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MESSAGE TO PARENTS AND CARERS FROM THE HEAD

The new term seems to have set off at a tremendous pace. The children are engaging with their new topics and motivation seems high. This week I carried out a Learning Walk with one of our new Governors and it was great to see how motivated the children were and how focused they were on the tasks in hand. They were also really keen to share what they were learning about and could talk easily about things they had achieved and that they were proud of but could also identify areas where they struggled and knew that it was ok to find things difficult or to get things wrong as this is the way we learn. The children are really showing resilience in their learning!

Have a good weekend.

St George's Day

The children have been learning about St George this week. Some children made shields and acted out the story. Other children have written letters of persuasion to the committee that names patron saints. They have used amazing persuasive techniques to explain why George should be the patron saint of England.

In Nursery they learned about the story of St George and the Dragon. They made shields, England flags, drew pictures and did some writing.



Tuck Shop

Tuck shop will return on Friday 4th May 2018.
There will be a choice of snack.
The cost is 50p.
Please try to send the correct amount with your child.

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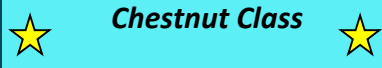













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 Beech Class  Maggie	HEADTEACHER'S AWARDS 	 Chestnut Class  Charlie
 Ash Class  Victoria	 Willow Class  James	 Sycamore Class  Skye
 Oak Class  Lily-Rose	 Elm Class  James	 Cedar Class  Thomas

 Attendance Award 	
The best attendance award is presented to:	
Little Saplings 96.6 %	Lime 96.5%
Chestnut 99.0%	Beech 96.7 %
Ash 99.4%	Willow 97.8 %
Sycamore 95.2 %	Oak 97.8 %
Cedar 99.3 %	Elm 100% 

Be in the line by 5 to 9!



IMPORTANT DATES
Summer 1
Friday 25 th May FoMT School Disco
Half Term 28th May – Friday 1st June
Summer 2
Monday 4 th June INSET day
Tuesday 5 th June Children return to school
Thursday 5 th July Sports Day To be confirmed next week
Thursday 12 th July Reports out
Friday 13 th July Open Afternoon 2.30pm
Saturday 14 th July Summer Fair
Wednesday 18 th July Year 4 Leaver's Production
Friday 20 th July Term ends
Should you wish to hire our school hall for private functions or clubs/events then please ask Mrs Varley in the office for details. There is a leaflet with further details attached with this newsletter.

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