



# SUMMER NEWSLETTER - 29th June, 2018

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**Don't forget to check our updated website and blog for information about your child's learning in school and important dates**

### Don't book any holidays!

**All** unauthorised absence will be subject to Hampshire County Council Attendance Policy - please see school website for details. Penalty fines **WILL BE ISSUED** for any unauthorised absence that meets the criteria. Every child should be in school **EVERY** day.

Please note that any time taken off during the following dates will automatically result in a fine:

**YEAR 2 - SATs - throughout May**

**YEAR 1 - PHONICS - week of June 11th**

Please **DO NOT** book any holiday during these times.

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a fabulous sports' week we have had! Your children have enjoyed learning rugby, yoga, cricket and showing off their skills on sponsored skills morning and Sports Day! Sports Day is always a challenge to organise so many children and adults moving from place to place. A few bottles and hats were mislaid on the way but hopefully now have been returned.

The Year 2 Quad Kids team have also been in action at the Inter-Schools competition at the Sports Centre. They were amazing and won against 11 other schools.

It has been great to see so many of you at Sports Day and at the Quad Kids competition. I do hope you enjoyed it.

We are busy thinking about next year so on Thursday Year R and Year 1 children will spend the day with their new teachers and Year 2 will spend 2 days in Year 3. It is important that children have time to adjust to the changes so smooth transition is very important to us. Children in Years 1 & R have already met their new teacher this term for storytimes.

'Meet your child's new teacher' meetings next week—do come along: New Yr2 parents on Tuesday 3rd July at 2.30pm; New Yr1 parents on Wednesday 4th July at 2.30pm. Year 2 is going to be very different next year so please come along to that meeting if you can so we can fully explain it to you and answer questions.

I hope you enjoy the weekend - more fun in the sun!

Nicky Cowcher

29th June 2018



### SPORTING SUCCESS

Calmore Infant School Quad Kids' team won against 11 other schools. We are delighted. They gave the activities their full focus and they performed amazingly.



### SPONSORED SKILLS - MONEY - Thank You:

Please send in your sponsored skills' money by Wednesday 4th July! The children have taken home their sponsor sheets that teachers have checked. We had a fabulous morning. Look out for a special sports' newsletter next week that shows all we have done. Thank you to everyone who sponsored their children. All sponsor money will go to pay for extra reading books and maybe a new i-pad if we have enough money! Budget cuts are biting!! I will let you know in a later newsletter how much is collected and how it will be spent.

Thank You.

### 'MEET YOUR CHILD'S NEW TEACHER' MEETINGS

**New Year 2: Tuesday 3rd July at 2.30pm**

**New Year 1: Wednesday 4th July at 2.30pm**

Please come along and meet your child's new teacher.

We have new staff in Year 1 and a completely NEW organisation in Year 2. Please come along so you know exactly what the changes are.

Look forward to seeing you.

### SUMMER FAYRE - Thank you

It was lovely to see so many at the Fayre on Saturday. The FRIENDS worked **so hard** in all that heat and at the last minute due difficulties organising the event. We are all so grateful. Our school budget is VERY tight so the money we made will help pay for little extras we can no longer afford and go towards essentials, e.g. reading books that we are in need of due to wear and tear. £733.43 was raised - thank you all for supporting this event.

### CROSS COUNTRY - Inter-Schools Competition -

on Monday 2nd July at Gang Warily Centre, Fawley. Children chosen for the team **MUST** wear school PE kit so they can be identified - all other schools will be wearing theirs - and trainers. The course is very long and children cannot run in school shoes. The start time is 12.00 noon so it is suggested you collect the children from school at 11am or just before, take a packed lunch to have a picnic down there and be ready to start at 12.00.

### MEET YOUR CHILD'S NEW TEACHER MEETINGS: New Year 2 on Tuesday 3rd July at 2.30pm New Year 1 on Wednesday 4th July at 2.30pm

Please come along and meet your child's new teacher. We have new staff in Yr1 and a completely NEW organisation in Yr2. Please come along so you know exactly what the changes are. We look forward to seeing you.

### WELL DONE CERTIFICATES

Penguins	Ducklings	Goldfinches	Owls	Swallows	Robins
Harvey Layla	Evelyn Joseph	Chloe Jess	Ellie Reece	Sophie Tyler	Alfie Gypsy

### GOLDEN TABLE

Alaina, Alexandra, Tyler, Zachary

### ATTENDANCE

	<u>Week: 4-8 June</u>	<u>11-15 June</u>	<u>18-22 June</u>	
Penguins	95.7%	96.3%	94.7%	
Ducklings	99.0%	96.0%	89.3%	
Goldfinches	98.7%	88.0%	99.3%	
Owls	92.0%	90.0%	94.0%	
Swallows	94.7%	96.3%	94.0%	
Robins	98.7%	92.7%	94.0%	
Whole School				
Attendance:	96.4%	93.2%	94.2%	(The Government expect 96%)

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

**PLEASE NOTE: UNDERLINED ENTRIES ARE NEW DATES**

### JULY

**Tues 3rd 2.30pm New Yr2 parents - Meet the Teacher meeting - CHANGED FROM MONDAY 2ND**

Weds 4th 2.30pm New Yr1 parents - Meet the Teacher meeting

Thurs 5th Children move to new classes including Yr2 to Yr3 (Junior School)

**Fri 6th Yr2 children move to Yr3 (Junior School) for a second day. Please drop off at Calmore Infants as usual in the morning and pick up from Infants at 3pm as usual.**

Weds 11th 3pm Leavers Disco

**Weds 11th Cricket Festival**

Thur 12th 9.00am Year R Assembly - YrR parents invited to attend

Fri 13th Reports out to parents

**Fri 13th YrR Parents' Profile Day for Penguins - book appointment**

**Mon 16th YrR Parents' Profile Day for Ducklings - book appointment**

Mon 16th 1.30 Yr2 leavers' service at St. Anne's Church-Yr2 parents invited (1 parent/child please -restricted room!)

Tue 17th 9.00am Robins' Family Assembly - parents invited

Wed 18th 9.00am Swallows' Family Assembly - parents invited

**Weds 18th 2.30 Yr2 Ukulele Concert - Yr2 parents invited to attend**

**Thurs 19th 2.30 Yr1 Ukulele Concert - Yr1 parents invited to attend**

Fri 20th 3.00pm School closes for Summer Holiday

Mon 23rd School Closed for Inservice Training

### September

3rd & 4th School closed for Inservice Training

Wed 5th School re-opens for Autumn Term

### October

Mon 29th School closed for Inservice Training

### JULY 2019

22nd & 23rd School closed for Inservice Training