



Newsletter March 2022



Spring is in the air!

We have chicks in Willow class. The children (and adults) have been fascinated to see them actually hatching, and having a hold of such gorgeous fluffy bundles!

Don't squeeze too tight!



Oak class attended the Crucial Crew event, where they learned all about different aspects of safety, from online to electrical safety, to first aid. It was a busy but very informative morning.

Rowan Class continue with their learning about Rainforests and have been creative in making dioramas to reflect their learning.

Cherry class have been learning all about places around the world, following on from their reading of 'Handa's Surprise'. Recently, they have been fascinated to hear about Argia and Carlo's experience of South Africa – there are sharks there!

School Staff News

Mrs Davis, our 'Cherry-ished' Teaching Assistant (and much more besides!) has decided to retire. She has a long association with the school, having been a Teaching Assistant for 12 years, and before that she was a parent governor when her own family attended the school, later becoming Chair of Governors for a number of years.

So, used to being busy, Mrs Davis will not be 'retiring' as such, and is looking taking up new projects and interests, as well as being able to spend more time with family, especially her grandchildren – although she will be having a relaxing summer first!

Mrs Davis will be leaving us at the end of this term, her last day being Friday 1 April. We will miss her greatly, as will the children, and we wish her a long and happy retirement.

We also say Good bye and 'Bon Voyage' to **Miss Rayner**, who has been our lovely Cherry class teacher for the last two terms. Miss Rayner will be fulfilling a postponed dream to travel before returning to teaching later in the year. We hope she will keep in touch with Cherry class with news of her adventures! Miss Rayner's last day is Friday 25 March.

Parent Consultations

We hope you have been able to have a meeting with your child's class teacher. This is an important opportunity to talk about your child's progress, and what is going well for your child at school and at home.

Please arrange an appointment if you haven't yet done so.

Covid information. Restrictions have eased and there is less in the media. We are still experiencing Covid within the community.

If your child tests positive for covid, as before, we request that they isolate for 5 days and then LFD test from Day 5 for 2 x negative LFD test results, taken 24 hrs apart, before returning to school.

Home learning will be provided for completion during the period of isolation, if your child is well enough and it is expected that this is returned to school.

Easter Events

Wednesday 30 March **Easter Service** at St Margaret's church. 2pm.

All Welcome

Friday 1 April **Easter Hunt** - Parents are invited to an Easter Hunt on the last day of term in the morning (weather permitting)

Cherry and Willow 9.30 - 10 am

Rowan Class 10.30 - 11 am

Oak Class 11.15 am - 11.45 am

Easter Bonnet Parade for the children on the last day of term in the afternoon, and we invite children to make a hat at home and wear it to school for the afternoon parade.



Create a Plate Competition

*Design a healthy
main meal
or dessert*

*The winners will have
their dish created for
school lunch and receive a prize!
Closing date Friday 22 April*



FOLS EASTER

*Coffee Morning Bake Sale and
Jumble sale*

Friday 15th April

10am-12pm

Lyng Village Hall

Further details to follow



Reminder

PE Kit: A number of children, especially older pupils are not wearing the correct school PE Kit. We request that pupils do not wear football kit, or kit with company logos, kit with patterns/ pictures or designer trainers etc.

Hair : We request that long hair is tied up for school , and definitely should be tied up for Sports activities.

Head lice/ nits : We have been informed of a small number of cases. They can be picked up by head to head contact. Further Information and guidance on treatment can be found on <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/head-lice-and-nits/>



Friday 18 March Red Nose Day / Comic Relief – Wear Non Uniform or a Superhero costume for the day in exchange for your donation.

Tuesday 29 March Cross Country event (rescheduled event)

Wednesday 30 March Easter Service at St Margaret's church

Thursday 31 March Frisbee Festival Y4-6

Friday 1 April Easter Hunt (parents invited) – see timings above

Friday 1 April Easter Bonnet Parade – Children invited to bring their creations from home.

School Holiday Dates

School closed for Easter 4 April -19 April. Reopens on Wednesday 20 April at 8.45am

School closed for Summer Half term 30 May- 3 June. Reopens Monday 6 June

School closed for Summer 25 July- 5 September. Reopens Tuesday 6 September 2022