

Caythorpe Chronicle

The weekly news from Caythorpe Primary School

Friday 29th April 2022

Enchanted Forest and Neverland Visit Rand Farm

The children of Enchanted Forest and Neverland visited Rand Farm Park as part of their topic "How should Old McDonald look after his farm?". Rand Farm is a working farm and so the children had the opportunity to experience "hands on" many activities which happen on a farm.



The children took part in the big animal feeding, lamb bottle feeding and chick handling. One lamb was so excited to see the Caythorpe children.... It escaped its pen! But Mr Roberts had him under control!



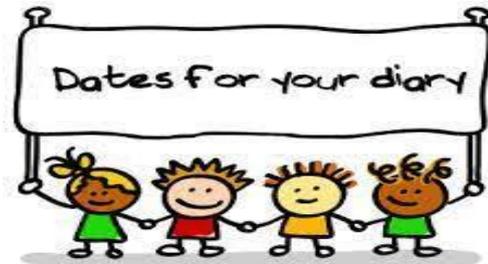
The children also gained an understanding of where food comes from including watching how cows are milked. To end their visit, the children took their seats in the covered trailer for a tractor ride. to see the whole farm and animals in the fields.



There was even time to check out the play park.



Back at school these experiences will help make the learning within the classroom more meaningful for the children. Enabling them to make links to real life. They will learn about life cycles of animals within their science lessons. EYFS will learn about baby animals and compare them to their parents.



- Monday 2nd May - Bank Holiday
- Tuesday 3rd May - Rearranged Netball at home against Our Lady
- Monday 9th May - Y6 SATs week begins
- Thursday 19th May - "Moving On" Y6 workshop
- Monday 23rd May - Y5/6 PGL Residential meeting
- Tuesday 24th May - Rearranged Netball Match at home against Kirkby-La-Thorpe
- Friday 27th May - Queen's Jubilee celebrations - dress up for the occasion and competition details to follow
- End of Term 5
- Monday 6th June - Term 6 begins
- Y4 multiplication check and Y1 Phonics screening begins
- Tuesday 14 June - 6.30 pm New Parents Evening
- Wednesday 15th June - Sports Day if dry - parents welcome in the morning.
- Wednesday 29th June - Games Day
- Monday 4th July - Y5/6 PGL Residential
- Monday 4th July - Reception intake September 2022 Parents' Meeting at 6.30pm
- Wednesday 6th July - Y5/6 return from PGL
- Wednesday 6th July - Reception intake September 2022 transition afternoon 1.15pm
- Thursday 7th July - Reception intake September 2022 transition afternoon 1.15pm
- Wednesday 13th July - KS2 afternoon performance
- Thursday 14th July - KS2 evening performance 6pm
- Tuesday 19th July - End of year awards ceremony
- Thursday 21st July - Year 6 Leavers presentation and BBQ
- Friday 22nd July - End of term picnic



For last week, Reception and Year 6 had top attendance with 100%! Amazing, well done!

Hogwarts Visit Newark Civil War Museum

The Year 5 and 6 visited The Civil War Museum in Newark as part of their topic "Would you rather be a Roundhead or a Cavalier?".



All the children in Hogwarts Class had a brilliant day. They completed three interactive workshops as well as exploring the exhibitions and artefacts on display.



Amazingly, they had the opportunity to wear armour and handle weaponry used during the Civil War. They also learnt about the lives of different individuals of the time, including spies!



It was an engaging and informative trip which has brought learning to life. The children have now been able to draw on their experiences to enhance their learning for the rest of the topic.



The adults accompanying the visit couldn't resist dressing up either!



Lincolnshire Transport

If your child is starting primary school or transferring to secondary school in September 2022 they may be eligible for school transport. If you think your child is eligible please apply for transport as soon as you have your offer of a school place. Applications can be made online at the website below or a telephone application can be made by contacting the Customer Service Centre on 01522 782020.

We would be grateful if applications can be made by 31 May 2022.

For more information about the home to school transport policy and online applications please go to www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/school-college-transport.

Queries can be emailed to schooltransportapplications@lincolnshire.gov.uk.

SATs Week Breakfast

This Year the pupils in Year 6 will take their Standard Attainment Tests (SATs) on the following dates: The SATs are important but all we ask is that the children try their hardest and do their best.

Monday May 9th 2022	English grammar, punctuation and spelling: Paper 1: questions Paper 2: spelling
Tuesday May 10th 2022	Reading
Wednesday May 11th 2022	Maths: Paper 1: arithmetic Paper 2: reasoning
Thursday May 12th 2022	Maths: Paper 3: reasoning

Y6 children are welcome to come to school for some breakfast before the SATs if they wish. **Breakfast will be served in Mr Murphy's classroom (Hogwarts) at 8.30am (Monday - Thursday).** Please use the front side gate entrance.

Welcome back through the doors!

Today we welcomed the parents, carers and the community back into the school. It was lovely to see you all.

This morning was the FSA coffee morning. Parents were able to catch up over a cuppa and a slice of cake. Look at those delicious cakes.



This afternoon the children who received "Work to be proud of!" certificates were delighted to see their families in our celebration assembly.

Queen's Jubilee Celebrations



The school will celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee on Friday 27th May, our last day of term. The school is participating in the following ways...

- Village banner - Mrs Bartholomew has asked for a children's committee to help her create the village banner. Many children were willing to volunteer.
- Competition - see details opposite.
- Crown parade of competition entries in the playground

On Friday 27th May, children may come dressed in red, white and blue or as a member of the Royal Family. At lunchtime we will all have our lunches "street party" style, on picnic benches and tables in the playground.

The classes are organising Queen's Platinum Jubilee style activities throughout the day.

At the end of the day there will be a Celebration Assembly where competition winners will be announced. This assembly will be a little earlier at 2.45pm as it is an end of term assembly.

Jubilee Competition



I need a new crown for my party celebrations!

The Queen needs a new crown!

Competition 1: Design and make a crown for the Jubilee celebrations. Entries will be judged at the royal procession on Friday 27th May.

Competition 2: Design a Platinum Jubilee stamp to mark the occasion. Entries to be handed in by Friday 27th May for judging.

Ask for an entry form from your class teacher!



Parish Council Commemorative Mugs

We have been approached by Andy Roberts, a representative from Caythorpe Parish Council. The parish council have kindly offered to gift the pupils at Caythorpe Primary a commemorative Queen's Jubilee mug. The wording on the mug will say

"Presented to the children of Caythorpe Primary by the village to commemorate The Platinum Jubilee of H.R.H. Queen Elizabeth II"



If you **DO NOT** want your child/children to receive a mug or if you would prefer to have a single mug for families, could you please let Mrs Madge or Mrs Hunt know so we can ensure all children who want one, receive one.