## Summer Term 1 20221

I hope that you all had an enjoyable and restful half term break and join me in reflecting what a busy start to the summer term we had here at Hamilton. Once more, we have captured many of our wonderful events to share with you such as: our Fairy Tale Ball, Cricket Taster Day, Sports Day and not forgetting our fun-packed Platinum Jubilee Celebrations where we all enjoyed a "tea party" lunch, planting and then held our own Jubilee concert!

Please be reassured that we're continuing to invite parents/carers into Hamilton to take part in year group face-to-face events and we thank you for your patience whilst arrangements for these continue.

If you have yet to read our recent OFSTED inspection report, please pop onto our website www.hamilton.sch.stoke.uk where you will see that the fabulous achievements of our children really did WOW the inspector.

As always, thank you for your continued support.

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Yours sincerely Mrs Glaister Principal



Principal's Half Term Message





On Monday, 25th April, the Dalmatian children launched their topic 'Who are the **Characters inside my** book?' Children took part in a **Fairy Tale Ball. Everyone looked** wonderful in their fantastic outfits! **Reception children** also explored one of their favourite stories - The Very Hungry Caterpillar.



Reception's Fairy Tale Ball







Cricket Taster Day

On Tuesday, 26th April, the children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 enjoyed a taster cricket day led by J & G Meakins cricket club.

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The day started with an inspirational assembly, where the children learned that one of the cricket team had played for England and travelled the world! They then had cricket workshops, where they got to practise their throwing, catching and batting skills. It was a wonderful day!



We definitely have some future cricket stars at Hamilton Academy!



On Tuesday, 24th May, the children enjoyed their first sports day since 2019! They had a great day participating in various races, including the pushchair race, dressing up race and then finishing with a brilliant relay. The children enjoyed cheering on their team mates and the Red team came out on top! Ice lollies all round afterwards. Great support from parents and we can't wait to do it again next year!





The children had a wonderful time celebrating the Queen's Jubilee. They had a royal welcome as they arrived to school dressed in their red, white and blue clothes,to begin our celebrations. In classrooms, throughout the day, amazing learning took place. The children learned about the Queen, her coronation 70 years ago and about all of the wonderful things she has done for our country.







## Platinum Jubilee Velebrations

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Our party style lunch in the hall was delicious and we ended the day with our own Jubilee concert. I'm sure the Queen could hear it from her palace! What a great day it was!





