

Welcome

I hope everyone had a lovely bank holiday weekend and enjoyed the King's Coronation. The children had a brilliant week last week doing a range of activities linked to the King's interests – including looking at organic and sustainable farming, and his interests in the creative arts and dance. Other classes looked at sustainability through poems and creative writing. Please see photos of some of the children's work below. At the end of the week we shared our work in a whole school assembly.

It's been a busy week at school with Year 6 SATs and Year 1 children off to Windsor Castle today. Well done to all the Y6 children who have worked so hard in preparation for the test and showed real determination and resilience this week.

Many thanks to the Friends and everyone who came along to the Quiz Night last week – by all accounts it was a great night with lots of fun and a bit of healthy competition.

The Maiden Erlegh consultation finished last Friday. Many thanks to everyone who replied. Governors will look at the feedback on Monday and reply next week.

Michael Dillon - Headteacher



Year 3

Year 3 got to experience their first ever school trip a few weeks ago

. We spent the day at Chertsey Museum learning about the Romans. We had lots of fun taking part in a range of activities which included: drama, making wax tablets and Roman pots, handling replica artefacts, and a museum trail.

The children even spent the day dressed in Roman tunics. We thoroughly enjoyed our trip and can't wait to learn more about the Romans this term!



Year 4

This week, Year 4 have had a science focus. We have explored states of matter; we looked at particles and characteristics of solids, liquids and gases and discussed boiling and melting points. We conducted an investigation around freezing points: what liquid will freeze the quickest - water, tea, coke, fruit juice or chocolate syrup?

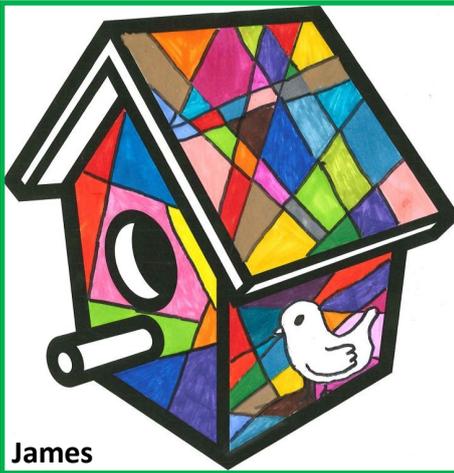
We were amazed that even after 48 hours in the freezer the chocolate syrup still hadn't fully frozen! We also looked at the water cycle and were able to explain how it worked using key words such as evaporation and condensation to our partners.



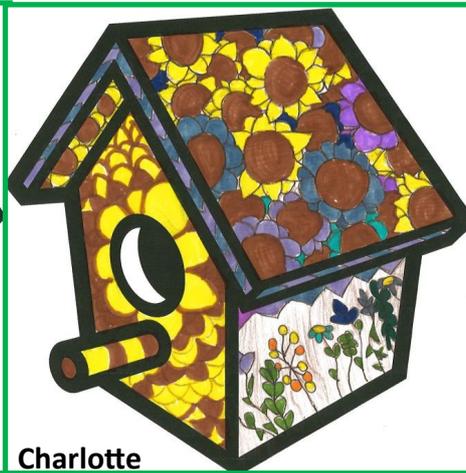


The King's Coronation





James



Charlotte



Olivia

Taylor Wimpy Bird Box Design Competition

Congratulations to James in Year 5 for coming 1st in the Bird Box Design Competition, Charlotte in Year 5 came 2nd and Olivia in Year 4 came 3rd. They will receive paints and brushes to decorate their own boxes and will be invited to the Evergreens housing development to see the bird boxes installed. They will also receive a prize voucher! Well done to you all!

Children's Achievements

Congratulations to Luca in Year 5 who recently passed his Grade 3 Musical Theatre exam with a distinction! Well done Luca!



Family Workshop

Year 2 children and their families enjoyed making fortune tellers to enable them to plan a story.

The feedback from parents was that they enjoyed spending quality time with their child in school.



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Holiday Activities

for children aged 4-13

This week's Triple Thank You and Triple Star Awards

Amel - Y5	Triple Thank You
Emilia - Y3	Triple Thank You
Leo - Y4	Triple Thank You
Taksh - Y4	Triple Thank You
Hector - Y4	Triple Thank You
Nelly - Y1	Triple Star
Noah - Y2	Triple Star
Ivy - Rec	Triple Star

DATES FOR THE DIARY

BANK HOLIDAY	MONDAY 2ND MAY
Year 5 Rhos Residential Meeting	Wednesday 17th May @ 6.00pm
Triple Thank You & Triple Star Tea Party	Friday 26th May
HALF TERM	MONDAY 29TH MAY—FRIDAY 2ND JUNE
Year 4 Test Week	Monday 5th June - Friday 9th June
Year 1 Phonic Screening	Monday 12th June - Friday 16th June
Year 5 & 6 Parent Workshop	Tuesday 13th June - 9am-11am.
Sports Day	Wednesday 21st June - Rec & KS1 -AM & KS2 -PM
Oakwood 2024 Meeting for Year 3 Parents	Thursday 22nd June @ 6pm
Reception Vision, Hearing, Weight & Height Check	Tuesday 27th & Wednesday 28th June
Junior Music Festival	Tuesday 27th June
Year 4 Oakwood Residential	Wednesday 28th June— Friday 30th June
Friends Summer Fair	Saturday 1st July
Reserve Sports Day	Wednesday 5th July
Class Transition Days	Wednesday 5th July (AM) & Thursday 6th July (PM)
Annual Report Day	Friday 14th July
End of Term 'Open Door' Parent Evening	Monday 17th July - 3.30pm-5pm
Year 6 Leavers' Festival	Wednesday 19th July @ 6pm for 6.30pm.
Year 6 Leavers' Assembly	Friday 21st July (time TBC)