

Pyrford C of E Primary School Weekly Newsletter



Golden Book Highlights

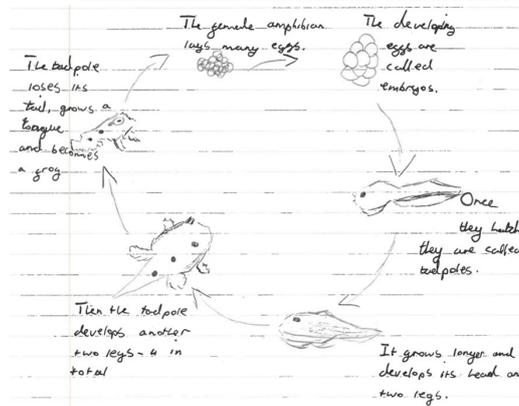


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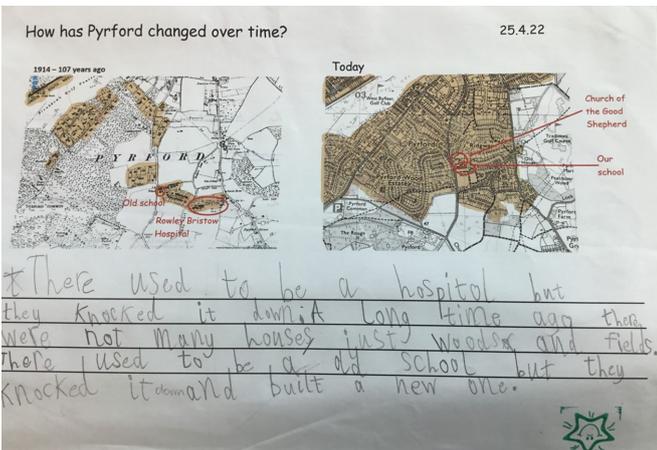
Toby Clark



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Jago Anderson



Cedric Kong

Headteacher's Letter

Diary Dates

Fri 6 May YR to Godstone Farm

Fri 6 May Young Voices @ The O2

Tue 10 May Y 1 & Y3 Drumming Workshop

Wed 11 May KS2 Author Visit

Wed 18 May Y4 Tropical Beasts Workshop

Wed 25 May Y3 & Y4 The Three Little Pigs Production

Wed 25 May Reception Measurement Programme

Fri 27 May Y5 Bushcraft

30 May—3 Jun HALF TERM

Mon 6 Jun INSET DAY

Tue 7 Jun Y5 & Y6 Parents Coffee Morning

Wed 8 Jun YR Minibeast Workshop

Thu 9 Jun Y2 to The Lookout Discovery Centre

Fri 10 Jun YR, Y1 & Y2 Friendly Friday

Tue 14 Jun Y3 & Y4 Parents Coffee Morning

Fri 17 Jun Y6 Lego Robotics

Fri 17 Jun Y3 & Y4 Friendly Friday

Mon 20 Jun Y4 Chinese Dragon Workshop

Mon 20 Jun Class Photos - Day 1

Tue 21 Jun Y1 & Y2 Parents Coffee Morning

Tue 21 Jun Y6 Leavers' Service @ Guildford Cathedral

Wed 22 Jun Class Photos - Day 2

Fri 24 Jun Y5 & Y6 Friendly Friday

Sat 25 Jun Brass Concert @ CoGS

Good morning and welcome to another bank holiday weekend.

My sincere thanks to all parents who have attended this term's parent consultation meetings. Staff have commented on how nice it has been to see parents face to face again. We will be in touch with those of you who were unable to attend so that we can discuss your child's progress. Behind the scenes, staff have been meeting to discuss progress of individuals and next steps. We are very pleased to see significant progress across the school.

This week as always, the school has been a hive of activity, busy from 7:45am to 6pm with the launch of our summer term's clubs offer. There has been strong take up of clubs and visitors to the school have commented on how busy and vibrant the school is outside the hours of a traditional school day. Next week our choir will be heading off to the O2 Arena to join the Young Voices choir. This is an exciting opportunity for children to join others in a large venue, something which the pandemic has not allowed us to do for the last two years. As always, thanks to staff for giving up their Friday nights and you, the parents, for your support. It really is an enjoyable evening; I certainly have enjoyed attending as both a parent and a member of staff over the years.

At school we are busy planning the summer term trips and visits as well as drafting our plans for the Jubilee celebrations this term. Watch this space for a full update. There was much excitement in Year 1 this morning as they set off for a visit to Merrist Wood - I hope the animals are prepared! Trips and visits add such richness to our curriculum and give those experiences which we just can't replicate in school. You will see

a selection of photographs from Year 4's residential trip to Hindleap Warren on page 3 - happy, muddy children!

I do hope you have a wonderful bank holiday weekend and to those of you who will be ending the period of Ramadan, we wish you a very Happy Eid in the coming days.

Best wishes.

Kathryn Krynicki
Headteacher



Y4 at Hindleap Warren



GOLDEN BOOK

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR GOLDEN BOOK WINNERS THIS WEEK

<p>N SQUIRRELS Tabs Napier. We are learning about animals and have set our role play up as a vet's practice. Tabs took on the role of the vet and took great care of all the animals.</p>	<p>3 ELM William Bourne. In English we have been reading all about Anna Atkins, a botanist who sketched and studied British plants. William carefully sketched white bells that were growing in the environmental garden. He thought carefully about where they were growing and what they looked like. Well done William!</p>
<p>R BEECH Sebastian Cassar for excellent creativity and imagination. Sebastian is always at the art table creating something exciting. He comes up with such imaginative ideas and brings them to life using his DT skills. I'm always amazed by what he creates and can't wait to see what he does next!</p>	<p>3 MAPLE Charlie Sherlock. In Maths we have been learning about fractions and finding equivalent fractions. Charlie showed good understanding and has worked so hard to improve the presentation of his work. Well done Charlie, we are proud of you.</p>
<p>R HAZEL Oscar Hills for doing some amazing writing all on his own! He thinks carefully about what he wants to write and uses all his phonics to decide which letters to use. Well done Oscar!</p>	<p>YEAR 4 Everyone! The children who went to Hindleap were amazing and we are very proud of you all. You showed determination, courage and resilience when completing the challenges and it was a pleasure to watch you all grow in confidence. You all learnt how to work as a team and the important role that listening plays in communication. The children who stayed in school also made us proud with the wonderful scenery they have made for our play. They worked hard and learnt to work collaboratively.</p>
<p>1 OAK Figen Izet for amazing effort with her reading. She has been working so hard at her reading and made such good progress.</p>	<p>5 ROWAN Toby Clark. In Science, we have been looking at life cycles. We have been looking specifically at amphibians and the metamorphosis they go through during their lives. Toby has clearly documented this in his diagram of the life cycle of a frog. Well done Toby, keep up the great work!</p>
<p>1 PINE Imogen Hope. We have been reading about Leaf the polar bear. The animals in the wood are not sure whether they should help him or chase him away. Imogen wrote a letter trying to persuade the crows that they should scare him away. She listened for the sounds in words and wrote the tricky words correctly. Well done!</p>	<p>5 WILLOW Emme Gwyther for her powerful speech as an islander on Eel Island from our new power of reading book <i>Floodland</i>. Emme thoroughly enjoyed writing this speech to persuade others to vote her to be the new leader of the island. Emme has used repetition and modal verbs incredibly well throughout her speech. Emme also confidently read her speech to the class and I thought she made a very convincing argument! Well done Emme.</p>
<p>2 CEDAR Jago Anderson. We are learning about the history of Pyrford and Jago explained how the area has changed over time. He remembered to use excellent punctuation, including a comma when writing. Well done Jago.</p>	<p>6 HOLLY Cedric Kong. In Art we have been looking at the portraits of the American artist, John Singer Sargent, after which we tried to use one half of the portrait of Dr Pozzi and complete the other half as closely as possible. Cedric has done a wonderful half-portrait and I particularly like the detail on the face and hands. I could see how well he was studying the original to help get the stance correct. Well done Cedric!</p>
<p>2 HAWTHORN James Jaworski for making fantastic progress with all his learning in Year 2, including his reading, maths and foundation subjects. This week he studied some historic maps of our local area and set out some excellent observations about how Pyrford has changed. Great work James!</p>	<p>6 LAUREL Ava Embling for her fantastic half portrait of Dr Pozzi, in the style of the American artist, John Singer Sargent. Ava's drawing showed proportion and great sketching technique. Well done Ava!</p>
<p>2 SYCAMORE Lincoln Evans. Lincoln really enjoys our Maths sessions. He always works hard and pushes himself to complete any challenges. This week we have been working on 3D shape. He was able to name and describe the properties of a variety of shapes. Well done Lincoln!</p>	

Diary Dates (contd)

Tue 28 Jun EYFS Parents Coffee Morning

Tue 28 Jun Y5 Archery / Assault Course

Wed 29 Jun Y5 to Wildwood

Thu 30 Jun Y5 Pyrford Camp

Fri 1 Jul Y5 Breakfast BBQ & Team Challenge

Mon 4 & Tue 5 Jul Y3 Activity Days

Mon 11—Fri 15 Jul Y6 Residential @ Osmington Bay

Tue 12 Jul 10:30-13:00 Singing Picnic

Thu 21 Jul Term ends at 12:00

Y1 & Y3 Drumming Workshop now on Scopay &

Reminder - please give consent for swimming

What the Ladybird Heard



the robbers
w^{anted} one to steal
a cow.

The robbers wanted to steal a cow

Oscar Hills

James Jaworski

Figen



Imogen Hope

Dear crows,
I am a mean wolf.
I want him to leave because
he has sharp teeth.
He is mean and he scares
me. I should scare him a way.
I mean wolf

Lincoln Evans

Properties of 3D Shapes

Shape	Name of shape	Number of faces	Number of edges	Number of vertices
	cone ✓	2 ✓	1 ✓	1 ✓
	cube ✓	6 ✓	12 ✓	8 ✓
	cylinder ✓	3 ✓	2 ✓	0 ✓
	prism ✓	5 ✓	9 ✓	6 ✓

How has Pyrford changed over time? 25.4.22

People built houses over the years so people had to build a bigger school. Rowley Bristolow hospital was demolished and got turned into houses. Some people believe that the Pyrford Stone turns at midnight.

Write Fact File William Bourne

They are found...
in a cold place

They need...
water RAIN SUN SUNSHINE

They can be recognized by
they are like tiny little balls
they are white and they are
a type of plant

Charlie Sherlock

26/4/22
wait find equivalent fractions

a) 6 ✓
b) 3 ✓
c) 6 ✓

$\frac{1}{2}$ of 20 = 10 ✓
 $\frac{1}{4}$ of 20 = 5 ✓
 $\frac{3}{4}$ of 20 = 15 ✓
 $\frac{3}{7}$ of 20 = 15 ✓
3) $\frac{2}{7}$ of 18 = 14 ✓
 $\frac{2}{3}$ of 24 = 12 ✓

Colour $\frac{2}{4}$ of each shape.

Thursday 21st April 2022 Emme Gwyther

Write a persuasive speech in a role of a character

Listen in ~~on~~ you ~~reels~~ Eels!

Too long we have been hiding in the shadows, too long we have listened and done what dooby says, too long we have forgotten ourselves! We must fight back and get a new leader! Did you know that ever since the selfish bullying lobby has arrived we lost 30% of our fighters. We will not as I know you are unhappy I see, as your leader, will not let our loved ones disappear. Do you want to lose more family and friends?

Horribly, I know that we are that we are tired and weak, that we are hungry and thirsty and I will put a stop to this and bring you food no matter what it takes. I will fish and if you do not catch any I will come and help you. We must help each other not just ourselves. Did you know because ~~the~~ ~~fish~~ ~~have~~ ~~been~~ ~~eating~~ ~~all~~ ~~the~~ ~~food~~ 10% of our population has died ~~because~~ ~~starvation~~ because of this we've lost many great fishermen. Do you really want everyone to die but dooby?

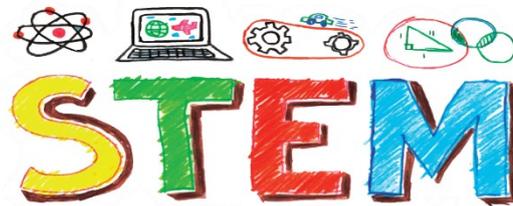
I hope you have considered by speech and together we can fight against dooby

Ava Embling



Clubs News

Meatball madness! Lots of onion tears, but a great start to cookery club!



Year 1 & 2

From next week and every week thereafter STEM club will run from 3 – 4pm. This change has been made due to the school finishing time of KS1 meaning we can start the club a little earlier.

Please collect your children from the normal pick up point at 4pm.

Many Thanks

Mrs Rashbrook

Extended Schools Manager

esm@pyrford.surrey.sch.uk

Recycle  Charity

Ink Cartridge Collection

You can help us raise funds by recycling your ink cartridges. The box is by the school office. We cannot take toner and laser cartridges.

Dear all our loyal customers, parents, friends, and little adults,
 At *Valentino Schoolwear* we know things continue to be very hard for many of us right now,
 so, once again, we're ensuring our **Annual Discount Promotion** for 2022 is *available online* and *in store* for our customers.



15% OFF All school uniform purchases: **23rd – 29th May 2022**

Use discount code **SUMMER15** when you click 'View Cart'

10% OFF All school uniform purchases: **30th May – 5th June 2022**

Use discount code **SUMMER10** when you click 'View Cart'

Anything purchased during our promotion can be exchanged right up until schools open in September!

Please note that we are unable to accept returns and exchanges during our promotional dates above 23rd May – 5th June 2022.
 Returns & exchanges are all subject to our normal returns policy. These offers are available online and in store. Not to be used in conjunction with any other offers.

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Term Dates 2022/23

Thursday 1st & Friday 2nd September	INSET DAYS
Monday 5th September	Term starts for children
Monday 24th - Friday 28th October	HALF TERM
Monday 31st October	INSET DAY
Thursday 15th December	Term ends at 12:00
Tuesday 3rd January	INSET DAY
Wednesday 4th January	Term starts for children
Monday 13th - Friday 17th February	HALF TERM
Friday 31st March	Term ends
Monday 17th April	Term starts
Monday 1st May	BANK HOLIDAY
Monday 29th May - Friday 2nd June	HALF TERM
Monday 5th June	INSET DAY
Friday 21st July	Term ends

Please support Pyrford Penguins who are fundraising for Alzheimers Society on JustGiving.

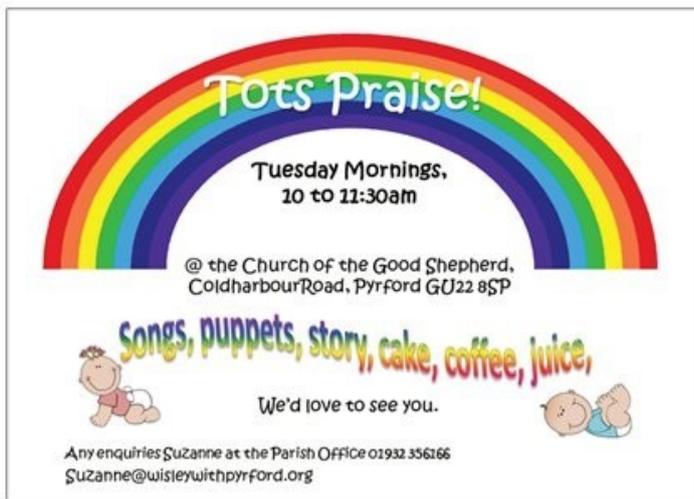


https://www.justgiving.com/team/PyrfordPenguins?utm_source=Sharethis&utm_medium=team&utm_content=PyrfordPenguins&utm_campaign=pfp-email&utm_term=517b9d9df22a4416943c36fdd07b7931

We have raised over £2000 so far which is amazing! The money all goes into the same pot so it doesn't matter who you sponsor but we are all aiming to meet our initial £200 target.

Thank you for your support! Mrs Murray, Miss Adams, Mrs Burnett, Mrs Hope, Mrs Porter, Mrs Steen, Mrs Vieira & Mrs Wright

Church News



Tots Praise!
 Tuesday Mornings,
 10 to 11:30am
 @ the Church of the Good Shepherd,
 Coldharbour Road, Pyrford GU22 8SP
 Songs, puppets, story, cake, coffee, juice,
 We'd love to see you.
 Any enquiries Suzanne at the Parish Office 01932 356166
 Suzanne@wisleywithpyrford.org



Tuesdays 9am to 9:30am
 (Coffee available 8:45am)
 At the EMMAUS Chapel, Church of the Good Shepherd,
 Coldharbour Road, Pyrford.
 Join us to pray for Children,
 Youth and Families.

parenting for faith

Want to help the kids you love find God in everyday life?

The Parenting for Faith course is for you! It's not just mums and dads who long for children and teens to know God for themselves. Whether you're a parent, carer, family member, friend, or church worker or leader, you can help the young people in your life develop a vibrant and connected relationship with God - whatever their age!

The Parenting for Faith video-based course will give you confidence to share your life with God in a way that feels natural to you - and the tools to do it easily in everyday life.

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**THURSDAY
 AFTERNOONS
 1:30-2:45PM**

In the Trinity Room at
 the Church of the Good
 Shepherd.

28th April for 6 weeks
 Pop in or come to all.

Contact Suzanne@wisleywithpyrford.org
 for more information

**SUMMER TERM
 EXPLORE
 STARTS BACK on
 Monday 9th May**

**EXPLORE
 THE BIBLE**

For all ages,
 families &
 friends. ☺☺

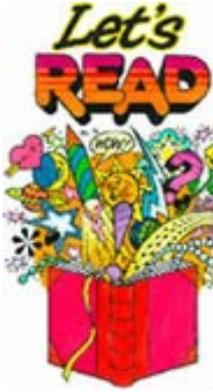
Mondays after school
 3:15pm to 4:15pm
 In the Main Church

Join us to learn about
 different stories from the
 Bible with activities, crafts,
 songs and snacks.

Term Time Only
 (not on inset days or in
 holidays.)

The Church of the
 Good Shepherd

Job Advertisement for Charity Executive Role at Let's Read



Let's Read is a charity based in Woking which helps children in primary schools improve their literacy, particularly those who struggle with reading. We are recruiting a part-time paid Charity Executive who will be responsible for the day-to-day running of the charity and the provision of services to support its two programmes in Woking primary schools:

- one-to-one tuition with teams of volunteer tutors going into four schools over two mornings a week,
- the presentation of nearly 600 books each term to year-2 children in eleven schools.

The workload is assessed to be two days a week during term time plus other days and the occasional evening, with availability to attend schools on Tuesday and/or Thursday mornings an advantage. The role includes secretary to the Board of Trustees/Directors. The Charity Executive is accountable to the chair of the Charity. Payment level and arrangements depend on the successful applicant. The candidate will have:

- A strong desire to help young people improve their literacy skills
- Good administrative, office IT and social media skills
- A background in teaching, education, business or charity work
- A good understanding of charity governance
- A personable and enthusiastic nature
- Effective leadership qualities, particularly inspiring volunteers
- Experience of fund raising

The position will commence from July 2022 in preparation for the new Autumn term and is an excellent opportunity to make a positive difference to the lives of young people.

CVs should be forwarded to chair@letsread.co.uk by 16th May 2022. Interviews will take place the week commencing 30th May 2022. More available at www.letsread.co.uk. Contact Les Smith, member of Church of the Good Shepherd, on 01932 351220.





GIRLS FOOTBALL COURSE MAY HALF TERM 2022

Monday 30th May & Tuesday 31st May

Venue:- Abbey Rangers Football Club (KT15 2QH)
Times:- 8.30am – 4.00pm
£25 Daily / £45 Two Day

Designed for girls of *all abilities* aged between 5yrs to 13yrs!

- Playing in a fun, challenging & safe environment.
- Meeting new friends that have an interest in football.
- Develop technique, speed, tactics & improve skills & confidence.
- Professional FA qualified coaching.
- 3G Pitch and use of clubhouse.

If you would like further information or would like to book a place for your daughter to attend please kindly contact **Tom** on 07825 089500 or email tom@tasportscoaching.co.uk






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BECOME A HOME-START VOLUNTEER!

When you volunteer for **Home-Start Runnymede and Woking**, you'll be a lifeline for a local family, helping them get back on their feet and develop the skills they need to cope.

Home-Start Runnymede and Woking is a registered charity supporting struggling families with at least one child under five years of age; providing weekly volunteer visits to offer practical and emotional support and advice.

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