

NEWSLETTER

A Message from this week's Editor: Mr Symes

This week has been a full and active week for the children, with every child putting in maximum effort across the school into their new, and final, learning topics of the academic year. In Year 6, children have commenced their preparations for the End of Year School Production of 'Toy Story', while Year 4 have been on a wonderfully exciting trip to Eton College. In addition, children in all four houses have channelled their competitive spirit in Music by working hard to learn their house songs in readiness for their grand performance, which was superbly successful! Beautiful singing was heard and enjoyed by all in attendance!



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Collective Worship

This week in Collective Worship we have thought about creation and the importance of caring for our planet. We looked at the creation story in the Bible and considered how it is everyone's responsibility to look after the world we share. We thought of small ways in which everyone can make a positive difference, for example picking up litter and saving water and energy.



Star of the week

Nursery - Azzurra
Reception - Alex B
Year 1 - Frankie
Year 2 - Faith
Year 3 - Ryan
Year 4 - Kiki
Year 5 - Zain
Year 6 - Cayla

Top Attendance this week

1st - Year 6 - 99.17%
2nd - Year 5 - 97.92%
3rd - Year 4 - 97.50%

WHAT HAVE WE BEEN UP TO THIS WEEK?



This week, Discovery class have been looking at feelings and emotions. We looked at different faces to see if we could tell which emotion they were feeling. We really enjoyed making our own faces show feelings and emotions too!



Early Years went diving into the ocean with their book this week. They explored how to look after the Earth and keep the ocean clean. They explored topics such as reusing and recycling as well as ocean creatures. In Maths, Nursery explored the names of different shapes and their properties. Reception also explored the meaning of 'grouping' and 'sharing' in Maths and used cubes to create equal groups of different amounts.



This week, Year 1 have been busy preparing for our exciting Express Event as part of our 'Dinosaur Museum' project. The children have been working brilliantly in five different teams, each with an important role to play. Some children have been creating dinosaur-inspired artwork, others have been making fossils, designing signs for our museum exhibits, and writing interesting fact files about dinosaurs. It has been wonderful to see the children working together, sharing ideas, and taking pride in their contributions as we get ready to showcase our learning.



In English this week, Year 2 worked as a class to think of ideas for our own adventure story based on our book, 'One Day On Our Blue Planet.'



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Year 3 had a fantastic time pretending to be Roman soldiers. They made some impressive shields at home to help them roleplay.



Year 4 had a great trip to Eton College Museum. They loved looking at the artefacts and were able to confidently share their excellent knowledge of the Ancient Egyptians and learn a few new things too!



On Wednesday, Year 5 welcomed family into the hall for their ukulele performance. The children have had a fantastic year of learning how to play chords and really enjoyed playing this final performance of their skills!



In Year 6 this week, we have been working hard to perfect a narrative piece of writing which involves dialogue to enhance a character. Children have had to use a range of punctuation taught at KS2 and ensure that work is proofread thoroughly to cut out any errors! In addition, children have made significant progress towards learning their lines for their production and will be starting to craft their props next week using scrap materials!

IMPORTANT DATES

IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

- Breakfast club, school lunch bookings need to be made through Teacher2Parents app & please check payments for upcoming trips in Summer term.

Week 3

18th June - Cultural Diversity Day - **please see full details in email sent on Tuesday**

19th June - Children to wear their own clothes in exchange for tombola prize for Summer Fair

19th June - 9-9:30am - Year 2 Class Assembly

19th June - Teddy Bear Picnics for Nursery - please speak with Miss Cleaves

Week 4

25th June - 9:15-10:15am - Early Years Sports Day
More details to follow

26th June - 09:00-11:00am - KS1 & KS2 Sports Day
More details to follow

Week 5 & 6

2nd July - PTA Summer Fair
2:30-4pm

6th July - 2:30-3:15pm - Year 4 Express Event - Hall

7th July - Transition Day

7th July - 2:45-3:15pm - Year 3 Express Event - Hall

Week 6 continued

8th July - 2:45-3:15pm - Year 5 Express Event - Hall

9th July - 2:45-3:15pm - Early Years Express Event in class

10th July - 2-3pm - Year 6 End of Term Production for Year 6 Parents only

PUPIL VOICE

"I like Phonics!
My favourite this week is the
fish words."

Fredrick & Kevin - Early Years

"There are 60 minutes in
one hour, I know this
because I am counting in
5's!"

Sehaj - Explorers

"The Ukulele concert was
really fun and enjoyable but it
was also a bit scary doing it in
front of lots of people. The
whole class put lots of hard
work into it!"

Praiszy - Year 5

"I like playing Potato Head
because his lines are good
jokes!"

Harvier - Year 6



IN OTHER NEWS

House Day Assembly

This morning, the whole school came together to participate in a huge chorus of songs! Each House Captain introduced their chosen song by explaining why they had selected it and what it represents to their house.

It was fantastic to see the children so excited, confident, and well-rehearsed as they performed for their peers and staff. A huge well done to our House Leaders for preparing the children so brilliantly, but an even bigger thank you goes to all of our children for raising the roof with their beautiful singing voices this morning!

What a fantastic way to end the week! 🎵🌞🌟



Star treat

This afternoon children who were awarded Star of the Week last week and today enjoyed an ice lolly with Miss Torpey.

We will continue with ice lolly treat until the Summer holidays.

Sports Day

Not long until our annual Sports Days.

Early Years Sports Day will now be on Thursday 25th June - 9:15-10:15am

KS1 /KS2 Sports Day is on Friday 26th June - 9-11am

Both events will be on the School Field - let's wish for the sunshine to return!

Parents and family welcome to join and cheer their children on!

Each child/children will need to wear a t-shirt which represents their House colour. Please see below:

Attenborough: Green

Parks: Red

Rowling: Blue

Van Gogh: Yellow

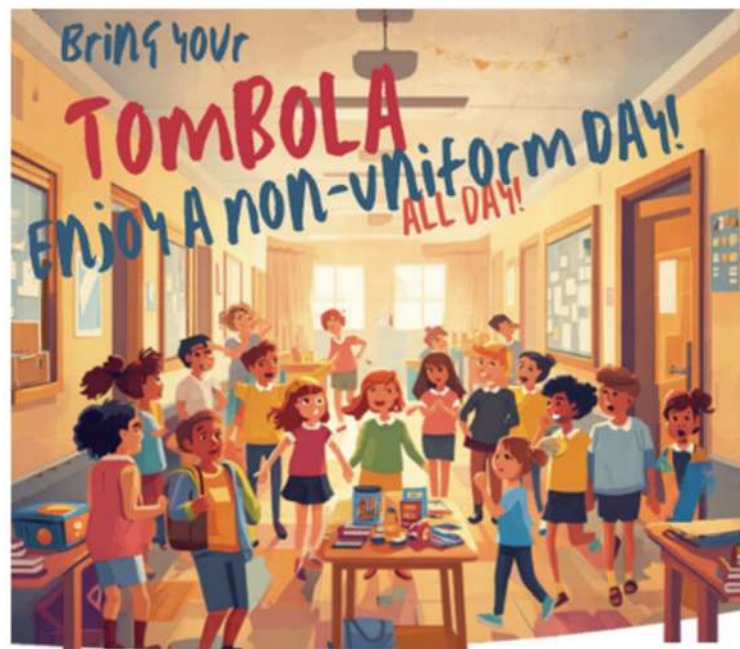
If you are unsure which House your child is in please confirm with Class Teacher.



Thursday 18th June

Children are invited to wear their Cultural clothing or colours representing the flag of their country.

Parents and families are invited to bring & share food from their countries. If you would like to take part please collect from School Office. Gentle reminder we are a NUT FREE school.



Friday 19th June 2026

Donations needed

Please donate any unused or new, good quality children's toys, arts and crafts items, toiletries, food items, bottles, new books or electronics.

Thank you on behalf of
Colnbrook PTA!



**Thursday 2nd July 2026
2:30-4 pm**

Tombola

Raffle prizes to be won!

Featuring, Plant stall * Lucky dip * Tattoos *
Sweets * Lolly pong * Beat the goalie * Bouncy
castle * Ice cream van * Soak the teacher *
Scout stall * Family information service stall *

Please come along and support Colnbrook PTA!
This is a cash only event- please bring plenty of
cash!



**CHILDREN'S
COMMISSIONER**

**THE BIG
FUTURE**

The Children's Commissioner,
Dame Rachel de Souza, has
launched The Big Future survey.
It's your chance to have your say on what it's like to
be a child or young person in England today - what
you love, what worries you, how you have fun, and
the changes you want for a better future.

There are questions about voting, school, your area,
online safety, and space for you to tell her what you
think is important!

It takes less than 10 minutes to
complete the survey.



Take part now:
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