

RUSHEY GREEN NEWSLETTER

27 may 2022

It has been a brilliant half-term and the children have had some jam packed timetables....

We have done SATs, Swimming, historical work shops and trips, football tournaments, popcorn- munching at the Cinema and lots and lots of sun-led learning outside.



The children and staff had a wonderful time at the Jubilee afternoon tea. It is Incredible to see the school community always supporting the events we hold at the school. We hope everyone enjoys their half term break and we cant wait to hear the things you have been up to.....



JUBILEE DAY PHOTO GALLERY



Mrs Williams , King James, Queen Sue-Mar and Queen Aranza

Reception,
year1 and 2's decorations



Maria preparing
Queen Sue-Mar for her
parade walk



KS2 Dancing with
Ms West
&
Ms Wallace



RUSHEY GREEN Silver Award

Rights Respecting Schools

We are extremely pleased to announce that our school has been awarded the **Silver** [Rights Respecting School Award](#) by UNICEF UK.

The Award recognises achievement in putting the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child at the heart of a school's planning, policies and practice. A Rights Respecting School is a community where children's rights are learned, taught, practised, respected, protected and promoted.

We believe in the importance of putting children's rights at the heart of a school. As a school, we are proud to have achieved Silver and the positive impact teaching rights has had on our pupils and the school as a whole.

Thank you to all our children and staff for their hard work and thank you to the community for your continued support.



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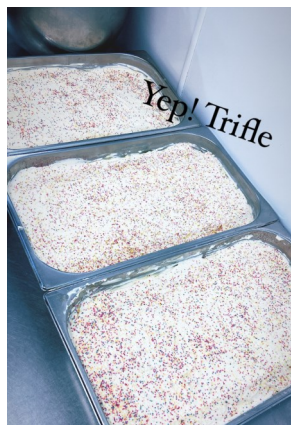
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SILVER – RIGHTS AWARE

LITTLE COOKS

The children have been working hard alongside Miss Lena, Chef Luke and Chef Liam to become Rushey Green's very own MasterChefs!



There has been lots of hands on involvement cooking and preparing for our Jubilee party too....



And again a massive thank you to Myles in R3 for designing the menu for our delicious jubilee Lunch!

CHEFS IN SCHOOLS
REVOLUTION IN SCHOOL FOOD

WINNER WINNER!

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE JUBILEE MENU WINNER



WINNING MENU!!

MEAT OPTION
Breaded Chicken supreme
With Thyme garlic butter
(CEREALS / DAIRY)

VEGETARIAN
Tempura Courgette and sweet potato
(CEREALS)

SIDES
Dauphinoise potatoes
(DAIRY)
Tender stem broccoli & Kale
(Dairy alternatives available)

DESSERT
Victoria Sponge
(DAIRY / EGGS / CEREALS)
Watermelon / Apple / Orange / yogurt

JUICE
Apple and blackberry



RECEPTION CHILDREN'S GARDEN



We have been making incredible progress with our garden and outdoor Kitchen.

Our Head Chef Luke Kemsley has been working with the children throughout the school to get them involved with the growing process while we are waiting

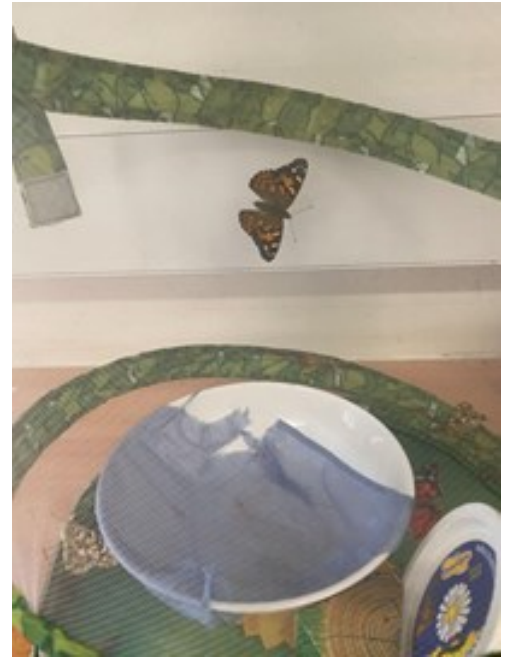
NIGERIA CLASS

We have loved learning about our topic of Minibeasts and Growing this half term.

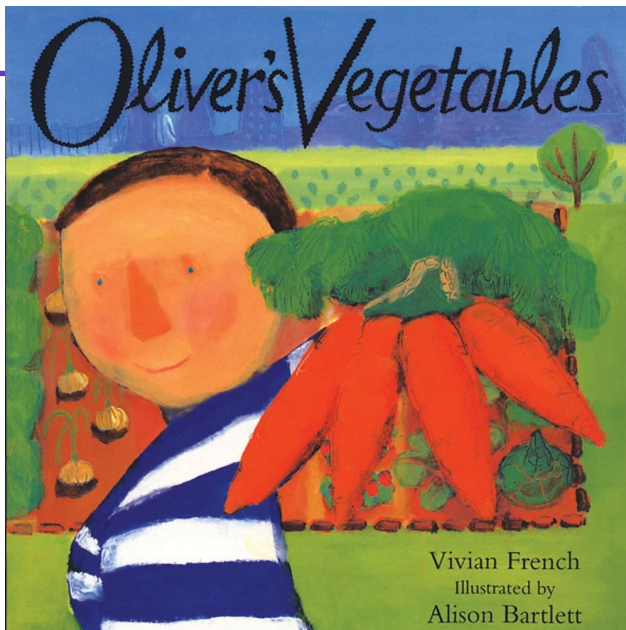


We visited the school pond during our Forest School session and found lots of tadpoles, and even a newt! We have learnt about their life cycle.

This week, our caterpillars have finally turned into butterflies! We have released them into the wild.



In Maths, we have been learning about measuring. In Literacy we have been reading 'Oliver's Vegetables' by Vivian French.



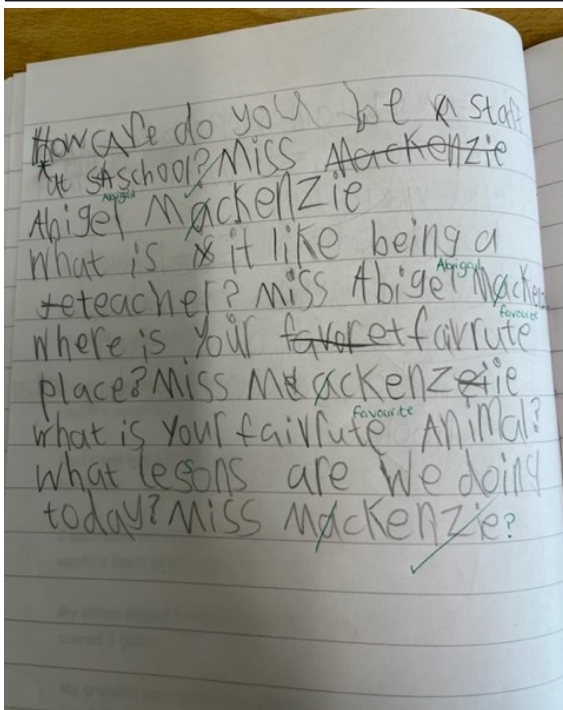
We enjoyed learning about the queen this week, and making decorations for her Jubilee.



POLAND CLASS

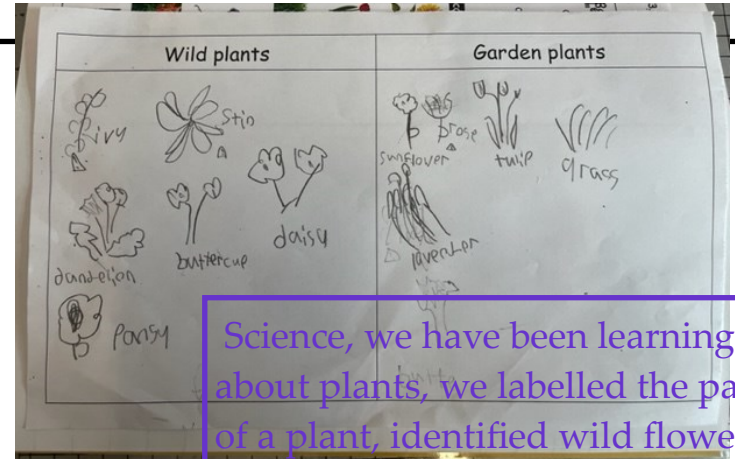
Year 1 has had a very busy week, with lots of new learning!

In English, we have been improving our SPAG - spelling, punctuation and grammar.



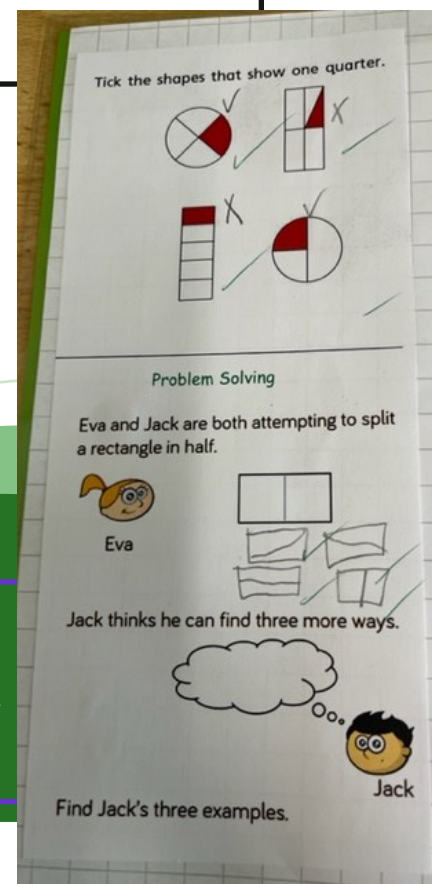
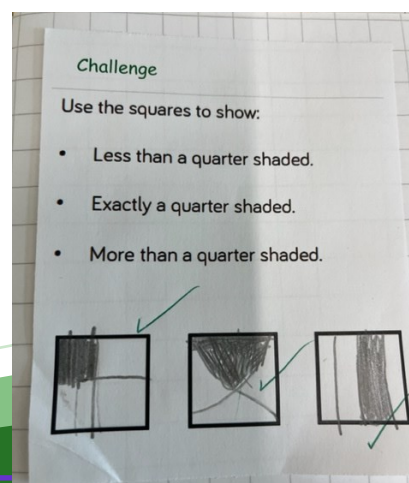
The children have used conjunctions like and, because, but and so to create detailed sentences. We also had lots of fun, writing questions for the adults in our class to answer.

We are so pleased with the children's progress and look forward to our final term together - Summer term 2!



Science, we have been learning about plants, we labelled the parts of a plant, identified wild flowers and grew our own watercress.

In Maths, the children have continued working on fractions and have moved on to finding a fraction of a number and also to dividing shapes into quarters.



YEAR 2

Year 2 have had a very exciting week learning about the Great Fire of London

The children were invited to a drama workshop session with Cathy from Freshwater Theatre Company. The workshop session was about The Great Fire of London, which Year 2 had been learning about in History.



When we arrived in the hall we had to turn on our imaginations and "fasten our imagination hats" We then travelled back in time to 1666, in order to witness The Great Fire of London. Once the children arrived in 1666, they were greeted by Mary Porter.

We all really enjoyed this wonderful experience. This amazing session with Cathy gave the children more information about The Great Fire of London which was an amazing learning experience for them.



We used ribbon and dance to show how quickly the fire spread, music was playing in the background to help us set the scene.

It was then our job to put the "fire" out! We used squirters, buckets of water, fire breaks and gunpowder.

CUBA CLASS

This term in English we have been learning how to write playscripts. Using a model text and inspiration from our previous unit on the Ancient Greeks

All children in year 5 were able to plan, write, publish and perform their play script inspired by the myth Theseus and the minotaur.



Zion

Scene 1

The royal Prince of Athens, Theseus, arrives on the massive island of Crete as a sacrifice to the Minotaur. He kindly greets King Minos and the glamorous princess Ariadne. Theseus and the other 13 children retire to their compact bedroom.

Theseus: *(Storms off vessel)* Greetings King Minos we are ready to be a sacrifice.

King Minos: Hello, how was your journey?

Theseus: Enough with the kindness, just show us to our room.

Ariadne: Hi... *(looks nervous and depressed).*

Take a look at some extracts from these thrilling plays:

Tia

Scene 1:

The royal princess, Ariadne, is left devastated on the island Crete to be eaten by the monstrous Minotaur. After talking to the minotaur, Ariadne is revenge hungry, so they concoct a plan and set off for vengeance.

Ariadne: *(shouting)* Theseus! Theseus!

Minotaur: *(grunting) (breathing heavily) (runs out of the maze)*

Ariadne: *(screams) (running)* Help me! Help me somebody! Wait! Minotaur, do you want revenge?

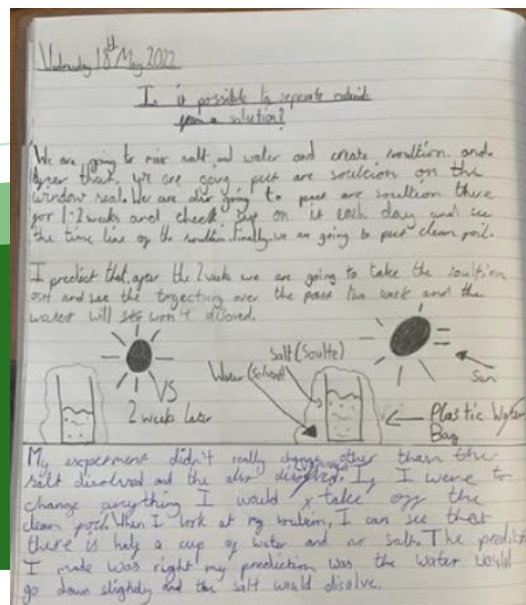
Minotaur: *(snorting) (nods head)*

Ariadne: I have a little plan.

Ariadne and the Minotaur discuss a plan and they look over to the powerless Athens.

In science, we have been learning about properties and changes in materials. We have been investigating whether it is possible to separate materials from a solution.

To celebrate the Queen's jubilee we have been creating artwork of the queen. We have also had fun creating themed bunting to hang at the jubilee picnic.



This half-term has been full of exciting learning experiences for Year 6 classes!

Later, children hunted around the grounds of the ponds looking for minibeasts! What an amazing activity where children spent time looking after their well-being, socialising, exploring and just relaxing.

Have a look at Year 6's drawing as part of their Art project when they went on their trip to Greenwich Park. Even the wet weather did not stop them from practising!

Have a look at some of their writing.

It was a cold snowy day and I wanted to go outdoors and play with my friends in the park.
"Mum can I go to the park with my friends I will go straight there and back."
"No you can't said mum, but I sneaked out.

After it is paid to you, I was about to go down the alleyway when I heard a second crash. My restaurant was restored as it was into the ship.

The ship was full of duplicate shells, and you as much as me thought them very precious. The thing I wanted was right against of me. I got me near to the shell, I slipped on something. It was another shell, but this time it was a shell on a brigade. I flung, standing up and it instantly came to life, rushing towards the other shore as it shot ahead.

After that, I went back to the shell of my dream, but it wasn't there. I searched every rock and corner you it but it was no where to be seen. It was like this world I found it on the highest shelf.

After sliding to a halt, I searched the snow for a piece of chalk. Once I had found it, I wrote my name in my clearest handwriting. Alas.

From behind me, I heard the whirring of old gears that needed to be oiled. I spun around and saw the 11 stalled

into the frosty window at a dark Post

REHEARSALS

Rushey Green Trips

YOUNG VOICES CHOIR

Mrs Tyler organised a wonderful opportunity for the Young Voices Choir to attend and perform at the O2Arena in Greenwich. Our Children did a fantastic job and we are all extremely proud.



Blessing: When I went to the Young Voices, I had butterflies in my stomach. Just when I started to sing the songs, I enjoyed it. Everyone knew the songs and the lyrics which felt really amazing.

Shammah: It was really exciting to be able to sing with other schools. It was a really exciting experience and sitting right next to the main stage made it even more exciting. All the excitement made it an experience that I will do again if I ever get the chance.

Jermain: The experiences of Young Voices was unique and fun because we were able to go on a very different trip and really enjoy ourselves. When I walked into the arena, I was surprised to see how big it was!



BLM SUPPORT

In our school we stand united in our commitment to tackle and challenge racism, address inequality and call out discrimination

At Rushey Green we uphold equality, we value and are proud of our rich culture, no child, no parent, no member of staff nor will any visitor feel unwelcome in our school community.

WE ARE PROUD OF OUR CULTURALLY DIVERSE FAMILIES



We stand together

regardless of your age, disability, race, sexuality, gender or religion

#BlackLivesMatter



25 MAY 2022

**THE 2 YEAR ANNIVERSARY
OF GEORGE FLOYDS DEATH**



Week Commencing: June 6th 2022

Wherever possible, all food is homemade on site from local, British ingredients

Allergen free options will always be available

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN (OPTION 1)	Halal Chicken sausage, fennel and tomato pasta GLUTEN / SUPHITES	Halal Beef Koftas & Lentils GLUTEN / EGG	Margarita Pizza GLUTEN / MILK	Vegetable sausage roll GLUTEN / SOYA	Panko spiced fish fingers GLUTEN / FISH
MAIN (OPTION 2)	Meat Free option available As Option 1	Aubergine Lentil Dahl GLUTEN / MILK / EGG	Margarita Pizza Dairy free GLUTEN	As Option 1	Pea Fritters GLUTEN / MILK
SIDES Where main includes, portion will be offered as optional extra	Olive Focaccia GLUTEN / SULPHITES	Pitta bread GLUTEN Mint and cucumber dressing MILK	Fennel Slaw MILK	Mash potatoes & Gravy CELERY / SOYA / SULPHITES	Tartar sauce EGGS / SULPHITES / MUSTARD / MILK
VEGETABLES	Caramelised onion and broccoli	Mixed Salad & Carrot Ribbons	Garlic Roasted Savoy Cabbage	Peas & Sweetcorn	Steamed Peas & Skin on chips
EXTRAS	Greek Yogurt and honey or Fresh Seasonal Fruit Selection Available Daily Tuesday: Banana flapjack Thursday: Carrot cake (Contain eggs, milk and gluten)				

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Eligibility Checker

BEFORE MONDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

HALF TERM 30/06-03/07

Back to school 06/07 9.00am start

Can we have give a gentle reminder about school **drop off** gates open at 8.45am And **pick up** gates open at 3.10pm.

Children should not be dropped off earlier and left unattended on the playground.

Breakfast club: 7.45am – 8.45am. £5.50 per morning.

After school club: 3.15pm – 6pm. £12 per afternoon.

For more information, please contact: Jo on 07732 305454 or email admin@superkidsclub.co.uk



GOOD TO KNOW

SAFEGUARING

Pastoral Manager & Designated safeguarding lead

Miss Stacey McIntosh



Learning mentor: Miss Lena Johnstone

SENCO: Ms Annisha Thomas



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