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Friday 12th May 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

After the Coronation celebrations last weekend and our second Bank Holiday of the term, we returned to school on Tuesday. I arrived in school to see that our Year 6 children were in nice and early for a special breakfast before starting their SATS test. I am so impressed with how focused the children have been. I would like to say a huge WELL DONE to the children and all the adults who have supported the children.

Next week our Year 2 pupils will undertake their SATS assessments in small groups. We work hard to reassure the children that the assessments are not to be worried about and we manage their well being carefully. Our children in the other year groups 3, 4 and 5 will undertake their termly assessments too.

Today, Miss Gray and her baby, Enzo visited the children in Elm class. The delight on the childrens' faces was a joy to see. She had the warmest welcome from us all.

With the warmer weather, please bear in mind that your child/children may need sun hats/caps in school. Summer dresses and shorts are most welcome as long as they follow our school uniform policy.

Please do take a note of all of our upcoming dates and put them in the diary. On Tuesday 23rd May, do join me for the Parents' Forum at 7:30pm. The focus of the meeting will be on behaviour.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Sandra Miller

Interim Headteacher

This week in Fir class....



In RE lessons, the children have been looking at Judaism and this week they learnt about Shabbat, the Jewish holy day. They enjoyed looking at the different artefacts associated with this celebration.



In our science topic lessons, looking at states of matter and water, we created micro environments with soil and plants where we could see the water cycle in action – evaporation, condensation, precipitation and collection.



Leo showed great Creativity and continuation of our English text learning at home by building his own Dalek!

Key Dates – Term 5 & 6

Thursday 18th May – Year 5 to Salisbury Racecourse for Maths Workshop

Saturday 20th May – Mini Marathon Laverstock Schools site

Tuesday 23rd May- Parents' Forum virtual meeting

Week Commencing 29th May Half Term

Monday 19th June – Class photos

Saturday 24th June – School & Village Fete

Monday 26th June – Year 6 to Chalke Valley History Festival

Monday 26th June – Confirmation Service at St Michaels & All Saints Church, Coombe Bissett 2pm

Wednesday 28th June – Sports Day

Friday 30th June – Inset Day – School Closed to pupils

Monday 3rd July – Inset Day – School Closed to pupils

Tuesday 4th July – Ash Class trip to London

Wednesday 5th July – Wiltshire Schools Transition Day

Thursday 6th July – Year 6 Cathedral virtual service

Friday 7th July – Burgate School Transition day

Wednesday 12th July – Reserve Sports Day

Wednesday 19th July – KS2 Production 2pm & 6pm performances

Tuesday 25th July – Last Day of Term 6

**Wiltshire Parent Carer Council have recently told us
about their Short Breaks Bulletin.**

**The Bulletin is available electronically on the
Wiltshire Parent Carer Website**

**[http://www.wiltshireparentcarercouncil.co.uk/en/Short_breaks_-Short
Breaks Bulletin](http://www.wiltshireparentcarercouncil.co.uk/en/Short_breaks_-Short_Breaks_Bulletin)**

**Alternatively you can ring them on 01225 764647
This programme offers lots of fun activities for your child(ren)
including swimming groups, discos, soft play sessions etc
The school's hard copy of the programme is available in the school
reception.**

**If you would like your own hard copy please
ring the number above or email
reception@wiltspcc.co.uk**

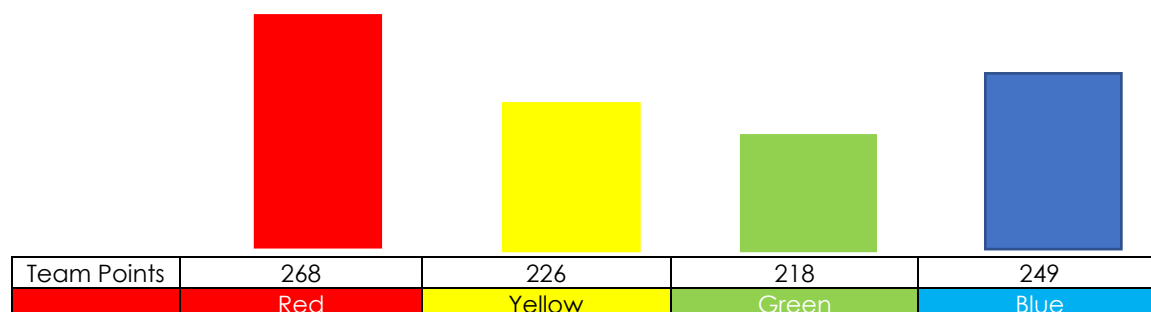
Rewards this Week

A Reminder about Team Points & Green Cards

- **Team Points** are awarded for a pupil's school work
 - **Green Cards** are based on school values (this term's is commitment)
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Team Point Totals for this week & last week:


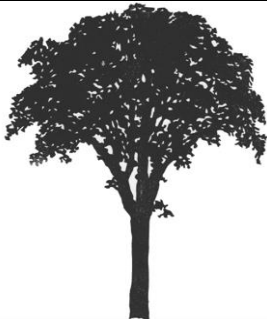


Well Done to everyone awarded a Team Point or Green Card, with particular Congratulations to Red House the winners this week with an amazing 268 points.



Team Point Running Totals for the Year so far

4807	4632	4619	4611
Red	Yellow	Green	Blue

Green Cards by Class

			
80	110	23	72
Oak	Elm	Fir	Ash

There will be a non-uniform day for Elm Class on Friday 19th May 2023. Please ensure children wear clothes and shoes appropriate for the school day.

ATTENDANCE FIGURES

Attendance figures for each class for week (w/c 8th May 2023):

Ash class – 95.96%

Fir class – 98.33%

Elm class – 93.96%

Oak class – 96.87%

Congratulations to Fir Class who achieved the best attendance last week.

VACANCY

Butlers Cleaning Services

Seeking a Cleaner at Coombe Bissett Primary School
Five afternoons per week, 3 hours per day Term Time only
plus 1 – 3 days Deep Clean per year

If you are interested or you know someone who may be

Please contact:

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