



NEWSLETTER NO. 4 SUMMER TERM – 23 MAY 2025

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MISSION IN ACTION AWARDS

WOWS for FOUNDATION STAGE		Nursery: Darcey, Alexandra, Rosie, Georgia, Bronte, Sebastian and Tabitha. Reception: Clementine, Gus and Lana.
BUSY BEES STAR OF THE DAY		TUE: Billy (Y1) THU: Charlie (R)
RECEPTION	Charlie	GROW: For using such a positive 'can do' attitude in all of his learning.
	Neddy	LOVE: For being a helpful member of the class and for his effort during tidy up time.
YEAR 1	Bobby	LEARN & GROW: For excellent vocabulary skills and for always giving their absolute best!
	Cecily	
	Monty	LEARN & GROW: For a wonderful effort with his story writing and for excellent spelling skills.
	Edward	LEARN: For great arithmetic skills and a great understanding of fractions, working out halves and quarters of quantities swiftly and accurately.
YEAR 2	Tom	GROW & LEARN: For improving his blurb about The Owl who was Afraid of the Dark.
	Charlie	LEARN: For all his very good work in ICT this term.
YEAR 3	Meg	LEARN: For working hard to create a neat and creative informational poster to explain how flowers are pollinated.
	Joseph	LEARN: He wrote a fantastic conclusion for our Science enquiry. He used several different scientific terms.
	Ellen	GROW: Her effort during lessons recently has not gone unnoticed. Keep it up!
	Billy	GROW: For making a superstar effort in his swimming lessons so far. He's made great progress. Keep it up!
YEAR 4	Whole Class	LEARN & GROW: For being a great team and making brilliant kites in DT.
	Florence	LOVE & GROW: For being thoughtful, polite and hard working in all areas of learning.
YEAR 5	Alexandra	LEARN: For always taking such care with her presentation, producing high quality work!
	Matty	LEARN: For his invaluable contributions to all lessons and enthusiasm for learning!
YEAR 6	Whole Class	LOVE & GROW: For being so supportive of one another, for being fun to be around and for challenging themselves in so many ways over the weekend they spent at Bowles - even if they didn't sleep!
	Felicity	LOVE & GROW: For showing incredible determination and resilience when climbing and taking part in the high ropes activity and also for her beautiful manners and kindness.
MUSIC	Meg (Y2)	For working so hard in all her musical endeavours and learning two new piano pieces very quickly. Well done!
	Annemieke (Y5)	For good progress and learning a new piano piece in one week. Keep it up!
	Emily (Y6)	For singing her solos so beautifully in the Y5 & Y6 play rehearsals!



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CONGRATULATIONS:

- **Matty (Y5)** – For taking 1st place in Classical Guitar at the Reigate & Redhill Festival.
- **Tabitha (Y4)** – For taking part in the Reigate & Redhill Festival.
- **Meg (Y2)** – For passing her Primary Dance exam in Classical Ballet with a Merit.



Catholic Social Teaching Award

Awarded to Sophia (R) and Francesca (N) who after counting lots of litter on their way into school in the mornings, decided to collect some on their way home. A great haul and some very proud little litter clearers.

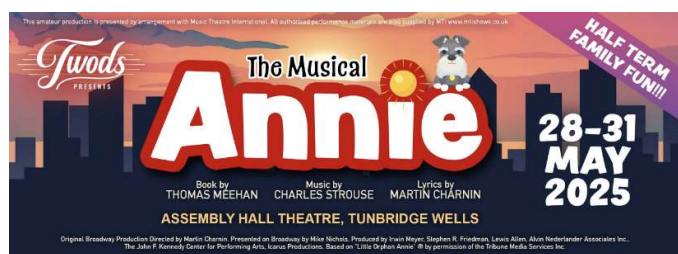


Diary Dates

WEEK 6		
Mon 2 nd June	Whole School Celebration of the Word	09:00
Wed 4 th June	Y3 Swimming @ Mayfield School	08:45 – 10:15
Thu 5 th June	U9/8 Girls Softball Cricket v Claremont (Away)	13:30 – 16:15
Fri 6 th June	Year One Pentecost Assembly	09:00 – 09:30
	Parent & Toddler Session – Nursery	09:00 – 10:30
	U11/10 Mixed Cricket @ Mayfield School (Select children)	09:30 – 15:30
WEEK 7		
Mon 9 th June	Whole School Celebration of the Word	09:00
Tue 10 th June	Y5 & Y6 Visit to the Amelia Centre	
Wed 11 th June	Y3 Swimming @ Mayfield School	08:45 – 10:15
	U11/10 Girls Softball Cricket v Claremont (Away)	13:30 – 16:15
Thu 12 th June	Year 4 Mixed Softball Cricket v Hilden Grange (Away)	13:30 – 16:15
Fri 13 th June	Awards Assembly	09:00
	PTA School Disco	15:45 – 18:30
WEEK 8		
Mon 16 th June	Whole School Celebration of the Word	09:00
Tue 17 th June	Y5 & Y6 'Who Done It' Science & Forensics Event @ Mayfield School	10:00 – 13:00
Wed 18 th June	Year 6 Fixture v Hilden Oaks (Away)	13:30 – 16:15
	Year 5 Fixture v Hilden Oaks (Home)	14:30 – 15:45
Thu 19 th June	Year 4 Girls Fixture v Skippers Hill (Away)	13:30 – 16:15
Fri 20 th June	Awards Assembly	09:00
	Parent & Toddler Session – Nursery	09:00 – 10:30
WEEK 9		
Mon 23 rd June	Whole School Celebration of the Word	09:00
Tue 24 th June	Open Classrooms – Foundation Stage	08:30 – 08:45
	Parent Consultations	17:30 – 19:30
Wed 25 th June	Open Classrooms – KS1	08:30 – 08:45
	Year 3 Egyptian Day	
	Year 4 Maya Workshop	
	Good Shepherd Mass	
	Parent Consultations	16:00 – 18:00
Thu 26 th June	Open Classrooms KS2	08:30 – 08:45
Fri 27 th June	School Sports Day	
	Feast of Sacred Heart	
	School Summer Fair	
WEEK 10		
Mon 30 th June	Whole School Celebration of the Word	09:00
Tue 1 st July	Y5 & Y6 Play	17:00 – 18:30
Thu 3 rd July	Y5 & Y6 Play	19:00 – 20:30
Fri 4 th July	Awards Assembly	09:00
	Parent & Toddler Session – Nursery	09:00 – 10:30
	Foundation Stage Ice Lolly Sale	10:30

WEEK 11		
Mon 7 th July	Whole School Celebration of the Word	09:00
	FS & KS1 Trip to Wakehurst	
Tue 8 th July	Moving up Morning	11:00 – 12:00
Wed 9 th July	Year 6 v Staff Netball Match	10:15 – 11:00
Thu 10 th July	Year 6 Leavers Mass	14:00 – 15:00
	Year 6 Cricket Match and Tea	15:00 – 16:30
	Nursery – End of Term	
	Summer Term School Reports to parents	
Fri 11 th July	Prizegiving @ Mayfield School	11:00 – 12:00
END OF SUMMER TERM FRIDAY 11TH JULY @ 12:00 CHILDREN RETURN TO SCHOOL ON WEDNESDAY, 3RD SEPTEMBER		

Parent Notices



Poppy (Y6) is playing the part of Tessie in Annie at the Assembly Hall, Tunbridge Wells during May half term. Mrs Rainbow can get discounted tickets, £16 instead of £25 if anyone would like to go. Poppy's performance dates are 28th @ 7pm, 29th @ 2pm, 30th @ 2pm, and 31st @ 7pm. Please email ssbassett1983@hotmail.com with your ticket order.



Experience Mayfield Day

24 June 2025

We warmly invite parents of Year 5 pupils considering Year 7 entry in 2026 or Year 9 entry in 2028 to register their child for a fun and inspiring day of taster lessons and hands-on activities, designed to give them a real feel for life at Mayfield.

Discover our vibrant curriculum, excellent facilities and nurturing environment — where every student can thrive.

Scan the QR code to register

YEAR 2

In English, children in Year 2 have really enjoyed writing riddles about an animal. Here are some of them which you can read and see if you can guess which animal they are writing about...!

What am I?

*I am a four-legged carnivore.
My food is juicy meat and occasional treats.
Don't go too near me if you are a stranger
because I might bite you!
People like to pet me because I am friendly.
I love chewing slippers!
I like to play and chase cats.
My favourite thing to do is go on walks and
fetch sticks.
I bark when you knock on my door.*

What am I?

By Sophie

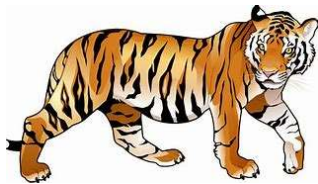


What am I?

*I am a four-legged carnivore.
My favourite foods are zebras, giraffe and most
animals.
You will find me in the gigantic, enormous green
jungle.
I am very strong.
My fur is black and orange.
I have teeth as sharp as swords.
Pouncing is my favourite way to catch my prey.*

What am I?

By Oscar



What am I?

*If you come too close to me, I will jump away
because I am very shy!
My diet is fleas, flies and bugs.
If you touch me, you will find I am very slimy.
I am very good at swimming.
I live in a swamp or a pond in your garden.
You can keep me as a pet but I am an
unusual pet.
What am I?
By Charlie.*



In PSHE, we have been learning about simple First Aid. These lessons culminated in learning how to put someone into the Recovery Position.



In preparation for our new Science topic, Plants, we have each planted a Gladioli bulb and can't wait to see how tall they will grow!



YEAR 3

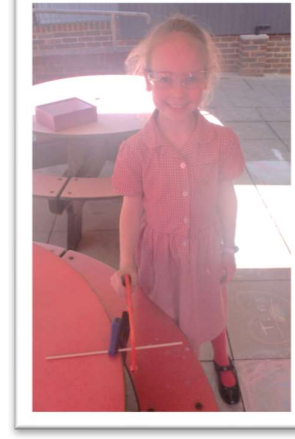
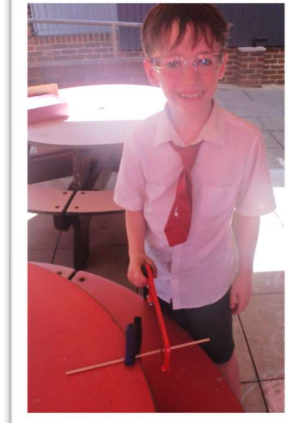
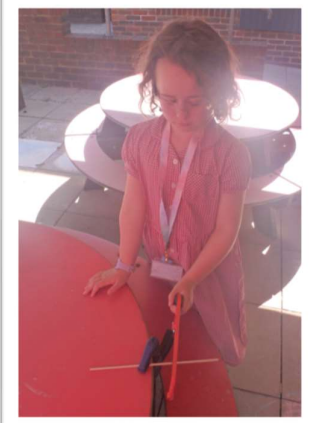
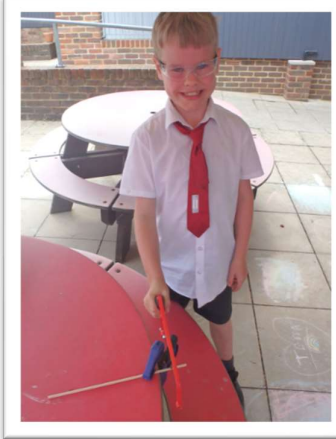


Children in Year 3 have been busy constructing some fantastic vehicles over the past few weeks.

They have learnt about the safety of using equipment, such as saws and hot glue guns and were all very sensible when using them! The vehicles they constructed needed to meet a design brief. We are pleased to say that all vehicles passed, and we ended up with some creative designs including wedding limousines, campervans and dog carriers!



Scan these QR codes to look at a couple of our test runs!



YEAR 6 - BOWLES

Children in Year 6 spent a busy and exciting weekend at Bowles on their residential trip. They took part in 8 hours of adventurous activities each day including orienteering, high ropes, team building, a campfire, skiing and rock climbing.

We are so proud of how each child challenged himself, or herself over the weekend to take part in activities in which they felt less confident. They were energetic, enthusiastic and fun to be with.

Well done Year 6 – we hope you're proud of yourselves too!



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RECEPTION – FARM VISIT

Last week, the children in Reception class enjoyed an exciting visit to a local farm in the glorious sunshine. They took part in a variety of activities, including feeding the lambs, meeting the new calves, and feeding the carp in the pond. A highlight of the day was a bumpy tractor ride across the fields, followed by a lovely walk through the bluebells.



OTHER NEWS

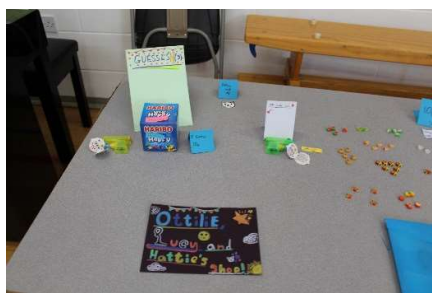


This week children in KS2 enjoyed an assembly with Mr Diggins (one of our parents), learning all about the world of Journalism. The assembly inspired our Year 6 children to write their own newspaper. We look forward to reading it when it is published after the half term holiday.

CLUBS

As part of the "Skills 4 Life" after-school club with Mr Shefford, the children took part in an "Enterprise Challenge" this week.

Each child was given an allowance of £5 to spend on goods that they then tried to "sell" to the other children in Key Stage Two. Children were able to keep any "profit" that they made above the £5 that they were initially given.



SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUB

Booking is now open for the Sacred Heart Summer Holiday Club. This will run on the following dates. Booking forms are available from the office.

Week 1 - August 4th – 8th

Week 2 - August 11th – 15th

SAFEGUARDING

Please report any safeguarding concerns you have directly to the one of the adults listed below.



Mrs Johanna Collyer
Designated Safeguarding Lead



Mrs Emma Nixon
Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead



Mrs Antonia Gabriel
Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead



Mrs Sarah Alcock
Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead

If any parent or carer from Sacred Heart School has any questions to ask, concerns to raise or needs to inform the school of a situation, please feel free to approach a member of staff at any time. We operate an open-door policy here at Sacred Heart School.