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Weekly Newsletter 19th July 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

Happy News

Kites have loved writing about their favourite memories of Kites!
Stars of the Week are Isabella R-H and Dominic T.

Year 1 Year 1 have been making moving animal pictures and colourful clay animal tiles!
Stars of the Week are Megan T and Miss Bartlett's class.

Year 2 have enjoyed making multilink towers and estimating their lengths in Big Maths.
Stars of the Week are Chloe B and Luke J.

Year 3 have loved watching the Year 6 play this week, especially joining in with the fun dances. Year 3 have also enjoyed trying to work out how many 2D shapes they can find in the playground today during the last Big Maths of the year.
Stars of the Week are Wilbur H, Robin B-M and Leonardo B.

Year 4 have had a lovely week finishing off our literacy, science and history topics and enjoying the Year 6 play.
Stars of the Week are Anson M and Elsie Y.

Year 5 really enjoyed the surprise 'hat and shades' assembly! They weren't expecting that!
Stars of the Week are Joey D, Azor S and Felix C.

Year 6 have had a fabulous week! The three performances of the Y6 play absolutely rocked and then they ended the week with a day camping in the paddock and a huge water fight!!
Stars of the Week are Wynter G and Ben L.

Year 3/4 Rounders Tournament

On Thursday, Miss Green and Coach Joe took two Year 3/4 teams to a tournament on Peppard Green. Find out how we did by clicking on the link:

<https://sonningcommonprimary.co.uk/sport/2024/07/19/y3-4-rounders-to...on-peppard-green/>

School Uniform

All new school uniform is available to purchase from www.earthuniform.com, please allow up to 3 weeks for delivery during the summer holidays.

There are still some items available to purchase via MCAS and collect from the school office. Sizes available can be viewed on MCAS under 'Uniform Shop'.

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School dinners and wraparound care

Due to the cost-of-living crisis, we have really tried hard to keep increases to a minimum.

However, we have reached the point where we are having to put prices for school dinners and wraparound care up slightly due to rises in food and energy costs.

New prices from September 2024 will be:

- Key Stage 2 dinners will be £2.60 per meal
- Breakfast Club will be £6 per session including a choice of breakfast options
- Afterschool Club (4pm pickup) will be £4.50 per session
- Afterschool Club (6pm pickup) will be £14 including a substantial meal

We still believe that we offer families outstanding value. We will retain our flexible booking policies ensuring our wraparound care remains accessible and our NVQ3 trained staff will continue to provide a diverse range of activities for children.

The fabulous Kites Kitchen team will continue to provide a range of delicious and nutritious food choices for lunches and in our wraparound care setting.

Name Tag Labelling: we can earn commission!

If you are needing to name any new uniform or equipment, please consider using the codes below:

Easy2name– Various types of labels. Commission up to 20% per order by entering the fundraising group: FR-SONNING-99. Any order using this code will also receive free shipping with their purchase.

Stikins – Various types of labels. Commission up to 30% per order by entering the code 18186

Mrs Dunstan's charity challenge!

Rosemary Dunstan, retired village librarian, but still school bookshop organiser (did you know the school has a bookshop?) is soon to start her annual charity challenge. She is going to walk (hopefully) the Coast to Coast route from St Bees in Cumbria to Robin Hood's Bay in Yorkshire, a distance of about 200 miles, in 2 weeks, starting on 23rd July. She is hoping to raise at least £2000 for the Institute of Cancer Research, based at the Royal Marsden Hospital in London. If you'd like to sponsor her, please go to

www.justgiving.com/page/rosemarydunstanc2c

JNR Summer camp

Please click on the link for information on JNR's Summer Activity Camp:

<https://www.buildarray.com/u/BOMX>

Young Climate Warriors

Keep up to date with their weekly challenges via their website: <https://www.youngclimatewarriors.org/>

Community Noticeboard

Remember to look at the [Community Noticeboard](#) for events and activities that may be of interest.

There are lots of summer activities and camps on the noticeboard!

Your headteacher

Mr Chris Hirst

Dates for your Diary

July 2024	
Tuesday 23 rd	Kites singing to parents 2.30pm
Tuesday 23 rd	Jazz Club Performance on KS2 playground 3.10pm
Wednesday 24 th	End of Term – school finishes at 1.15pm

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