

Calmore Infant School

Summer Newsletter 8— Friday 16th June 2023

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Today we said goodbye to Kelly in the office. She will be sadly missed by all staff and children but she is embarking on a new adventure working as an LSA in another local school. She is brilliant with the children and we know she will really enjoy the new challenge.

We wish Kelly all the best for the future and know she will be fantastic in this new role. She will also be working in Flamingos on a Thursday and has kindly volunteered to support in class on a Friday until the end of term.

We are grateful for the support she has given us in the time that she has been here.

To support in the office, Julie our previous Admin Officer, has kindly stepped out of retirement for a few days a week until we appoint someone. Julie retired last summer term but sadly recently lost her husband. Whilst she adjusts to life without him, she will be helping us out.

Nerf Wars — 28th June 4:15 -5:15

If your child would like to take part in the after school Nerf Wars, please don't forget to sign up through Arbor. Please note that this runs after the lego club. Places are limited and they are going quickly!



Sports Day- Monday 3rd July

We are looking forward to celebrating sports day with you all this year. However, we have decided to change the format of



the day slightly. The main reason for this is because at times it can be overwhelming for the children, but also due to the hot weather we want the children to be outside for shorter periods of time.

Therefore this year we are going to hold year groups sports day where only a year group at a time will compete. It will all be on the same afternoon, so parents with siblings can stay on to watch both children. Please look at the times below:

12:45pm -1:20pm - Year R

1:25pm -2:00pm - Year 1

2:05pm -2:40pm - Year 2

The children will be put in smaller groups (of around 8 children per group) with the support of a class teacher or teaching assistant. The FCIS hope to sell water and drinks for parents so please be warned!! We will send further details closer to the time.

Meet your child's new teacher

On Thursday 6th and Friday 7th July your child will spend the day in their new classes.



On Thursday 6th July, your child will come home with a letter to let you know their new class. We would like to invite you to come and meet your child's new class teacher and find out more information about their new year group and to have a look around their new classroom. The meeting will take place in your child's new classroom at 5pm on Thursday 6th July.

Please note that this is only for new year I and 2 parents (current year R and I children) as the new Yr 3 transition is at their new school.

Well Done Certificates and Thank you Stars:

<u>Ducklings</u>: Charlotte, Harry & Lara

Penquins: Charlie, Effie & Elizabeth



Owls: Riley, Chae & Ava

Goldfinches: Edward, Emma & Chloe

Robins: Theo, Elyse & Sophia

Swallows: Preston, Luke & Gina

Sports Week and Sponsored Sports — All week 26th June

Sponsored Sports is taking place in our sports week, on Wednesday 28th June, as we have managed to secure some special equipment to make the day extra special. If you have a sponsor form, please help us by returning it to school.



Any money raised goes to help the children in school.

FCIS-Summer Inclatable Fun

Thank you to the FCIS for all your support in organising and running the session, and thank you also to those that helped out and attended.



We raised £300 which will go towards our children in our school.

As we get to the last few weeks, we are still working hard and teaching the children, please make sure they continue to bring in reading folders, book bags and sun hats. Whilst we are talking about transition, we have not stopped for this academic year.

Thank you for your continuing support, see you on Monday morning.

Mrs Willes and Mrs Weaver