting, the exciting 'Learning Journeys' planned for the term ahead will be out-lined, along with important updates relevant to each individual class. Each meeting will be held in your child's classroom and will take place straight after the children have been dismissed at 3:15pm. A film will be put on in Goldfinch room for children to watch whilst the meeting is taking place. We hope you will be able to attend these short meetings to help you prepare your child for the coming weeks at school and ensure you are well informed about the term ahead.

Termly Overview Meeting dates are as follows

| Woodpecker Class | Wednesday 24 th April |
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| Pheasant Class | Friday 26 th April |
| Wren Class | Tuesday 30 th April |
| Robin Class | Wednesday 1 st May |

Usual weekly 'Drop in' day is Tuesday for every class

Water Bottles



As the weather will hopefully be much warmer after Easter, it is **really important that every child has their school water bottle in school every day** to ensure they stay hydrated. The Friends generously provide every child with a new water bottle at the start of each academic year and these should always be in school. Children are welcome to take their water bottle home daily for a wash and refill - we do insist they go home at least at the end of every week for a thorough clean. Please note that children should only bring in the standard school bottle; replacements can be purchased for $\pounds1.50$ at the school office.













Dance House

Well done to our Dance Club who gave a fantastic performance at The Alexander theatre for Dance House 2019. Together they danced to "The Eye of the Tiger" in front of a packed audience. They kept their cool and impressed the audience. At the end of the performance, every member of the group was awarded a medal for their achievement. Thank you to Natalie Temple for her excellent coaching and choreography.

Golden Learning Opportunities (G.L.O)

Thank you to all the adults who provided a fantastic range of G.L.O. activities again this year. G.L.O afternoons are really valued by the children who gain so much from working in small groups. It is always a delight to see new skills gained and so much achieved in a short space of time. Below is a glimpse of some of the activities that were on offer this year.



School Clubs

Please see the separate sheet attached for all the exciting clubs on offer next term.

Please tick any staff led club that your child would like to attend and return the form as soon as possible as there will be a limit on numbers for certain clubs. The clubs are available on a first come, first served basis. (Please note places have already been allocated for the Gymnastics Club and everyone who had already returned their slip by 4th May has a place).

After your child is accepted into a club, please let the office (or the teacher running the club) know if they no longer wish to attend so that their place can be offered to someone on the waiting list.

Please note that some of the clubs may change due to staff commitments – we will be sure to keep you informed accordingly.

On behalf of all the staff, I thank you all for your continued support this term.

Wishing you all a fun and relaxing Easter break

Adrian King

Weekly Diary Dates

Please do remember to check weekly Diary Dates to keep yourself up to date!

If you have any ideas or suggestions for our school please feel free to complete the slip below and return to the school office at your convenience.

Name: Comment:













