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# FRIMLEY TIMES



Dear Parents,

This is my last newsletter of this half-term and then we really are on the final stretch racing towards the end of another school year... crazy!! Summer 2 is always a weird half-term as we are busy, not only with all of the learning that goes on each day in the classroom but also preparing the children (and staff!) for transition to the next year group. Planning is already underway with this and we are looking at how the curriculum, staffing, year groups and classes will be organised in September. As we traditionally do, we will be mixing the current three Y4 classes into three new classes ready for Y5 and the teachers are working together to look at how best to organise this. The current Y3 and current Y5 classes will remain together as they are now but just with a different teacher and year group!

Well done Year 6: A huge well done to our Year 6 children who took part in SATs last week. They approached them with such maturity and confidence and this meant the week ran really smoothly. We invited Suzanne Bullen, who is the new Chair of our Academy Quality Council (previously known as Governors), to come in and see how the tests are organised etc and she was very impressed with the way we conduct these. Huge thanks to Mr Phillips, Miss Cronin, Miss Howard and all the staff who helped last week. Also thanks to the children in the other year groups who waited patiently every day as they did not go out for break time until the Y6 children had finished their tests – they all showed such respect to the Y6 children which is a credit to them all.

Enrichment day: Just a reminder that we have our final Enrichment day of this year tomorrow (Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May), where the children will all be off timetable for the day and learning about one of our 3 values: forgiveness. They should wear their House coloured T-shirt instead of their normal school shirt/tie/jumper tomorrow please.

Summer is here.... or maybe it's just around the corner! I live in hope that we are eventually going to get some warmer and more sunny weather before we beak up in July. So can I please remind you to put sun cream on your children/children before they come to school if the weather does finally improve as we do like to get the children outside for learning whenever there is an opportunity to do so.

A reminder that we have INSET days on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May and Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June so children should return to school, after the half-term break, on Tuesday 6<sup>h</sup> June.

Clare Wright



Frimley Church of England School

# OPEN GARDENS AFTERNOON

WEDNESDAY 7TH JUNE 2023

Parents please join us and your children from 2pm to take a wander around the school grounds and have a look at all the different areas that have been created for your children to actively use or benefit from.

The general public are welcome to join us from 3:30pm—4:40pm to see how these extra resources are helping our children.

The FPTA will be selling refreshments for the afternoon and there will be a plant stall to raise funds for the school and gardens.

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As you are aware, on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> June we are holding our Open Garden Afternoon at school. The event runs from 2pm until 4.40pm. We would love parents to join us to look around from 2pm. The FPTA will be selling refreshments and there will be a plant stall to raise funds. Please could you indicate if you are thinking you may attend (as this will support with planning the event).

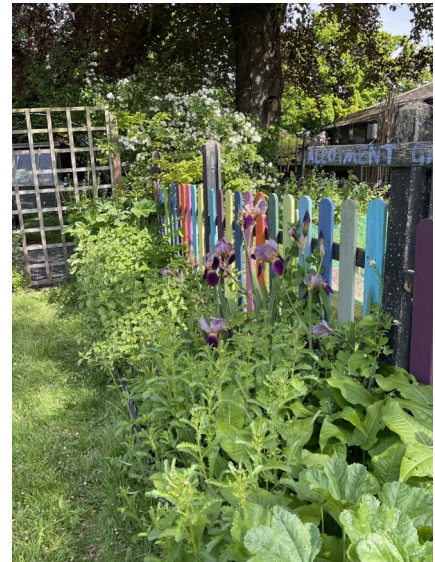
Please use the link to indicate if you intend to come. <https://forms.office.com/e/W33vDgGRnG>



## Gardening update.

Huge thanks to Mrs Everett who gives up a lot of her time to make our gardens and outside areas look so lovely.


Not only is she busy organising the Open Gardens event (on 7th July) with Mrs Chappelow but she also successfully applied for a £200 grant from Surrey Gardens Trust. Thank you Mrs Everett!



## Save the Date


Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2023 – 9-10 am

Proud to be part of



The children and young people's emotional wellbeing and mental health service

Thursday 8th June 2023  
9-10 am in the school hall



## Supporting your child with the move to secondary school



### What does the workshop cover?

- Changes in emotions your child may experience when moving school
- Common anxieties and worries experienced, and how to support your child with these
- Having positive conversations about change
- Supporting your child to build independence and self-esteem

The workshop is delivered in presentation format by the Mental Health Support Team

We allow time for questions at the end, and encourage questions throughout



The workshop will be one hour

### Dates For Your Diary

Date 2023	Event
May 18th (Thurs)	School Disco
May 19th	Enrichment Day
May 22nd—24th	Year 4 residential to Leeson House
May 25th (Thurs)	School finishes normal time for Half Term
May 26th (Fri)	INSET Day
June 5th (Mon)	INSET Day
June 6th 8.40am	Start of term for children
June 7th 2—4pm	Open gardens , families welcome
June 12th (Mon)	Year 6 leavers service Guildford Cathedral, children only
June 16th (Fri)	Class Photos
June 27th (Tues)	Transition Day
June 30th	Fun Sports Day
July 3rd 2—4pm	Open afternoon
July 3rd 2—4pm	Family support, health and well-being fair
July 4th and 5th (Tues, Wed)	Year 6 Leavers Production
July 10—14th	Year 6 Residential trip
July 10th—14th	Reports sent home
July 21st 9am (Fri)	Year 6 Leavers assembly—parents invited
July 21st 2pm (Fri)	School finishes for end of term

### Congratulations

Well done to Kyle in 3P who was recently invited to join the FA training programme for Para Football based at Fulham FC. What a fantastic opportunity and we look forward to hearing all about how he gets on!