



**Dear Parents and Carers,**

It is unbelievable to think that we are already in the final half term of this academic year! At least we now have some good weather, so it at least feels like the Summer Term!

We are planning a range of events so that the end of our school year feels a little more normal. Below, you will find details of some 'moving up afternoons' which we have planned for all children, so that they have chance to prepare for the transition to their new classes. This will include the nursery children moving up to their reception class for three afternoons too. Prior to these afternoons, Mrs Gallimore-Johnson will send home a welcome pack to all new reception parents, and she and Miss Williams will hold a Zoom meeting (on 1<sup>st</sup> July) to answer any questions that you may have before your child starts school. Hopefully, the weather and Covid will co-operate with us, and we will be able to hold some sports day events in class bubbles. More details about those can be found at the end of this bulletin. We hope that some of you will be able to join us for those. We also plan to hold an outdoor leavers' service (and again more details are below) where some of Owl Class will showcase parts of the *Wind in the Willows* performance which they have been working on in drama club. They will also record the full version of their musical for you to all enjoy at home!

*Mrs Deborah Sadler*  
**Headteacher**



**REMINDERS & NOTICES**



**Teach Rex**

We are pleased to announce that the Teach Rex event (which was postponed in December) will be going ahead on **Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> July**.

We have details of everyone who paid for this event back in the Autumn Term.

**Leavers' Service**

We are hoping to hold an outdoor Leavers' Service for our Year 6 pupils, on **Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> July at 9:30am**. Covid restrictions permitting, Year 6 children will be able to invite 1 parent/adult to the event. Parts of the event will be recorded for parents who cannot attend.

**Transition Events**

On the **afternoons of 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> July**, all of our children who will be in Reception up to Year 6 in September will have transition afternoons. They will go up to their new classrooms and new class teachers, and complete some 'getting to know you' activities, and will become familiar with their new surroundings. Ahead of this, parents of children going into Reception will receive a welcome pack, and will then be invited to a **Zoom Q&A session on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> July at 4pm**.

**WORSHIP**



This half term, in worship, we will be focusing on the Christian value of **truthfulness**. Next week, we will be introducing this new value to the children. If children have any prayers, linked to this theme, that they would like to share during worship, they would be very welcome to do so.

**CELEBRATION!**



**Happy Birthday to:**

Lauren, who celebrates her birthday this week!



**AWARD WINNERS**

Congratulations to this week's **Headteacher Award winners**, who are:

- Hummingbirds:** Reggie C, Tia and Martha
- Robin Class:** Lauren, Ralph, Enid, Bobby and Noah
- Skylark Class:** Charlie, Lukas, Poppy P and Bella-May
- Kingfisher Class:** Philippa, Gabrielle and Mateen
- Owl Class:** Bertie, Danielle, Charlie and Lily-May

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

- Friday 18<sup>th</sup> June** – Kingfisher Class trip
- Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> July (4pm)** – New Reception parent meeting
- Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> July** – Rearranged date for Teach Rex visit
- Monday 12<sup>th</sup> July** – PD Day. School closed to pupils.
- Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> July** – Leavers' Service

**Girls' Football Achievement**

Yesterday, some of our Owl Class girls visited Grange Primary for a girls' football varsity events, competing against the other Trust primaries. All of the children played incredibly well, and Mrs Davies commented how proud he was of the excellent sporting attitude shown by the team. They were real superstars, and the Lower Heath team won all of their matches and the overall tournament! This is a fabulous achievement! Congratulations to Charlotte, Sophia, Evie, Olivia B, Olivia F, Lottie and Daisy, and well done to all of the teams who took part.



## Sports Days

As with our Leavers' Service, dependent on Covid restrictions, we are planning to hold mini sports day events for each class bubble. They will take place between 1:30pm and 2:20pm on the following afternoons, and each child will be able to invite one parent/adult to watch. Adults will have to book a place in advance, and a specific seat will be allocated to them during the event, which they will have to remain seated in throughout. Weather permitting, we plan to hold our events on the following afternoons:

**Owl Class: 28<sup>th</sup> June**

**Skylark Class: 19<sup>th</sup> July**

**Hummingbird Class: 9<sup>th</sup> July**

**Kingfisher Class: 29<sup>th</sup> June**

**Robin Class: 13<sup>th</sup> July**

## Relationships and Sex Education Parent Consultation

Thanks to all of the parents who responded to our RSE questionnaire. We received some useful comments and questions which we responded to during the Zoom meeting yesterday. Thanks also to those parents who joined us. If you were unable to attend, but would like to see the presentation shared at the start of the meeting in response to your questionnaire comments and queries, look out for an email next week which will contain a link, enabling you to view the meeting recording.



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