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Newsletter

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MESSAGE FROM MRS COLLINS

The Rotary Club of Guildford, Wey, Ripley and Send – thank you :)



A big thank you to Michael and Andrew from the Rotary Club of Guildford, Wey, Ripley and Send for their generous donation that has been used towards plants for the Green Wall. As a school, we have been fortunate to receive more financial support from the Rotary Club to fund 'Barney and Echo' which is a Mindfulness project being used in Year 5 and 6 to reinforce how mental health and well-being plays a big role in our lives.

Mrs Grant and the Eco Team

Year 3 & 4 Dodgeball Team

Our Year 6 team led a training session for our lower KS2 team on Monday, sharing top tips from their recent competition. The team was well-prepared and ready to face 10 different schools in two round-robin heats, building up points as they went. Out of the 11 games they played, they won 6, gaining momentum along the way. There were some great individual performances, including diving catches, skilful dodges, and very accurate throws. Well done to our team on their first-ever tournament – we are proud of you!



Have a great weekend everyone

Mrs Collins and all the Sandfield staff

CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY

Children in Celebration Assembly today were:

- Reception Class: Matilda and Jamie
- Year 1: Owen and Athena
- Year 2: Ovinya and Leo
- Year 3: Jeremy and Akram
- Year 4: Cumi and Lucas
- Year 5: Ines and Tallula
- Year 6: Cai and Alfie



Reception Class

Happy Lunar New Year / Year of the Snake from Reception! The children loved learning all about the China and the legend of the Chinese zodiac. Did you know we have Rats, Pigs and Earth Dogs in our class this year? Our class restaurant was bustling all week as the children enjoyed Asian dishes served up by our very own wok masters!

PE day for Reception Class is Monday



Year 1 & Year 2

In Year 1 and Year 2 we have been working in English on writing an alternative story for Izzy Gizmo. The children have enjoyed writing their own versions of the story, which will continue over the next two weeks and will follow the theme of the vehicles they have created within Design & Technology. They have also all been enjoying this half-term's music lessons, where they have been learning about rhythm and pitch.

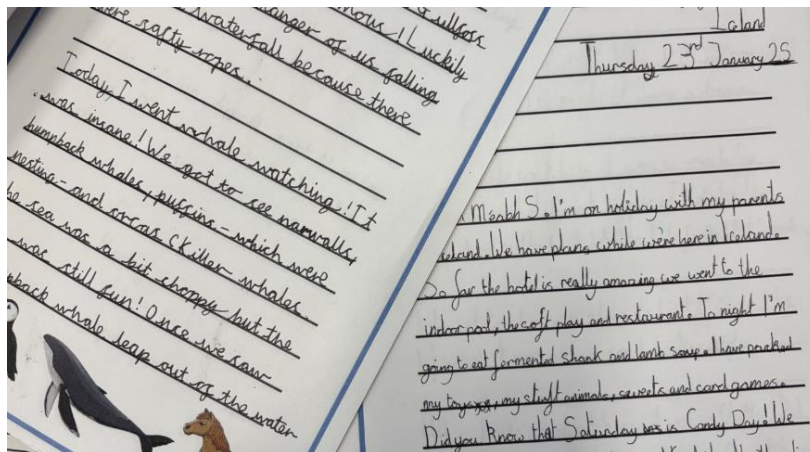
PE days for Year 1 & Year 2 are Mondays and Wednesdays



Year 3 & Year 4

Year 3 and Year 4 have been very busy writing a letter to their friend about Iceland. They were very excited to write their facts about what Iceland has to offer. They remembered quite a few things about the country itself. I am sure you will have heard all about what they have written!

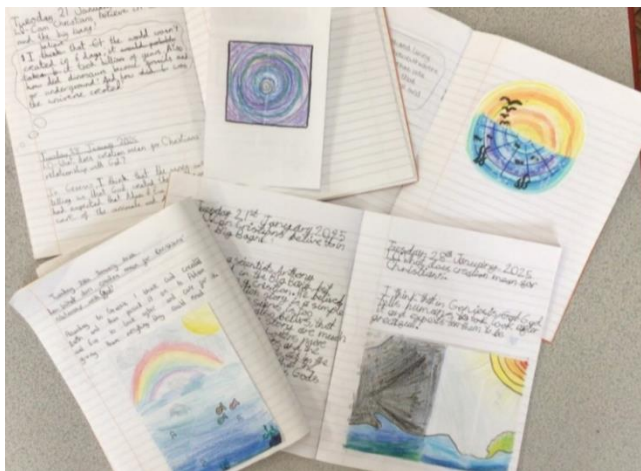
PE days for Year 3 & Year 4 are Tuesdays & Thursdays



Year 5 & Year 6

In RE, we are exploring the creation story within Our Christianity unit. This week, we looked at Jacqui Parkinson a textile artist who produced textile panels as an exuberant retelling of the creation story in the book of Genesis. Year 5 and 6 have created their own interpretations using a wonderful variety of colours, shapes and patterns – and of course lots of creatures!

PE days for Year 5 & Year 6 are Thursdays and Fridays



NEWS FROM THE OFFICE

Planet Soccer will be running a holiday club in the February Half Term from Monday to Thursday and you will be able to use your childcare vouchers. Places are limited....so don't delay, book today!

For more information and to book a place please click on the link below:

<https://bookwhen.com/planetsoccercamps60/e/ev-sg79-20250217083000>

COMMUNITY NEWS

Tesco has selected The Matrix Trust as one of their charities for the Stronger Starts initiative. This is a wonderful opportunity for us to secure additional funding to support our work with young people in Guildford, and we need your help.

We would love it if you could support us by picking up a blue token when shopping at Tesco and dropping it in the box for The Matrix Trust. Every token counts, helping us come closer to providing even more vital support for young people in our community.

This initiative runs until mid April, so there's plenty of time to spread the word!

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We need your vote in our
local Tesco stores!

POP-UP PLAY CAFÉ

Wednesday 19 February 9.30 – 11.30

... call in at
ST. MARY'S
Quarry St
Guildford GU1 3UP

- space to play
- time to relax
- coffee and cake

All ages welcome

