

SANDRINGHAM NEWS

Nurture Enrich Inspire

Friday 19th May 2023



Message from Miss Randles

Thank you for your lovely messages and kind words of support following my update earlier this week that I will be stepping down from my Headship role at the end of August. It was a decision that took a lot of consideration and reflection and I really appreciate your support at this time. Interviews for the new Head Teacher are taking place in the next few weeks so I will update you as soon as I know more.

School life continues to be busy across Sandringham. Thank you to Owls parents who joined us on roast dinner day last week and to Moles families who excitedly watched their children's first parent assembly yesterday. Moles left us all feeling very proud by showing how much they could recall about the life cycle of a butterfly - we loved your story telling Moles, well done!

My pride extends to Year 1 who were very well behaved on their school trip to Wellington Country Park earlier this week and also to Year 2 who have adapted very well to the change in their morning routine over the last 2 weeks. 'Quiz learning' and the 'chill out' room have been quite popular with Foxes and Rabbits. This week Reception have been eagerly awaiting the arrival of baby chicks who started hatching out of their eggs on Tuesday. The 10 fluffy additions to our classrooms have provided a wonderful focus for learning and first hand experience for our youngest learners.

Back by popular demand, the PTA are busy working behind the scenes in preparation for our Sandringham Festival "SandFest" on Saturday 1st July 12-3pm. Entry will be with a family ticket of £10 and once into the school playground there will be games and activities for your children to enjoy without any further charge. There will also be entertainment from the children, iRock and Liberty gymnastics team. You are welcome to bring your own picnics however there will also be a BBQ (pre-ordered before the event) and a drinks tent. Further information regarding the event and tickets sales will be out soon... watch this space! If you would like to be part of organising this event and can offer help as a volunteer, please contact your class reps via the year group WhatsApp groups.

Please help us to keep the front of the school looking smart and beautiful by not letting your children run across the flower beds and climb over the furniture and badger structure outside the front of school at drop off and pick up times. Your co-operation is much appreciated, thank you.

Last week we welcomed Vikki Fuller to the Breakfast Club team. Miss Fuller will be working alongside Mrs Pearce in the Breakfast Club supporting the children to settle into the school day.

Wishing you all a wonderful weekend.

Miss Randles

NEXT WEEK!

Monday 22nd

Our Year 2s will be walking to Frimley C of E in the afternoon to join Year 3 for a picnic and an afternoon of sports.

Tuesday 23rd

We are Super Scientists!

Today we will have a science focus to our day; with investigations, tests and experimental fun!

Wednesday 24th

Today we look forward to welcoming Squirrels parents to join their child for a roast lunch from 12.30-1pm.

Thursday 25th

Reception are off to Bocketts Farm today! Please refer to previous letters for more info.

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Year 1 are invited to dress up as a superhero today to celebrate the end of their topic.

Friday 26th

It's YES DAY! A few select school rules can be relaxed today... please overleaf.

Half Term

29th May to 2nd June



PTA EVENT - YES DAY!



Friday 26th May 2023

For today only Miss Randles has said YES to some of the usual school 'rules' being relaxed in exchange for a donation to the PTA. Miss Randles and the Child Governors have agreed:

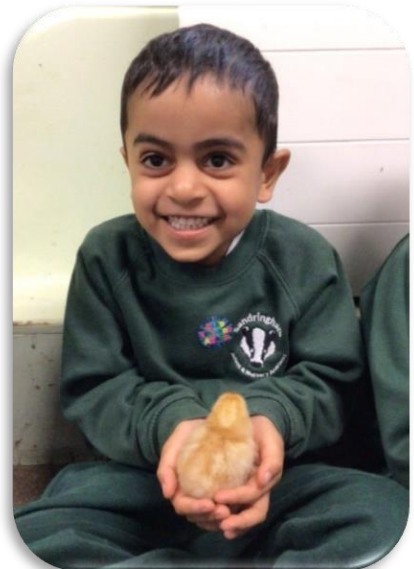
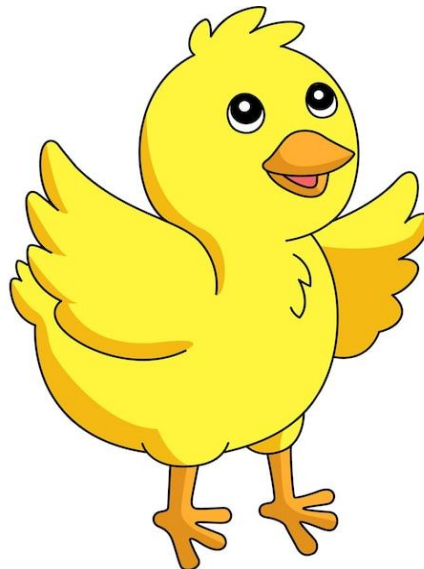
- ✓ You CAN wear your home clothes or any form of fancy dress if you wish! (no uniform required)
- ✓ You CAN wear your hair down/with any hair accessory you like!
- ✓ You CAN wear a hat or cap to school!
- ✓ You CAN have music and dance on the playground at playtime!
- ✓ You CAN have juice in your water bottle!
- ✓ You CAN bring your own home snack in a small named container! (no nuts/nut products please)

All other school rules apply!!

Suggested donation is 50p per rule broken

Please send this in an envelope and we will collect this from the classroom.

RECEPTION CHICKS



SWEETS AND TREATS

This week in our staff meeting the teachers have reviewed our current policy on celebrating birthdays in school. Please can I remind you that children should not bring sweets or chocolate treats to give out to their friends to celebrate their birthday - please save these for the party! We are proud of our Healthy Schools status and feel reassured by the wide range of healthy meal choices we offer at every snack and lunchtime. We can no longer support requests to hand out sweets at the end of the school day. Thank you for your understanding.



SUMMER TERM 1 - DATES

Monday 22nd May - Year 2 walk to Frimley C of E - Picnic and Sports

Tuesday 23rd May - Super Scientists Day - in school event

Wednesday 24th May - Squirrels Parent Lunch at 12.30pm

Thursday 25th May - Reception School Trip to Bocketts Farm

Thursday 25th May - Year 1 Superhero Dress Up Day - topic celebration

Friday 26th May - YES Day - PTA event

Friday 26th May - Break up for Half Term - 3pm (Nursery) + 3.10pm (School)

SUMMER TERM 2 - DATES

Monday 5th June - Back to School and Nursery

Tuesday 6th June - Class Photographs for School and Nursery

Thursday 8th June - Year 2 School Trip to Alice Holt

Friday 9th June - Feeling Good Day - in school event

Friday 9th June - Summer Disco - PTA event

Wednesday 14th June - Father's Day Celebration - 2pm (11am for Ladybirds)

Tuesday 20th June - Hedgehogs Parent Assembly at 9.15am

Friday 23rd June - Sports Day - more details to follow

Monday 26th June - New Reception (23-24) Information Meeting 6-7pm

Tuesday 27th June - Moving Up Day - children visit new classes (am)

Saturday 1st July - SANDFEST - 12-3pm - PTA event

Monday 3rd July - Ladybirds Class Assembly to Parents - 2.15pm

Thursday 6th July - Butterflies Class Assembly to Parents - 2.15pm

Friday 7th July - Reserve Sports Day (if needed due to poor weather)

Sunday 9th July - Frimley Green Carnival

Monday 10th July - Ladybirds Family Fun Day - more details to follow

Monday 10th July - End of Year Reports come home

Monday 10th July - After School Club Summer Party

Wednesday 12th July - Open Celebration Afternoon for families - 3.15-5pm

Thursday 13th July - Year 2 Leavers Play (am)

Friday 14th July - Butterflies Family Fun Day - more details to follow

Thursday 20th July - End of Term - 1pm (Nursery) + 1.10pm (School)