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Weekly Round Up

It has been another jam packed week in school! Seal Class have begun reading the book Beegu, so have had a space themed week, making rockets out of junk, building spaceships to go on adventures in and role playing landing on Earth and exploring how they may have felt – how exciting! Turtle Class are investigating how plants grow in Science and have started to learn about influential people from the past, it was Florence Nightingale's turn in the spotlight this week!

Dolphin Class have been inspired by Robert Louis Stevenson's poem 'From A Railway Carriage' - the children have been enthralled and now want to go on a steam train trip, watch this space!

Kittiwake Class have started a new topic on Kings and Queens, which has resulted in numerous Victoria Sandwich cakes being made as part of home learning - Mr Williams, Mrs Collins and Mrs Stilgoe are definitely finishing the week heavier than they started!

We've had lots of external people in this week working with the children too, which is always fabulous. Mrs Teague has been baking with Seal Class, Coach Andy has been delivering cricket to Turtles, Dolphins and Kittiwakes, Burnham Market Tennis Club coaches Becky and Janet have been working with some of Dolphin Class and Simon Limberick has been delivering his percussion masterclass weekly session to Dolphins! What a great week!

Great to be back

Thank you all so much for your warm welcome as I have returned to work this week following my surgery. I am delighted to be back and can see so much progress that has happened in the last 4 weeks. Having just read through Mrs Morrell's weekly round-up, there are many amazing learning opportunities & experiences taking place on a daily basis in this school. As always, I am proud to be the Headteacher of this school as we continue to evaluate and make this the best provision we can for our children, families and community.

Flower Show

Annette Lowe from the Flower Show Committee joined us in assembly this morning to announce the winners of the 'design a front a cover' competition. The committee were so impressed with the entries that they have selected 1 winner and 6 runner ups! Congratulations to Autumn, our winner who received £10 and to the following who have all received £3: Bo SB, Lily, Cameron, Evie W, Elsie B and Shay.



Coronation Celebrations

On Friday 5th May, we will be holding our own celebratory street party in school for the King's Coronation. Your child is welcome to come into school that day dressed in red, white and blue or anything associated with the coronation! To commemorate the Coronation of King Charles III, your child will be presented with a Coronation coin, funded by FOBS and a 'rainbow for bees' pack kindly funded by the Parish Council.

In the lead up to the event, pupils will be learning all about King Charles III and making crowns ready for our street party celebration at lunch time on Friday 5th, which we hope will be on the playground, weather permitting.

The menu is at the bottom of the newsletter and is also on SCOPAY, if your child would like a Coronation party picnic, please order this by today, Friday 28th April. We will be serving the usual fish Friday menu on Thursday 4th May instead.

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SATs' Breakfast Club

SATs for Year 6 children are taking place from Tuesday 9th-Friday 12th May. We will be putting on a breakfast club for Year 6 children that week to ensure they are relaxed and fuelled. Pupils are welcome into school from 8.15, where toast, yoghurt, fruit etc will be provided in the Rosalie Room, breakfast club will end at 8.45. Many thanks to FOBS for funding this and to Mrs Stilgoe for staffing the club.

FOBS

Burnham Market Flower Show:

The Flower Show is on Saturday 15th July, and our theme for this year's float is the rainforest. Nearer the time we will once again be running our after school club to make scenery for the float, we do hope you'll come and join in the fun.

Summer Fete: **date change******

On Friday 21st July we will be holding this year's Summer Fete as an end of term celebration. Please donate any good quality clothes, shoes, linen and toys to help raise funds for the school. Please bring them to the office, and we will store them ready for the event. If you or anyone you know would like a stall at the fete then please speak to a FOBS committee member or contact the office. Many thanks.

Ideas/Suggestions:

FOBS are currently focusing our fundraising efforts on generating money to pay for experiences for the children. We would really appreciate hearing from you with any suggestions of any events or experiences that you and your family have loved that would be good for the school. This term the children will be enjoying an owl experience funded by FOBS, which was highly recommended to us by a parent. Please do contact the office with your ideas, thank you.

Donations of unwanted stuff:

We are always really grateful for any donations of pond plants, school uniform in good condition and items for the school's mud kitchens (pots, pans, utensils, etc). Please bring them to the office, thank you.

Good Work Awards

SEALS: **Skylar** (because you have tried hard ordering numbers 1-20)

TURTLES: **Teddy** (because you have been trying really hard and got all your spellings correct)

DOLPHINS: **Cameron** (because you have worked really hard in Maths and English)

KITTIWAKES: **Autumn** (because of your amazing forestry skills when looking for evidence of ecosystems)

Out of School Awards

Henry – Swim England Level 3

Jessica – Swim England Level 4

Bo T – Swim England Level 5



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Diary Dates

1st May – Bank Holiday Monday

5th May – Coronation Street Party

8th May – EXTRA Bank Holiday for the Coronation

9th May – Seal Class Tag Rugby Festival

15th May – Yr3/4/5/6 Cluster Swimming Gala

16th May – Yr4 Tag Rugby Festival

16th May – Yr5/6 Girls Football Tournament

22nd May – Y3/4 Cluster Tri Golf Festival

25th May – Terry Price, World Freestyle Scooter Champion Workshop

26th May – Term Ends

5th June - Term Starts

22nd June – Sports Day

30th June – Summer Fete

21st July – Break up for Summer Holiday

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