



Newsletter

May 2022



The term has got off to a busy start and class topics are underway. Each class will be studying a region or country during the term, and later in the Summer, we will be mixing together for a Round the World Day, and each class will be experiencing cultural music and dance with a visiting performer. Of course, we will be celebrating the Queen's Platinum Jubilee with activities, a Jubilee song and a Street Party lunch.

Cherry class are learning some well-known Traditional Tales and have been busy designing a bridge for the Three Billy Goats Gruff to cross. Willow class have started their exploration of Lyng and have taken a walk around the village. Rowan class are finding out about the countries of Scandinavia, before learning about the Vikings next term. Oak class are taking a tour of North America.

Please look on our Classes page on the school website. Here you can find more information about the curriculum for each class. You will also find Homework booklets, so that you can support your child at home with current learning. You can find these on the Classes page too.

FOLS Fundraising

Bag 2 School

Please drop your bag2school in the school shelter on

Tuesday 10 May by 9.30am

*Collecting in your Bag2School:
Clothing, paired shoes, handbags and accessories; No uniforms, workwear, bedding or fabric pieces*

Thank you

Create a Plate Competition Winners!



Sophie in Oak class for the winning main course idea
Daisy in Cherry class for the winning dessert.

On Thursday 19th May,
their dishes will be served for school lunch.
Don't forget to book for your child ...
they will be popular!

Congratulations to both winners!

They each take home a Cookery Book prize.



Staff news

Mrs Taylor will be joining Cherry class as the Cherry Class teaching assistant, following Mrs Davis' retirement last term. We are looking forward to her joining us on 16 May.

As Miss Phillpot has returned part time, Mrs Carlile is teaching Cherry class 1 day per week.

Mrs Clarke, one of our Midday Supervisors has decided to hang up her apron. Thank you Mrs Clarke for being our 'Dinner Lady' for 6 years!

Tri Golf Festival We had children from both Rowan and Willow classes participating in this event. They really enjoyed trying out a different sport and learned some skills and games along the way. Each child was awarded a certificate and Thomas received the Values award for his determination. Well done teams!

Our Christian Values Theme this half term is 'Service'. Children will be learning about Service as: helping others; offering and using our talents to help. We will find out about those who serve in the community, and reflecting on the Queen's long service as she celebrates in Platinum Jubilee.



Please join us for our Explorer Cafés 'Take One Book'

Our Explorer Café is an opportunity for you to join your child in their learning. Your child's teacher will lead the session and provide ideas for activities to share in your child's learning.

Each class will have a separate event.

All will be 1.45 -3 pm and take place mostly outside, weather permitting. The activity includes a drink and a biscuit for children and adults!

Our next Explorer Café will start with 'Take One Book'

Engage with a book and explore where it can take you...

Dates: 15 June Cherry class

24 June Oak class

27 June Rowan Class

5 July Willow class

Please note: we are only able to accommodate 1 adult per child. If you have 2 children in the same class, then 2 adults can attend if wished.

We ask that younger siblings stay at home, so that you can focus on your child and the activities.

Join us for Sports Day and Make Music Day

Sports Day is on Thursday 14 July. We will have Clockwork sports in the morning 10.45 -12am and Sports Day races in the afternoon, starting 1.30pm. Parents/ Carers are welcome to join us for one or both events.

Make Music Day Children will be performing pieces they have learned. We are inviting parents to attend. Please look out for the date and more details, which are yet to be finalised with our music tutors.

Oak class parents / carers are invited to their **Leavers celebration**. This performance is taking place at the Lyng Community hall on 21 July in the afternoon.

Dates for your diary

10 May Fols Bag 2 School

9-12 May Y6 Sats tests week

13 May Oak class Outdoor day to Whitwell Hall

19 May Rugby Festival – team from Willow class (Sports partnership event)

23 May Rowan class outdoor day to Whitwell Hall.

24 May Class photographs – school uniform please.

25 May Informal Drop in at 3.15pm for parents to find out about our RSE curriculum (Relationships and Sex ed curriculum).

27 May Jubilee Activity Day and Jubilee Street Party Lunch.

13 – 17 June Bikeability Cycling skills for Y4 -6 Full details and Permission slips follow shortly.

29 June Dance workshops with visiting performer

30 June Round the World Day (In school activity day)

1 July Willow class athletics festival (sports partnership event)

July 7/ 8 Year 6 'Move Up' transition days to Reepham High School. All pupils in Cherry Willow and Rowan move to their new class for the 2 days.

11-15 July Sports Week (Sports day Races Thursday 14 July)

13 July Cherry class Multi skills sports event (Sports partnership event)

15 July Frisbee festival Y4-6 team (Sports partnership re scheduled event)

21 July Y6 Leavers celebration (Oak class parents invited)

Half term holiday Monday 30 May – Friday 3 June

Summer holidays start Monday 25 July. Children are back to school on Tuesday 6 September.