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*'To love, live and learn together'*

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Our Christian value this half term is 'Trust'

**Celebrating our sporting success** Congratulations to our cricket teams. Both our Y3/4 and Y5/6 Girls and Boys Teams reached the North of County finals. Well done to our Y5/6 Boys Team who finished in 2nd place overall and our Y5/6 Girls Team who finished in 3rd place. Our Y3/4 Team have still to play their final. Our Y5/6 Teams are pictured below celebrating their success.



Congratulations to our Y5/6 Tennis Teams who finished in 1st and 2nd places in the area competition.



Well done to all our children in Y1 to Y6 who have made an excellent start with their swimming this week.

**Swimming reminders for week of 9th May** A reminder that Classes 3 and 4 will not swim in the week of 9th May due to Year 6 SATs. Our Y1/2 children will swim as normal on Thursday afternoon.

**Instrumental lesson reminders for week of 9th May** A reminder that Mrs Jameson will not be teaching instrumental lessons this week due to Year 6 SATs.

**Class 1 this week:** have continued with their Transport topic, They have been practising their cursive handwriting; worked hard in PE and done lots of problem solving in Maths. Pictured below, Class 1 have been developing their cricket skills and completing some bike maintenance in their role play garage.



**Class 2 this week:** have worked hard on telling the time and multiplication and division problems. In their Transport topic they have explored how cars have changed over time. In RE they have shared the story of Creation. Science work has focussed on plant identification and in computing they have looked at Road Safety using search engines. Pictured below practising their cricket catching skills.



**Class 3 this week:** have worked hard on fractions of quantities and numbers in Maths. In English they have enjoyed reading play scripts. In RE they have begun to look at journeys in life. They have also enjoyed cricket and swimming. Well done for excellent holiday homework on Ancient Egypt. Pictured below are highlights from their Tennis Tournament.



**Eco Club** have been busy weeding and tidying our Peace Garden ready for summer planting. A reminder that we are still recycling tin foil, crisp packets, batteries and ink cartridges.



**Class 4 this week:** have been busy preparing for Y6 SATs. They have revised fractions, shape, measures and statistics and produced a glossary of key terms for SPAG revision. They have enjoyed Greek Myths and had fun in cricket and swimming. Well done for excellent holiday homework on Ancient Greece.

**Class Curriculum Letters and Diary Dates for the Summer Term** A full list of key diary dates for the Summer Term have been sent home and are on the website. Each class teacher has sent a letter outlining key routines and topics for the term. We continue to send text reminders and updates.

Please don't hesitate to contact me with any queries.

With my best wishes,

Nicola Dobson