

# SANDRINGHAM NEWS

Nurture Enrich Inspire

Friday 3rd March 2023



## Message from Miss Randles

Thank you for your support with the children's World Book Day costumes yesterday. They all looked amazing and as always the staff embraced dressing up with excitement and enthusiasm! I have included some photos in today's newsletter which will hopefully make you smile.

### Stick Start Stop

Thank you to the 41 families who returned the parent feedback forms recently asking for your views on what you love about Sandringham and how we can work together to move our lovely little school into the future. I have shared your feedback with staff this week and for the Summer Term we will be inviting children to come into school in their PE kits on the days their class has a PE session.

- Reception - Mondays and Tuesdays
- Year 1 - Mondays and Thursdays
- Year 2 - Wednesdays (Friday will be PE in Forest Friday uniform)

This will commence after the Easter holidays and W.B. Monday 17th April. We hope this advance warning will allow you to plan your summer uniform needs alongside PE kit. We also hope this decision will increase the amount of teaching time dedicated to Physical Education at the same time decreasing the amount of lost property for families. We will review if this scheme is successful ahead of the Autumn term.

### Mother's Day

We are looking forward to celebrating this special day in school and nursery on Wednesday 15th March. There will be no assembly this year and instead we invite Mums or a significant female figure to join their child(ren) for a range of activities in the classroom. For families with more than one child in school, we ask that you meet your younger child first and then move between both classrooms for the duration of your hour visit. Please arrive out of the front of school at the following time and we regret there will not be space for younger siblings in pushchairs. These can be left outside and babies carried on you if required.

- Nursery - Ladybirds - 11-11.45am / Butterflies - 2-2.45pm
- School - Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 from 2-3pm

### Summer Term Dates

Attached to this newsletter are the dates we have so far for Summer Term events. The majority of dates are included here, but there are some yet to be finalised. Once they are, they will be added in **RED**.

Wishing you all a wonderful weekend,

*Miss Randles*

### Sibling Drop Off

It has been brought to my attention this week that some younger siblings and babies are being left in cars whilst parents drop off. Please ensure your little ones are always supervised even if just for a few minutes.

### Book Fair

Our Book Fair has arrived today and you are welcome to stop in and look at the books with your children after school next week from 3.15-3.45 Mon to Thurs. Funds raised will go towards purchasing new books for our library.

### Happy Bags

Thank you for all your donations last week. We raised a total of **£125.60**.

### BANK HOLIDAYS

Monday 1st May  
Monday 8th May

### INSET DAY

Friday 21st July



# BREAKFAST CLUB ASSISTANT

We are seeking an assistant to join Mrs Pearce each morning in the Breakfast Club. We are keen to see if there is any interest within our parent community before sending the advert externally. The role would allow your Sandringham school aged child to join the Breakfast Club with you when you are working, free of charge.

Please email Miss Randles on [head@sandringham.kite.academy](mailto:head@sandringham.kite.academy) if you would be interested in finding out more about this role and to receive an application form.

Woodlands Breakfast Club - 7.30am to 8.45am Monday to Thursday.

# SPRING TERM - DIARY DATES

**Wednesday 8th March** - Squirrels Parent Assembly at 9.15am

**Thursday 9th March** - Amazing Adventurers Day - in school event

**Tuesday 14th March** - SEN Coffee Morning with Mrs Kelly - 9-10am

**Wednesday 15th March** - Mother's Day Celebrations - 2pm

**Thursday 16th March** - Year 2 Victorian Day - dress up

**Friday 17th March** - Comic Relief / Let's Get Physical Day

**Tuesday 21st March** - World Down Syndrome 'Lots of Socks' Day

**Wednesday 22nd March** - Hedgehogs Parent Lunch at 12.30pm

**Thursday 23rd March** - Foxes Parent Assembly at 9.15am

**Thursday 23rd March** - Year 2 SATs Meeting for Parents - 5-6pm

**Monday 27th March** - Siblings Day Celebrations (School)

**Tuesday 28th March** - Sponsored Bunny Hop (Ladybirds) - PTA event

**Tuesday 28th March** - Siblings Day Celebrations (inc. Ladybirds)

**Wednesday 29th March** - iRock Concert to Parents (iRockers only) - 2.30pm

**Thursday 30th March** - Sponsored Bunny Hop - PTA event

**Thursday 30th March** - Siblings Day Celebrations (inc. Butterflies)

**Friday 31st March** - Break Up for Easter Holidays at 1.10pm

# SUMMER TERM DIARY DATES

**Monday 17th April** - Back to School and Nursery

**Wednesday 19th April** - PTA Meeting in School at 7pm - all welcome

**Monday 24th April** - Allergy Awareness Day - in school event

**Thursday 27th April** - Rabbits Parent Assembly at 9.15am

**Monday 1st May** - **BANK HOLIDAY**

**Tuesday 2nd May** - Happy Historians Week (focus on the Royal Family)

**Friday 5th May** - King's Coronation Celebration Day - in school event

**Monday 8th May** - **CORONATION BANK HOLIDAY**

**Wednesday 10th May** - Owls Parent Lunch at 12.30pm

**Tuesday 16th May** - Year 1 School Trip to Wellington Country Park

**Thursday 18th May** - Moles Parent Assembly at 9.15am

**Friday 19th May** - World Bee Day - in school event

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

**Wednesday 24th May** - Squirrels Parent Lunch at 12.30pm

**Thursday 25th May** - Reception School Trip to Bocketts Farm

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

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**Monday 5th June** - Back to School and Nursery

**Tuesday 6th June** - Class Photographs

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

**WB. 12th June** - Father's Day Celebrations - date TBC

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

**Monday 26th June** - New Reception Families (23-24) Information Meeting

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

**Saturday 1st July** - **SANDEFEST!** (*please save the date*)

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

**Thursday 5th July** - Butterflies Class Assembly to Parents - 2.15pm

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

**Monday 10th July** - End of Year Reports come home

**Wednesday 12th July** - iRock Concert to Parents (iRockers only) - 2.30pm

**Wednesday 12th July** - Open Celebration Afternoon for all families

**Thursday 13th July** - Year 2 Leavers Play - time TBC

**Thursday 20th July** - Break up for Summer Holidays at 1.10pm



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# STICK STOP START FEEDBACK

*"The school creates such fun and excitement!"*

*"We love the warm, welcoming family feel- it's the perfect start to any child's education."*

*"This school goes above and beyond to support every child."*

*"The staff are lovely, approachable and supportive - it is a really special place."*

*"The lovely Tapestry posts are a point of discussion to bring home and school together."*

*"We love the variety of rewards such as certificates, stickers, tea parties, VIP, star of the week."*

*"We feel part of the school community and are never left out of school events even though we attend half the week as a Little Badger."*

*"Sandringham is incredible. I am very grateful to live so close so all my children can attend."*

*"Please can you become a primary school!!!!"*

## PATIENCE

This half term our core value is **Patience**.

We have been talking in assembly about the difference between the word "patients" in a hospital and having "patience" when you wait for something.

The children generated some fantastic ideas for times when we have to show patience... waiting for a new baby to arrive, for a flower to grow, for your next birthday or waiting your turn for the Golden Tea Party!

Please support us at home by reminding your child about this important word and how they can show patience at home... e.g. explore the concept of time or practise having to waiting their turn in a game or for something they seem very keen on!

