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Weekly News



Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been another busy week here at Sugar Hill!

Many thanks to our Mini Police and our newly appointed Crossing Patrol Warden, Amy, for helping to keep everyone safe this week.

The Year 6 Mini Police were on duty to observe the issues we have with cars around school. Information they gathered will be shared with the police. They were delighted to report that so many parents and carers do all they can to ensure children and families are safe on the busy roads around our school.

We will be sharing news about our new travel scheme next week. We are still in the process of all the behind the scenes preparation and just need a little more time before we share this with you.



The Mini Police Team who covered traffic duty on Monday night were supported by Mrs Legge, Mrs Atkinson Jones, Mrs Cooper and Russell Gibson, Parent Governor. Russell is a member of our School and Community Committee in school where we discuss issues with parking near school and issues with drivers parking on the zig-zag lines and dropping off on the yellow lines.

As a reminder the only cars that can park on the double yellow lines on Sheraton Road are blue badge holders. The blue badge needs to be for the driver or for a child in school.



Thank You!

THE WHOLE SUGAR HILL TEAM AND MINI POLICE WANT TO EXPRESS THEIR THANKS TO ALL THE ADULTS WHO DO EVERYTHING THEY CAN TO KEEP EVERYONE AS SAFE AS THEY CAN EVERY DAY. WE REALLY DO APPRECIATE IT.



YEAR 6 SATs

Just a reminder the Year 6 SATs this year start on Monday May 13th. During this week Year 6 children attend Breakfast Club free of charge on Monday 13th, Tuesday 14th, Wednesday 15th and Thursday 16th May. Arriving at school early really helps all the children to be settled and ready for the tests. Year 6 children are bringing home a separate letter regarding Year 6 SATs.

NEWS FROM YEAR 5



At the end of the Spring Term, as part of their project outcome, Year 5 held a ballot in which they encouraged parents to vote for the political party they were part of. During the showcase event, pupils shared their manifestos and delivered speeches in which they suggested areas for improvement around school. The party who received the most votes was MPKS with their proposals to improve outdoor learning opportunities. Year 5 received a visit from Paul Howell (MP) who congratulated pupils on their work and distributed some parliamentary gifts to the winning party. We look forward to working with the children on delivering their proposals.

School Lunch- Chartwells

Our new school menu is underway for the Summer Term. It is a three-week cycle and week 3 is next week.

We will be sending you the Chartwells Newsletter that is hot off the press this week in a separate email.

We have a group of children in school 'The Lunch Bunch' who meet with Julie our Cook and Chartwells staff looking at our menu choices.

We are sending you their newsletter electronically as there is a link for you to complete a survey.

We encourage you to complete the survey that goes direct to Chartwells and thank you in advance for doing so.

Survey responses will then be shared with us so we can consider your valuable feedback.

Our School and Community Committee of our Governing Body will be discussing school lunches at our next meeting.

Please watch for this newsletter and survey arriving in your inbox.



Attendance

This week our winning classes in each department are Class 5 (98.6%) and Class 13 (98.6%)

There are five classes across school with 96% attendance or above and they will be adding a leaf to their tulips on the hall displays (Classes 5, 6, 7, 8 and 13)



Lates

Thank you to all the parents and carers who have ensured children have arrived on time this week.

This week we have had 28 children arriving to school late.

Please note- We have a new system in school and if your child arrives late you will need to stay with your child in the Main Foyer entrance until office staff are ready to take children to class.

DIARY DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR- Summer Term 2024



Kindness Café every Thursday morning in the Key Stage 2 Dining Hall 9am- please join us if you can. It's always lovely to see new faces at this weekly event.

Monday May 6th- Bank Holiday- School is closed

Monday May 13th- Thursday May 16th- Year 6 SATs

Monday May 20th-Friday 24th May- Sports Week- children to wear PE kit all week

Friday 24th May- Sports Day- more information will be follow

Monday 3rd June- School Closed to all children- Staff Training Day

Friday 7th June- Alternative Sports Day- only if Sports Day on 24th May was cancelled due to inclement weather

Friday 21st June- Non-uniform day- bottle donations gratefully received for the Summer Fayre

Friday 28th June- Summer Fayre- more details to follow in a separate letter

We hope you all have a lovely weekend and thank you for all your support this week.

Kind regards,

Mrs O'Rourke and Mrs Legge

