

Dear parents and carers,

Friday 13 May 2022, forthcoming events for the week commencing Monday 16 May 2022			
Monday	16.05.22	8am-9am 3.30pm-6pm	Breakfast club After School Club
Tuesday	17.05.22	8am-9am 9am – 10am 10:45am Lunchtime 3.30pm-4.30pm 3.30pm-6pm	Breakfast club Guitar and Ukulele music lessons Brass music lessons Art club and eco-club Cross Country running club After school club
Wednesday	18.05.22	8am-9am 9am – 10am 9am – 3pm 3.30pm-6pm	Breakfast club Year 6 heights and weights check with the school nurse Nursery and Reception trip to Woburn Safari park After school club
Thursday	19.05.22	8am-9am 12.30pm-1.30pm 1.30pm-2.30pm 3.30pm-6pm	Breakfast club Hot Shots lunchtime basketball club Reception children heights and weights check with the school nurse After school club
Friday	20.05.22	8am-9am 12.30-2.30pm 3.30pm-4.30pm 3.30pm-6pm	Breakfast club Year 5 Swimming at Brackley Leisure Centre After school football club with Brackley Town After school club

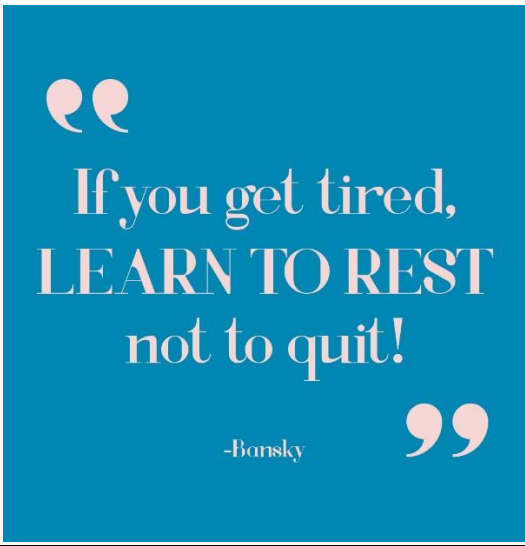
Nesting Wagtails

Our reception children have been spell bound all day today! This morning, following a discussion about a nesting robin in one of the children's back gardens, they discovered a nesting family of grey wagtail birds in the reception courtyard. The nest is located in the overgrown wooden planter with the nest lodged in the long grass right next to the window in the reception corridor (a perfect spot for observing them). There are two adult birds who are feeding a nest of around 6 newly hatched chicks (the babies can't be more than a few days old). The children in reception and nursery have been making some really careful observations of the birds today and have discovered that the young need feeding a lot! Mummy and daddy wagtail make lots of trips from the nest to find food and come back to feed the chicks. We don't want to disturb the birds and so with this in mind, we have put up some barriers around the box and ask politely that when parents and carers arrive to collect their children from the reception and nursery area, they take care to avoid the area where the birds are nesting and remain as quite as possible.



Lost Property

A note from Mrs James in the office, we have a growing number of items of lost property. If your child has lost an item and you can't locate it in their classroom, it's probably in the office. Most of the items we have in the office have not been named. Can I politely ask that you name everything! If your child loses something, it is much easier for us to locate its owner if it has a name in it. Thank you.

Upcoming diary dates	Thought for the day...
<p>WC23.5.22 – Year 4 and Year 6 residential trips</p> <p>27.5.22 – Term 5 ends</p> <p>6.6.22 – INSET DAY – school closed</p> <p>7.6.22 – Term 6 begins</p> <p>27.6.22 – 30.6.22 – Year 5 bikeability training</p> <p>4.7.22 – 7.7.22 – year 6 transition week to Magdalen</p> <p>15.7.22 – End of Year reports to go home</p>	
FOSS Updates	
No updates this week	
SPS Achievements this week	
<p>Ready Respectful Safe – going above and beyond our high expectations</p> <p>Pre-School – Marcie has shown determination, resilience and a ‘can do’ attitude when conquering the monkey bars in the garden. She started the week only managing to reach 2 rungs; her own challenge was to reach the end. By Thursday she was successful. Well done, Marcie.</p> <p>Reception – Connie is always ready to learn and keen to share. She has written a sentence independently this week and was rightly proud of herself. Well done, Connie, we are proud too!</p> <p>Year 1 and 2 – Abel - This week Abel has worked hard to improve his handwriting. He has taken his time to make sure his writing is neatly presented. To all of Year 1 and 2 - You have all worked incredibly hard this week in your English Lessons. You have written some very impressive stories and should all be very proud of yourselves</p> <p>Year 3 – Adam - For showing patience and kindness and Caitlin - for demonstrating great focus and effort in writing</p> <p>Year 4 – Annabelle and Georgina for their carefully written information text plan about mountain sports. They have done this with their characteristically mature, enthusiastic and cheerful disposition</p> <p>Year 5 – Vernon- excellent application in all lessons, determination in the pool, and improved presentation</p> <p>Year 6 – Kaden - Excellent resilience when it came to dissecting a heart today</p> <p>Special Head Teacher mention – to year 6 – you have shown an amazing amount of determination, hard work and resilience this week; I have been really proud of how you just ‘got on with the job’ and did your very best! Whatever the outcomes of your SATS you should know that we are all very proud of you and how you have handled this week. Well done!</p>	

With best wishes,
Matt Green
Head Teacher