



Welcome to The Infant Informative



Yom Kippur

Friday 22nd September 2023 Issue 03

Another fantastic week of learning under our belts. The children feel very settled into their new classrooms and learning environments. Today, KS1 took part in their British Sign Language assembly. It is great that we are all learning a new language together; ask them to show you some of their signs. Reception will join us after the October half term, nursery learn some important signs too!

As you all know, schools are very busy places, and we do implement rules to make sure the grounds stay safe and we are fair between all children. Please remember the following:

- Children should be dropped directly to their classroom door, parents should supervise their children on the playground
- Children should not play with equipment/resources outside of classrooms in the morning, this includes the pirate ship
- Water bottles should contain water only, no juices, cordials or fizzy drinks
- Parents should not park in a way that disturbs our neighbours; yellow lines are there for a reason. Never block a driveway
- The colder weather is on its way, children should have a decent weatherproof coat with them

Following these rules really makes a difference, we thank you for your cooperation.

Now, with the moans out of the way, let's end with some positive and fantastic news! Two of our children Oliver and Jacob successfully completed the Twilight Challenge at Blackbushe Airport a few weeks ago. This involved riding their scooters for 5 kilometres, raising around £100 for our school. What a tremendous achievement and a true showcase of our British Values. The money will of course be put to good use within our school.

I wish you all a brilliant weekend with your families. Mr O'Shea :)



TRICK BOX

We use Trick Box everyday at school. It teaches children to regulate their own emotions and become their own problem solvers. We have a new 'trick' every two weeks for reception and KS1 children. Nursery have similar 'habits' to learn too. **Press the Trick Box logo to the left**, to navigate to our website with all of the information you will need to practice these tricks at home too.

A message from our Assistant Headteacher - Miss Saunders

This week's recommended read is *Tree!* As summer officially ends on the 23rd September (tomorrow), this book takes us on a stunning journey of what happens in nature as the season changes.



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DIARY DATES

- Year 1 Curriculum meeting - 26th Sept @ 08:45 am
- School tour for 2024 - 27th Sept @ 14:15pm, please book through the office
- Year 2 Curriculum meeting - 28th Sept @ 08:45 am
- Reception Curriculum meeting - 3rd Oct @ 08:45 am
- Flu Immunisations (see ParentMail sent 15th September for details) - 4th Oct
- School tour for 2024 - 10th Oct @ 10am, please book through the office
- School Photo Day - 11th Oct
- Year 1 Space Day - 13th Oct
- Year 2 Castle Day - 16th Oct
- Parent evenings will be held on 17th (15:30 - 18:00) & 19th (16:30 - 19:30) October, more info to follow



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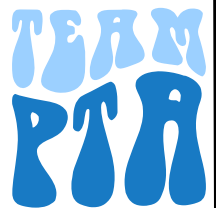
Thank you for joining our PTA meeting on Wednesday - it was great to welcome lots of new and returning parents. We have an exciting term of events and activities for the children and parents to look forward to!

Our AGM is on **Wednesday 2nd October**, 8pm via Zoom - please do come along!

- Vote in the new committee for 2023/24
- Find out how we've raised money
- Have a say in how money is spent
- Help decide on future events



New ideas welcome! All offers of help appreciated!



The Chair position is vacant - please do drop me a message if it is something you would like to consider? Perhaps you would be happy to co-chair with another parent? crisainformation@gmail.com



our clubs

After School Club Timetable - Autumn Term 2023

Bookings are currently live for all clubs and can be made by contacting them directly. The flyers have been uploaded in the [Clubs](#) section of our school website.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Playball Year 1 & 2 3pm - 3.45pm	Playball Year 1 & 2 3pm - 3.45pm	Bilingua Sing Year 1 & 2 12.30pm - 1.00pm	Ultimate Coaching Year 1 & 2 Dodgeball 3pm - 4.15pm	Ultimate Coaching Year 1 & 2 Football 3pm - 4.15pm
Jam Coding Year 1 & 2 3.05pm - 4.00pm	Yoga Year 1 & 2 3pm - 4pm	Hotsteppers Dance Year 1 & 2 3pm - 4.00pm	Boogie Pumps Drama Year 1 & 2 3pm - 4pm	
		Playball Year 1 3pm - 3.45pm		



yoga and dodgeball sessions available

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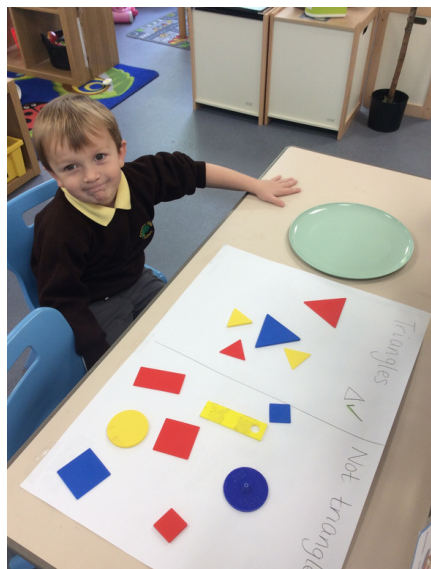


This week in early years, we have...

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This week we have been reading **The Perfect Fit** by Naomi Jones, which is all about different shapes and what they can do. We have enjoyed talking about the things that we can do and talking about what we like. Inside the classroom, we have been building using a variety of different shaped blocks. We have attempted to sort circles, triangles and squares into groups and made our own shape pictures. In our outdoor area, we have enjoyed completing shape hunts, and we also went on a walk around school to see which shapes we could find in our environment.

The children enjoyed building dens on a rainy afternoon, using the den kit that was donated to us by a lovely parent, thank you so much!



REC

The children have done brilliantly this week, settling into having lunch in the school hall every day.

Our story of the week has been **The Worry Monster** which focusses on a little monster with butterflies inside. He creates a worry tool kit which helps him deal with his worries. We have all spoken about our worries and have a worry monster where we can put our worries in to receive help.

This week all the children have checked in every morning by putting their name on a colour monster, dependent on how they are feeling. This has been great to talk to the children about their different emotions (happy, sad, worried, angry or calm).

The children have continued to explore the different areas of our indoor and outdoor provision and have made huge progress in tidying up and the way they are playing with each other / the equipment!

Just a small reminder, we will be outside in all weathers so please send your child in with a coat! Thank you.



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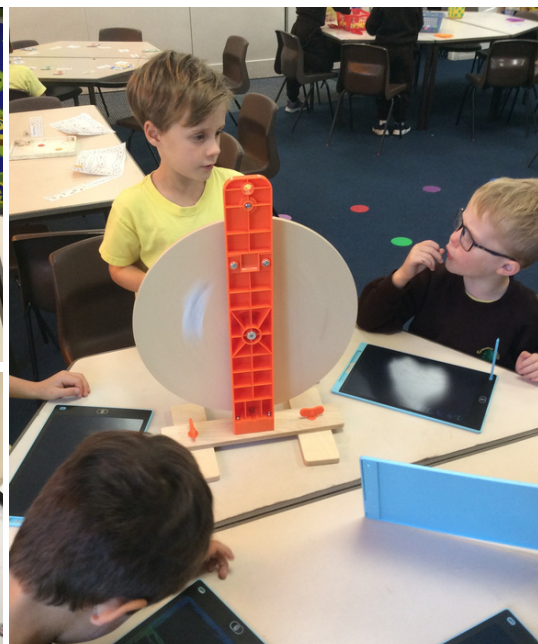
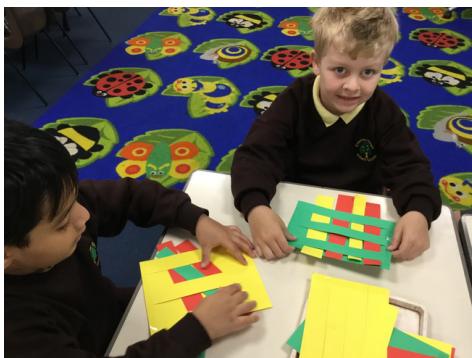
This week in KS1 we have...

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It has been a productive week in Year 1.

We have been sequencing and retelling the story of **Whatever Next** by Jill Murphy. In maths, we have been looking at identifying one more and one less and counting backwards within 10. In science, we have been working on the features of a human face. The children are great at identifying their features! We also drew a simple map of our school grounds for Geography. We explored and composed a short piece of music about space and listened to Neptune by Gustav Holst.

Year 1 demonstrated how to move like an animal during Gymnastics, changing their travel direction to making their movements look interesting.



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This week year 2 have been writing a retelling of the book **Zog** by Julia Donaldson. They have included brilliant adjectives to make their writing unique. In Maths we have been using number lines to find and estimate numbers. We have also started to compare objects and numbers. During music we have continued practicing the folk song 'My Bonnie lies over the ocean' and have added a range of instruments to create drone in time with the pulse. In computing we have designed our own robots considering input and output. In history we have turned our classroom into great halls and decorated them with tapestries, shields and coats of arms. In gymnastics we have practiced our balances and made a sequence using different modes of travel. In science we have learnt about human growth and recorded it as a diagram. In DT we have started to make our castle by constructing a shape from a net.



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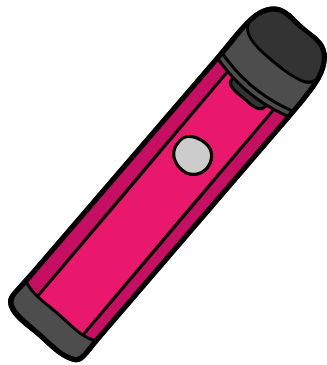
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Camberley's Halloween Haunt

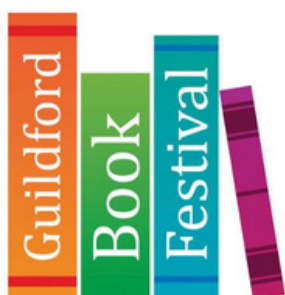


SATURDAY
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DECEMBER

Cinderella - A Camberley Theatre Production



GUILDFORD
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1 - 18 OCTOBER 2023

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Some of our staff are raising money...

This weekend, Miss Corser, Mrs Samuels and Mrs Bailey will be walking an overnight marathon in London to raise money for Cancer Research. Both as a school and individual staff members, cancer affects us all. The team wanted to do something to raise money for such a brilliant cause and would love your support. As you can imagine, walking a marathon and doing it overnight is no small feat – especially during a busy September start! Any donations would be gratefully received.



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