



22nd April 2016

Dear Parents



Celebrating our children

The “Animal Magic Show” is a master class in MULTIPLE INTELLIGENCES. There are so many different ways in which a person can be smart – we have been overwhelmed by the children’s great performances in gym, dance and music. Thank you to the inspiring staff who have given the children so many opportunities through the clubs to develop their talents.

Growth Mindset Heroes

Win or lose, we celebrate the effort and commitment of our sports teams. Hooray for our U10 boy’s football team heroes – fabulous photo below and never mind about missing silverware! ... and hooray for the girls football team who are now through to the league final . Go Growth Mindset!

Mathematician Extraordinaire

Not many people know that 72,000 children entered the National Primary Maths Challenge this year. Out of all these thousands of children, only 33 in the whole country achieved a GOLD MEDAL, and one of these maths whizz kids is our own Tobin Payne in 5H. Tobin, we salute you. Huge respect for your phenomenal maths ability.

$$E = mc^2$$

Young Designers

Daisy Davies and Lily Rose Wybrow in 4H have won a competition to design logo for Bucks County Council. If you see a cartoon frozen doughnut, with the message “DO NUT GET CAUGHT OUT THIS WINTER” on the side of the Council gritting lorries – our girls designed it! Brilliant work.



Staff News

Mrs Woodhall – good news and bad news! Good news is that Mr Woodhall, her talented musical husband has a new teaching job. Bad news is that the job is in Kent – not really commutable to Great Missenden. We will be so sorry to say goodbye to Mrs Woodhall in the Summer.

Likewise Mrs Young, our top favourite Year 6 Art teacher and School Council leader.

Mrs Young’s husband has work in Russia, and that is definitely not commutable. Mrs Young has taught at Great Missenden since 2006 – we will miss her very much.

Further new appointments for September are Mr Bastin and Miss Basil. We look forward to welcoming them on Induction Day on 12th July.



New Governors

Following the Governor Elections last week, we can now announce:

New Parent Governor – Hope Eaton

New Community Governor – Agnes Fletcher

Sue Raynsford has also become a Community Governor.

Thank you to all those who put their names forward with a willingness to help the school – really appreciated.

Rozalyn Thomson
Head Teacher



OFFICE MATTERS



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- Thank you for all book donations to the library. We now have a full complement of books so please do not send any more into school at this time.
- Dogs are not allowed on the school premises.
- Just a reminder that when items appear on Parent pay, they are not necessarily an invoice to you, but a facility to pay should the item be relevant to your child/ren.
- We are working towards becoming a cashless office, but please do contact us you are unable to use Parentpay for any reason.
- If you see a child who you know who has not been collected from school, **please bring the child to the school office so we can organise collection.** Please do not take another child home or off site without prior arrangement with their parent as this causes confusion and unnecessary worry to the office and parents.