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## Friday 14<sup>th</sup> May – Summer Term Issue 4

The week started with Class 3 taking part in their music workshops. They had lots of fun learning to make various sounds with the 'Doods'. I look forward to hearing them progress and learning different tunes together! Thank you Mr. Este and Mrs. Bevan for all your hard work organising and supporting this fabulous learning opportunity.

This week we have been thinking about Ascension Day leading into Pentecost. The children have been thinking about making good choices and how to support others and spread good news. Thank you to Hazel and all the teaching staff for their hard work and support with this learning.

As a school, we are very aware of the difficult time everyone has experienced during these unprecedented times. As a result, the team have been focussing on supporting children with their emotional well-being and their ability to identify their feelings. Mrs Archer is leading a 'Zones of Regulation' project which helps children to learn about their feelings and how to cope with them. I have attached a leaflet to help you support the children at home. This is also on the Class blogs and visible around the school. If you have any questions about this project, please arrange an appointment through the school office.

As the government prepares to lift some restrictions from Monday 17<sup>th</sup> May, please can I remind you to continue to be vigilant and adhere to the current school safety guidelines. There are a number of children suffering from coughs and colds at this time. Please continue to monitor them and check all symptoms. If you have any queries, please do contact the school and we will be happy to help you.

Please can I remind you not to park in the school car park before and after school. Also, there should not be any dogs on school grounds – even if being carried. These are both for safety reasons. Thank you

This week, I met with the school council to discuss school improvement, they had some exciting and practical ideas to help the school to be even better. I look forward to working with them and all the pupils to realise some of their plans!

Wishing you all a relaxing weekend.

*Mrs L Eastbrook*

Headteacher



### **PTFA NEWS COMING SOON**

Frozen Friday  
Ice-Creams  
21/5/21



Around The  
World  
Landmark Hunt



Summer Raffle



Jesus said "Let the children come to me." (Matthew 19:14)  
Courageous Creative Friendly Persevering Responsible Truthful



## Certificate of Achievement Winners

**Class 1:** Frankie  
Rory

**Class 2:** Albie  
Christopher

**Class 3:** Lacey  
Sophie

**Class 4:** Jessica  
William



## Attendance

Class 1 – 91%  
Class 2 – 97%  
Class 3 – 94%  
Class 4 – 90%  
Whole School – 93%  
Whole School Year: 96%  
(Target 97%)

## House points

This week's house point winners  
are:

# BLACKWATER



## Diary dates

*Unfortunately, no events are open to parents at the current time.  
We will share on the blogs where possible.*

- 24<sup>th</sup> May – New parents meeting
- 28<sup>th</sup> May – Non-Uniform Day
- 31<sup>st</sup> May – 4<sup>th</sup> June Half term
- 14<sup>th</sup> June – Class photos
- 25<sup>th</sup> June Sports Day Classes 1&2 AM Classes 3&4 PM
- Last Day Summer Term Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July 2021

## Inset Days

- 7<sup>th</sup> June 2021
- 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2021

*Dear God,*

*Help us to have courage and be true to ourselves. Help us to  
look after others and respect their beliefs. May we always  
spread good news and happiness in all that we do.*

*Amen*

**Christian Value: Courageous**

