



# Family Newsletter



**Friday 13th May 2022**

## Dates for the Diary

**Please also see the Key Dates Letter**

### Jubilee Party

Friday 27th May

### Half Term

Monday 30th May

### Year 6 Residential

Monday 6th June

### Sports Week

Monday 27th June

### End of Term

Tuesday 19th July

School ends at 1.30pm

Next week's dinner menu—Week  
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Dear Parents/Carers,

Firstly, I would like to start by saying how proud we are of the children in Year 6. Their determination, effort and attitude during their SATs was incredible. They tried their very best in every exam and were a real credit to the school. Today they have had a whole day of different activities as a reward for all their hard work—very well deserved.

During celebration worship each Friday, we enjoy hearing about children's achievements both in and outside of school. If your child has taken part in a special event or activity and would like to share this with us, please do let their class teacher know so that we can bring them up to share with everyone.

Don't forget to book your child their special menu options for census day and the Jubilee. Although our uniform is red, white and blue—we are inviting children to wear their own red, white and blue clothes for the Jubilee event on Friday 27th May.

This week, our upper phase newsletter is attached with information from Year 5 & 6 for you to enjoy.

Have a good weekend.

Mrs Jones

## PTA meeting

We will be holding a PTA meeting on Tuesday 17th May at 3pm. You do not have to be a member of the committee to support the PTA. We are currently planning summer and autumn term events and need help from parents/carers throughout the year. You do not have to commit a specific amount of time but just be willing to be part of some events over the year. Without volunteers, we are unable to offer the children the activities that we would like to. So please do come along next week if you can to find out more.

## Marvellous Me Badges

Badges can be earned by the children for demonstrating positive behaviours in line with our school vision and values

1st—6B (382)

2nd—6N (226)

3rd—3W (181)

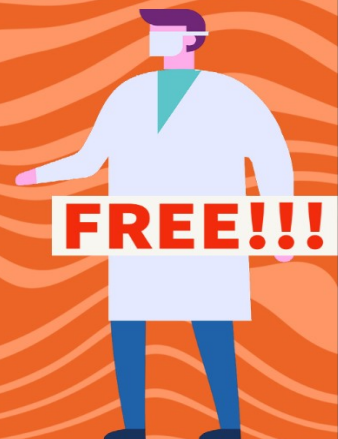
Well done to class 6B who win additional break and time on the outdoor gym

## FIRST AID WORKSHOP

**1 week in partnership with Great Clacton Junior School**

**Friday 20th May  
9:15 - 11:15**

**learning some basic life saving techniques to look after your family**



ACL FAMILY LEARNING

**LOVE**

**INTEGRITY**

**GENEROSITY**

**HOPE**

**THANKFULNESS**

**SERVICE**

# Upper Phase Newsletter

## May 2022

### Hello

It's been a busy couple of weeks in upper phase! The children have been working hard in both year 5 and 6 with year 6 taking part in their SATs this week.

Have a wonderful weekend; let's hope the sunshine is here to stay!  
Miss Watts

### Important Dates

#### May 2022

27th May - Jubilee Party

30th May - 3rd June - Half Term

#### June 2022

6th-10th - Year 6 Residential Trip

### Year 6

This week, Year 6 have worked incredibly hard on their SATs. We are so proud of their efforts this week and we know that they have done their very best. Their attitude towards the tests has been amazing and I know we have some very proud teachers in year 6! We even managed to let our hair down a bit on Thursday afternoon with some dodgeball!



### Learning in Year 5

5H have been looking at states of matter in Science. This week they looked at irreversible and reversible changes!



5W have also been looking at the Maya civilisation and looked at the question, 'Do the Maya people face the same challenges today as they did in the past?'



This week in 5O, in line with our key question 'Can we have rights without responsibilities?', we completed some independent research around Fairtrade. We will be continuing to build on this learning through looking at how this linked in with the Maya civilisation.



# Celebration Worship

Well done everyone for your hard work this week. The following children received excellence and values certificates in our special celebration worship

## Excellence

Evie Verbaan  
Ella-Rose Brabben  
Markie Coppola  
Harley Partner  
Lola Smith  
Mikey Costa  
Denis Mitchell  
All of Year 6!

## Values

Poppy Hawtin  
Kenny Smith  
Libby Brown  
Ryder Burgess  
Jude Bishop  
Oliver Cole  
Jude Beech