



Bryony School Newsletter

w/c 5th July, Summer Term 2021

Strawberries and Cream

On Monday, Year 6 enjoyed strawberries and cream at Bryony - a long-awaited treat from last year. Everyone enjoyed themselves, despite the unreliable weather. As well as cream to accompany the strawberries, the children asked for chocolate spread too.....you can't get that at Wimbledon! Yum!

Mrs St John and Year 6



Magistrates

You may recall a few weeks ago Year 6 were visited by two Medway Magistrates.



They acted out a scenario which led to a conditional discharge.....



The article was published without these wonderful pictures of our year 6.



Mrs St John

Lollies

Year 6 brought in different types of fruit this week and made their own frozen lollies.

Mrs Kilbourne



Preschool

Preschool have been learning about sea creatures this week...

We have also enjoyed meeting the new children who will be starting with us in September.



Mrs Reid & Mrs Robinson

Reception

This week we made potions in the wood. We had great fun pretending we were making Shrek some soup!!



The children quickly discovered that if they put their boot or a stick in the potion the colour moved away from their boot! Fascinating science..

Mrs Oliver & Mrs White

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Brilliant Banksy Art

Back at the start of year, Mrs Rivers led the Year 6s in their art unit about Banksy. The children learnt about the artist and the impact his work has with the messages conveyed in public places. They then began to create their own symbols and pieces of artwork in stencil form to attempt Banksy's talent.

Unfortunately, Covid hit in November and this project was paused...until now!



On Wednesday, the Year 6s completed creating any stencils, carefully using art knives as taught previously, to then use paint to bring their design to life on Mrs Platford's classroom wall!



It was a superb afternoon where the children worked sensibly to try a new form of art. Mrs Platford was particularly impressed with how the children used the stencil they had made to create imaginative pieces, for example, mirroring letters of their name and creating different blending of colours.



A really wonderful session Year 6 in your final weeks at Bryony- well done for working perfectly!

Mrs Rivers & Mrs Platford

Important Notices

Kingswood Residential—Years 5 & 6

Please see ParentMail regarding new dates of 19th to 21st July due to Kingswood staff isolating and respond as soon as possible.

Monday 12th July - Post England Match



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Please look out for a ParentMail email sent regarding information relating to later start (if needed) on Monday morning.

Sunny Outdoor Maths

In between the rain showers this week, Year 6 enjoyed some final Mathematics lessons in the outdoors!

We played a couple of Mathematics games including creating a human bar graph. The children revised the structure of any graph with specific focus on the x and y axis.



After this, the children came up with different topics which they wanted to find out about, for example, favourite foods, favourite cars and

favourite desserts! The children then raced to the title which was their favourite, creating a human bar graph where it was clear to see the most and least popular. It was glorious to enjoy the weather as well as see so many beaming smiles!



Furthermore, the children also enjoyed working as a team to use their bodies to create the answer to a number sentence called out by Mrs Platford. There was a great display of cooperation as well as imaginative ideas!

Well done Year 6- it is always a pleasure working with you!

Mrs Platford

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Forest School Year 2

This week saw Year 2's final trip to Capstone Park for Forest School.



"We roasted marshmallows to make S'mores and **Becky** cooked sausages so we could have hot dogs!" - **Rosie**

"We all had a lovely time. We had a giant feast around the fire!" **Bella**

"Around the camp fire we had hot chocolate, juice and popcorn!" - **Issy**

A very big thank you to **Becky, Rob, Mark and Ralph** at **Capstone Park** for providing us all with such a fantastic experience! **Mr Spaks** for taking us every week and **Mrs Saroya** for coming to help us!



We have had the best time!

Mrs Dyne and Year 2



Sports News Yr 5 & 6



Congratulations to the year 5 and 6 winners of the ladders and hurdles virtual competition organised by the Howard School Sports Partnership. The children took part in various tasks linked with ladders and hurdles. Bryony School came first in the hurdles competition and second in the ladders. Well done everyone!

Mr Johnson

Well Done Year 2 Ladies



Well done to **Isabella** in Year 2 for earning a **medal** from Netball for her great footwork!

Kesi in Year 2 received "Star of the Week"

from **Razzmatazz**. "I got it for confidently reading my script from Descendants 3".



Nice to see you Lawrie

It was lovely to see Lawrie from Year 4 looking so well after his major operation in April this year. He watched the Yr 4 performance and received his certificate from Mrs Gee along with his classmates. We have all missed you and cant wait to see you back in September.....



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End of year Presentations Year 5 & Year 4



Mrs Atkins and **Year 5** celebrated the end of the year with a performance about World War 2 in front of their parents. The children all received certificates from Mrs Gee.



Mr Johnson and **Year 4** entertained the parents with their knowledge of Ancient Greece in their presentation. The parents heard about Aesop and his fables, the Olympic Games and the Greek Gods...



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Head Teacher Awards

Each week **Mrs Gee** gives out her Head Teacher's Awards for those children we have been particularly impressed with for displaying Bryony School values.

Reception:

Sai for his mathematical progress

Preschool:

Roman for having a very good general knowledge and talking about subjects well.

Isla for writing and illustrating beautifully.

Year 1

Tommy - for outstanding progress in reading and beginning to write independently using his knowledge of phonics.

Darcy - for excellent improvement in concentration and working really hard in all lessons.

Year 2

Honey for an improvement in her reading and public speaking.

Well done everyone.

Our Junior children have had another busy week and therefore there are no Headteacher awards this Friday.



Diary Dates

July

- Monday 12th** - Pre-School Graduation Ceremony 10 a.m. *
- Monday 12th** - Reception Graduation 2 p.m.*
- Monday 12th**—Years 3 and 4 sporty fun day post England match (wear PE kits)
- Tuesday 13th** - KS1 End of Term Assembly 2 p.m.*
- Wednesday 14th** - Year 3 - End of Year Assembly 1.45 p.m.*
- Thursday 16th** - Year 4 Swimming
- Thursday 16th** - KS2 Inflatable fun
- Friday 16th** - **Summer Term ends**
- Monday 19th to Wednesday 21st** - Year 5 and 6 Residential Trip to Kingswood (rescheduled from 12th to 14th July)

Holiday Fun

MAZE MOON
GIANT MAIZE MAZES

Mini Mazes • Café Stall
Ice Cream Van

22nd July to 31st August
(Thursday to Sunday)
10am - 5pm (Last entry at 3:30pm)

*Open August Bank Holiday
Monday 30th and Tuesday 31st August
10am - 5pm (Last entry at 3:30pm)

4th September to 19th September
(Weekends only) 10am - 4pm (Last entry at 2:30pm)

Maze tickets must be booked via website
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Waggle Dance MAZE MOON

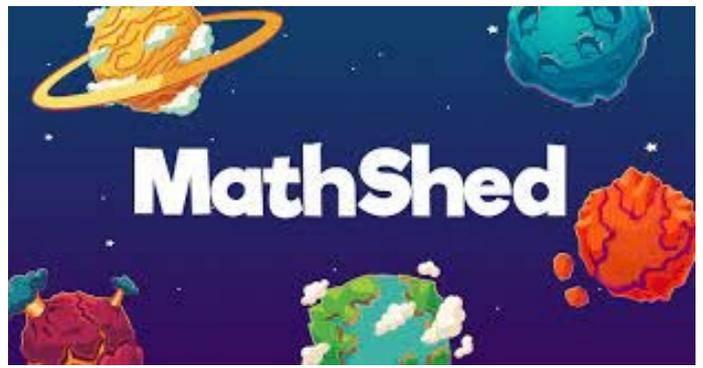
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House Points



Overall House Point Table Infants & Juniors		
1st	Zircon	79
2nd	Ruby	73
3rd	Emerald	60
4th	Sapphire	55



The top children in each year group for Spelling Shed are:-

- Reception :** 1st - Evelyn
- Year 1 :** 1st - Hughie
2nd - Nancy
3rd - Olivia
- Year 2 :** 1st - Isabelle
2nd - Darcy
3rd - Kesi
- Year 3 :** 1st - Danny
2nd - Louie
3rd - Ryanveer
- Year 4 :** 1st - Ayo
2nd - Josh
3rd - Robson
- Year 5 :** 1st - Bryn
2nd - Jenyo
3rd - Andrea
- Year 6 :** 1st - Oliver

Well done to everyone who has logged into **SpellingShed** this week.

The top children in each year group for MathShed are:-

- Reception :** 1st - Evelyn
2nd - Jovan
- Year 1 :** 1st - Amira
2nd - Hughie
- Year 2 :** 1st - Kesi
2nd - Isabella
3rd - Isabelle
- Year 3 :** 1st - Veer
2nd - Danny
3rd - Jaiveer
- Year 4 :** 1st - Josh
2nd - Ayo
3rd - Kiye
- Year 5 :** 1st - Ezekiel
2nd - Jenyo
3rd - Phoenix
- Year 6 :** 1st - Oliver

Well done to everyone who has logged into **MathShed** this week.