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Newsletter

18th July 2025

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MESSAGE FROM MRS COLLINS and SANDFIELD CELEBRATIONS

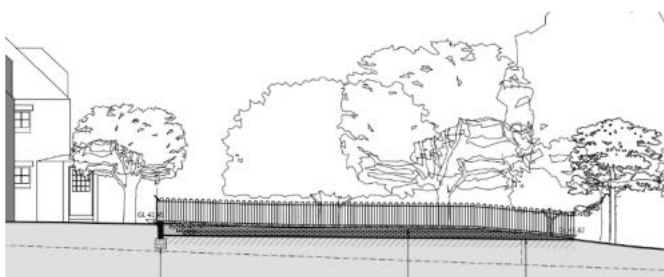
Exciting Playground Developments This Summer

We are thrilled to announce that work on our new playground will begin on Wednesday 23rd July, just after school closes for the summer. Contractors will be on site until Friday 29th August, ensuring everything is ready for the new school year.

The project includes building a retaining wall alongside the lower trim trail near the KS2 building, followed by levelling the entire playground area. As part of the transformation, the fire pit, castles, and planting area will be removed to make way for a brand-new surface that spans the whole space.

A small wall with railings will be installed between the trim trail and the new playground for safety and structure. Once complete, we'll have enough room for two side-by-side netball courts, providing a much larger, flat surface for PE lessons and sports activities. This upgrade will significantly enhance our ability to deliver high-quality physical education right here on school grounds.

We can't wait to welcome you back in September and show you our fantastic new playground!



Sandfield Sunflower Competition

Thank you everyone that brought their wonderful sunflowers in for judging this week! The Eco Team are pleased to announce the winners as follows:

Class Competition: Year 4 and they can wear mufti on Monday.

Tallest: 1st place Leo Year 5, 2nd Connie Year 4, 3rd Sadie Year 2

Prettiest: 1st place Krisha Year 6, 2nd Maya Year 3, 3rd Hope Year 3

Most Unique: 1st place Ines Year 5, 2nd Krrieya Year 5, 3rd Eva Year 5

Cutest: Nina Year 4

Longest Cut Flower: Annabelle Year 4

Funniest Photo: George Year 3

Many thanks again for all your support,
Mrs Grant and the Eco Team

A reminder that we close for the summer on **Tuesday 22nd July at 1:30pm.**

As this is our last newsletter of this academic year – we wish you all a wonderful summer and we look forward to seeing you on **Thursday 4th September at 8:30am.**

Take care and best wishes

Kate Collins and the Sandfield staff

CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY

Children in Celebration Assembly today were:

Reception Class: Seth and Rosaleen

Year 1: Owen and Athena

Year 2: Florence and Leenah

Year 3: Ivan and George

Year 4: Sebastian and Amelia

Year 5: Ines, Amelia, Charlotte CA, Isaac and Matilda

Year 6: Adrian and Alfie



NEWS FROM THE CLASSROOMS

Reception Class

This week, Reception have been busy preparing for our Wedding Celebration on Friday, where two of our beloved teddies tied the knot! Throughout the week, several parents kindly volunteered their time to share cultural customs and wedding traditions, with some even teaching the children traditional dances. The children had a fantastic time learning Scottish ceilidh dances as well as classical styles from around the world. On Friday, we celebrated our teddy wedding with a charming outdoor ceremony, followed by a lively 'reception party'—a disco in the hall.

A huge thank you to all the parents who generously gave their time and talents this week—from crafting beautiful floral bouquets and party favours, to baking a delicious wedding cake, teaching dances, and sharing meaningful stories, photos, and videos from their own weddings. What a spectacular way to wrap up our final week in Reception!

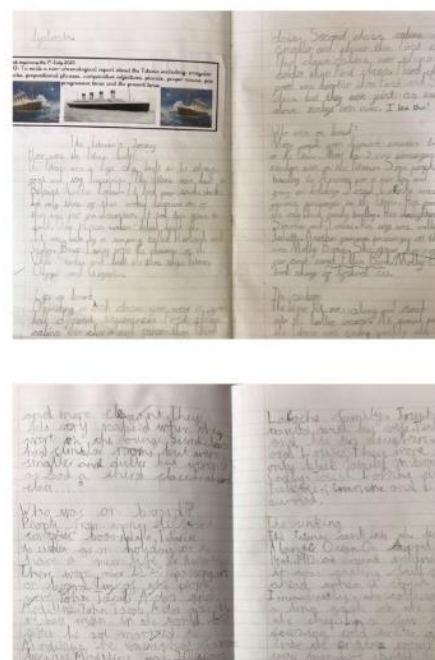
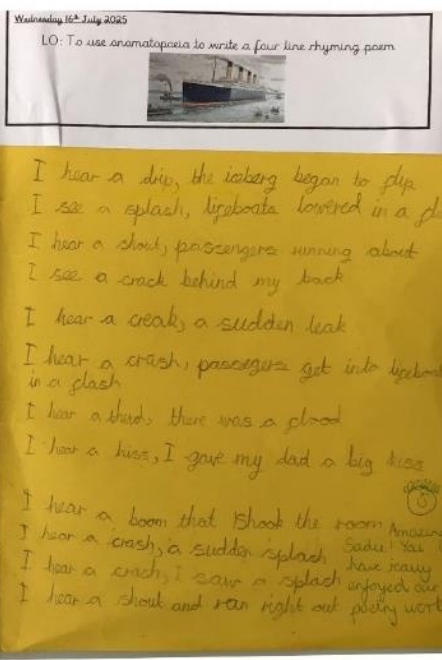
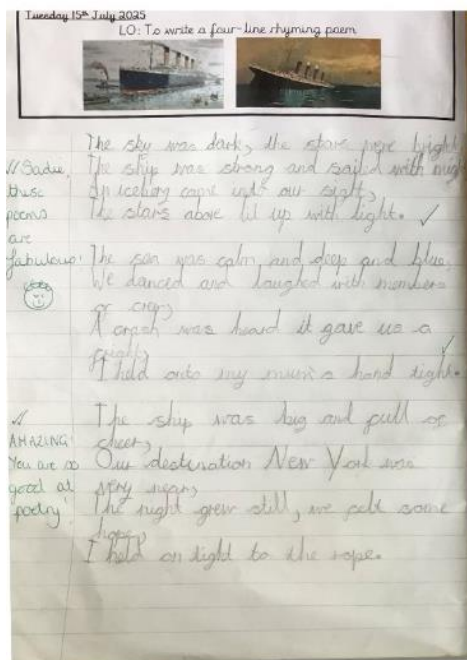
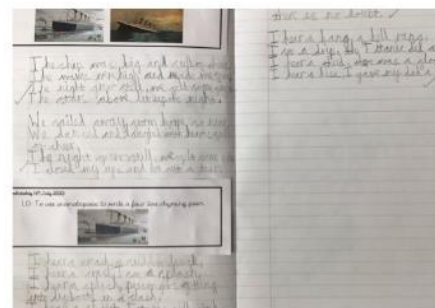
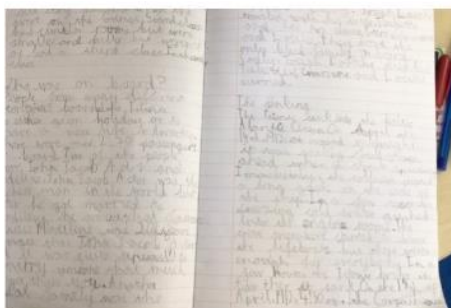
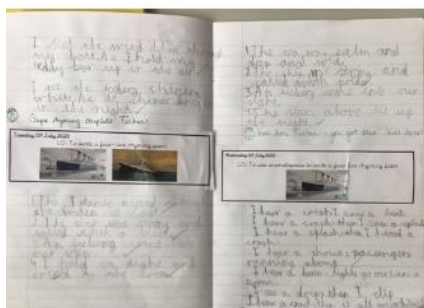
PE day for Reception Class is Monday



Year 1 & Year 2

Our brilliant Year 1 and Year 2 children have been hard at work writing non-chronological reports all about the Titanic and the results are truly impressive! Full of fascinating facts and well-structured information, their reports show just how much progress they've made in their writing skills this term. Miss McIlroy and Mrs Payne could not be prouder. Every child has shown incredible effort and enthusiasm as well as becoming Titanic experts in the process. The children even went as far as writing their own Titanic poetry. Well done to all our budding historians and authors!

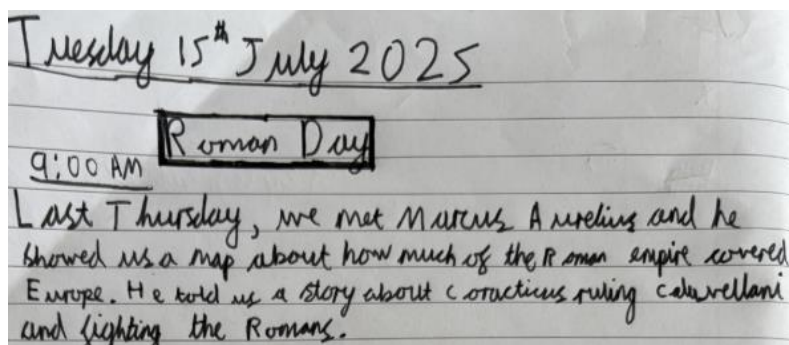
PE Days for Year 1 are Mondays and Wednesdays



Year 3 & Year 4

Year 3 and 4 very much enjoyed Roman Day with our visitor last Thursday. They fully embraced Roman life and were eager to write all about it. We spoke about how we should lay this out and how it should be in chronological order. Everyone was able to explain exactly what happened throughout the day. Year 3 and 4 wrote some brilliant descriptions about this! Keep up the great work everyone!

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



Year 5 & Year 6

UKS2 have dazzled us with their thrilling performance of *Treachery at Traitors Quay*. Every pupil took to the stage with confidence and flair - our fantastic actors and actresses truly brought the WWII espionage story to life. A special shout-out to Year 5, whose beautiful singing as the choir added depth and emotion to the show. Huge thanks to all parents for their incredible support, especially for the brilliant costumes that helped transport us back in time. What a memorable couple of evenings of talent and teamwork! We are so proud of you all.

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



DEADLINES

REMINDER - All payments that are still to be made via Scopay until we move over to the MCAS payment system in September are below – these must be made by the end of today so that the system can be closed.

| Class | Trip | Amount | Deadline |
|------------|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Year 3 & 4 | Roman Day | £7.35 | Friday 04/07/2025 |
| Year 5 | Residential Summer 2026 | £20.00 instalment | Monday 30/06/2025 |
| Year 5 * | Swimming | £20.00 | Monday 02/06/2025 |
| Year 5 * | Kayaking | £7.00 | Monday 30/06/2025 |
| Year 6 * | Swimming | £20.00 | Monday 02/06/2025 |
| Year 6 * | Kayaking | £7.00 | Monday 30/06/2025 |

COMMUNITY NEWS

Family First Newsletter: Please click the link for information on where children can eat free over the summer and lots more! [Summer 2025](#)

Please also see the flyers on the newsletter page of the Sandfield website for more information about local news and activities

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