



Dear Families,

We hope you had a wonderful half term break! As we dive into the summer term, here are some important updates and exciting news to share:

Uniform Reminder: Please ensure that your child wears the correct uniform and shoes. If you have any issues, please contact the class teacher as we have a store of spare uniform so can support you, if needed.

Weather-Ready: With unpredictable British weather, it's essential to be prepared. Children should have both hats and coats handy, just in case of rain or sunshine. This includes sun cream for hot days to ensure that we are protecting the children when they are in the sun.

Year 4's Victorian Adventure: Last Wednesday, Year 4 visited Blists Hill museum, stepping back in time to experience life as Victorian children. The children and adults explored the different shops and exhibits and spent a lesson in the Victorian school house. Sam from Elm class said, "It was all fun but it was strict in the classroom. The teacher even told Miss Holding to sit down! The sweet shop was the best bit, even though I was at the back of the line." The sweet shop seems to have been a massive hit with all of the children! It was also lovely to receive a message from the staff at Blists Hill to say that the children were all really polite and respectful. It is always wonderful to hear that our children are displaying our values when they are out of school.



Congratulations to Sophia! Sophia, in Rowan class, has qualified for the World Championships in Irish Dancing after her outstanding performance at the CNRG British National World Qualifier. This is a huge achievement and we are very proud of Sophia! We love hearing about and celebrating the children's achievements outside of school so please let us know about anything that they are involved in.

Meadow Sessions: Our children who attend sessions in The Meadow enjoyed an exciting wildlife lesson at Parkhill Farm on Tuesday. They learnt about mammals and microhabitats and have more engaging sessions are planned for the rest of the term.

Sports' Day - Wednesday, June 12th - Bring your chairs or picnic-blankets and enjoy the festivities!

Morning Session (Years 1 and 2): Parents can arrive from 9:15 am, with events starting at 9:30 am and aiming to finish by 11:00 am.

Afternoon Session (Years 3, 4, 5, and 6): Parents can arrive from 1:00 pm, with events starting at 1:10 pm and aiming to finish by 3:00 pm.

Thank you for your continued support.

Lisa Millington
Headteacher



This week at Longlands



Happy birthday to:



Skyla-Mae	Elm	Alex	Beech
Emmy	Willow	Mia	Elm

UPCOMING EVENTS

10 th	Year 6 Darwin Workshop – in school
11 th	Year 3 and 4 swimming
12 th	Sports' Day (<i>Moved earlier following feedback that the end of term was too busy</i>)
12 th	Year 4 Read the Game
14 th	Year 2 Bikeability
18 th	Stoke City Penalty Shoot Out
18 th	Year 3 and 4 swimming
19 th	Class photos and Year 6 leavers' photos
19 th	Year 4 Read the Game
25 th	Year 6 library visit
25 th	Year 3 and 4 swimming
26 th	Year 4 Read the Game
28 th	Year 2 open afternoon parent session
July	
2 nd	Year 1 Fun Science workshop – in school
3 rd	Year 5 and 6 Stopmotion animation workshops – in school
3 rd	Year 4 Read the Game
4 th	Summer Fair
5 th	Rounders event (The team will receive a letter)
8 th	Year 2 seaside workshop – in school
8 th	Year 6 move up transition day 1 - Grove
9 th	Year 6 move up transition day 2 - Grove

STAR OF THE WEEK

Acorns	Harlow-Rae & Eric
Saplings	Tommy P
Fir	Arthur
Willow	Quinn
Maple	Amelia
Rowan	Rogue
Elm	Ava
Beech	Maisie
Oak	Madison

