

# News From The Office...

#### Dear Parents / Carers,

Welcome back and I hope you managed to have a lovely Easter break. As the weather, we hope, starts to become a little warmer and brighter can I remind you to make sure you send your child with a named water bottle, containing only water please.

Your child's newsletter and knowledge organiser will be sent to you this week, please take a look at what your child will be studying this term and there are some good ideas on ways in which you can support your child at home on a particular topic. Please look at the dates for your diary at the bottom of the newsletter as there are many events in the Summer term with the Sports Day dates on there too.

Thank you again for your continued support as we move into the Summer term, as always if you have any queries or questions at all please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher.

**Yours Sincerely** 

Natasha Kelly

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#### Parent Events...

Mrs Lamb writes...

We have a busy term ahead with plenty of opportunities for parents and carers to get involved in school life. Feel Good Families sessions start on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> April at 9am. The workshop will focus on desirable and undesirable behaviour, behaviour management with strategies to support positive behaviours and stress management for parents. You will even receive a free aromatherapy session at the end of the programme. If you are interested in this workshop or feel you need some support with your child's behaviour, please email admin@risepark.nottingham.sch.uk to express your interest.

Mummy and me exercise sessions will start on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> April at 2pm. This is an exercise session that parents can access with their younger children. The sessions will be delivered by a qualified practitioner during school time. Each session will cost only £2. Places are limited so

#### please book you place via admin@risepark.nottingham.sch.uk

Our monthly coffee morning will take place on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April at 9am. Please come along for a free hot and cold breakfast and relax and chat with friends. Toddlers are welcome and toys will be available to keep them entertained!

Save the date! Our Summer Fair will be held on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June 4pm-6pm. If you are able to donate raffle prizes, tombola prizes, cakes, wine or would like to hold your own stall please speak to Mrs Lamb. If you would like to help on the day please speak to Mrs Lamb or email admin@riseprk.nottingham.sch.uk

### Primary Parliament...

Mrs Koulouri writes...

Primary Parliament is a termly opportunity for primary school pupils to come together and have their voices heard.

This term's Primary Parliament explored the digital world, children's experiences of being online and awareness of new digital tools to stay safe online. Our pupils engaged in two workshops. The first involved discussing online tools, trends of using the internet and what it is like to be a child in the digital world. The second, focussed on the trustworthiness of things we read online and how we can use critical thinking skills to keep safe.

After taking part in both workshops, pupils were set a brief to develop a message they could take back to school around survival skills in the digital world. Working with another local school, our pupils presented their ideas in various creative ways and presented their ideas on stage to all the other schools and Primary Parliament members.

## After School Clubs - Summer 1

This half term there are lots of different clubs available across the different year groups. Year 1 will have Multi-Sports on Tuesdays. Year 4 will be able to develop their Cricket skills on Wednesdays. Year 5 will enjoy learning and developing their skills in Badminton on Thursdays. Salsa club will begin again for years 3, 4 and 5 with Mrs Rawlins, they will be practicing their moves ready for a special performance at the summer fair! Mrs Lewis will be doing Arts and Crafts with Year 2 on Thursdays. Karate, Choir and Football for both girls and boys will also continue and will do throughout the year for different year groups!

### **Dates For Your Diary....**

18th April 9.00 - 11.30 Feel Good Families Workshop
19th April 9.10 - 9.40 F2 Parent Reading Café
25th April 9.00 - 9.45 Coffee Morning
17th May 9.10 - 9.40 F2 Parent Reading Café
22nd May 9.30 - 11.30 Year 1, 2 and 3 Sports Day
22nd May 9.30 - 11.00 Year 4, 5, 6 Sports Day
23rd May 9.30 - 11.00 F2 Sports Day
24th May - INSET Day (School closed to pupils)
27th May - 31st May Half term
3rd June - School Re-opens
6th June 3.15 - 4.00pm KS2 Fathers Day Event
10th June 3.30 - 9.00 F2 Fathers Day Event
14th June 4.00 - 6.00 pm Summer Fair
28th June 9.10 - 9.40 F2 Parent Reading Café

1st July - INSET Day (School closed to pupils)
2nd July 4.00 - 5.00pm KS2 Production
4th July 4.00 - 5.00pm KS2 Production
26th July 10.00 - 11.00am Year 6 Leavers assembly
(Year 6 to go home after assembly)
26th July - Last day of school (school open)
29th August - INSET Day (School closed to pupils)
30th August - School Re-opens

EARLY WARNING FOR ALL PARENTS/CARERS OF YEAR 6 PUPILS: YEAR 6 SATS WEEK STARTS MONDAY 13th MAY.

