



THE TIPTREE HEATH TELEGRAPH

Issue No.5 Summer Term
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Diary Dates

Monday 18th May - Year 6 Forest School Session.
 Thursday 21st May - Year 6 Rounders Tournament at Thurstable.
 Thursday 21st May - Year 5 visit to Wilkins.
 Friday 22nd May - TT Rock Stars Day - Let's Rock for Alfred!
 Friday 22nd May - PTFA Snack Shack after school.
 Friday 22nd May - Last day of term before half-term break.
 Monday 1st June - All children return to school.
 Monday 1st June - EYFS Forest School Session.
 Monday 1st June - Year 1 Forest School Session.
 Friday 5th June - MiniMe Mindfulness sessions for all children.
 Tuesday 9th June - Year 5 to Science Museum.
 Tuesday 9th June - EYFS / Year 1 NHS Dentist Visit.
 Wednesday 10th June - Year 6 to Crucial Crew.
 Tuesday 16th June - My Future online workshop for Years 4, 5, 6.
 Thursday 18th June - My Future online workshop for Years 1, 2, 3.
 Friday 19th June - PTFA Father's Day/Someone Special Gifting Room.
 Monday 22nd June - Year 2 Forest School Session.
 Monday 22nd June - Year 3 Forest School Session.
 Tuesday 23rd and Wednesday 24th June - Life Space in school for all children.
 Thursday 25th June - Year 6 transition session at Thurstable.
 Monday 29th June - Year 6 It's Your Move transition session in school.
 Monday 29th June - Year 4 Forest School Session.
 Monday 29th June - Year 5 Forest School Session.
 Tuesday 30th June - Whole School Sports Morning.
 Thursday 2nd July - PTFA Summer Event after school.
 Tuesday 7th July - Annual Reports out to all children.
 Tuesday 7th July - Year 6 SATs results out.
 Wednesday 8th July - Display Evening - 4.30pm - 6.30pm. Parents and children invited.
 Wednesday 8th July - Britten Sinfonia, Tiny Magic Orchestra performance in school.
 Wednesday 8th July - Year 5 taster day at Thurstable school - letters sent out.
 Friday 10th July - MiniMe Mindfulness sessions for all children.
 Friday 17th July - Last day of term.
 Friday 17th July - Year 6 Leavers assembly at 2pm. All Year 6 Parents invited.
 Monday 20th July - INSET day - school closed to all children.

This Week's Super Star Awards

Maggie - Little Scarlet Class
 Samuel - Raspberry Class
 Stefan - Damson Class
 Jacob - Apricot Class
 Charlie - Cherry Class
 Matthew - Blueberry Class
 Whole Class - Mulberry Class

This Week's Headteacher Super Star Awards

Albie - Little Scarlet Class
 Albie - Raspberry Class
 Frankie - Damson Class
 Josie - Apricot Class
 Bonnie - Cherry Class
 Bill - Blueberry Class
 Amelia - Mulberry Class

Well Done Year 6!

A huge well done to our Year 6 children who worked so hard during SATs week. They started each day with a breakfast with their friends. Thank you to Mr Evans for cooking each morning and to the staff who came in to help.

Well done Year 6!



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Children's Survey - The Big Future

The Children's Commissioner, Dame Rachel De Souza would like children to complete a new survey, The Big Future.

Under the Children Act 2004, it is her role to promote the views and interests of children in England, and she has conducted two largest ever children's surveys: The Big Ask and The Big Ambition.

Now, for the first time, children will be eligible to vote in the next general election at age 16, the biggest change to the franchise in half a century. Yet just one in five children say politicians listen to them. That's why she is launching a final survey, The Big Future.

Children can complete the survey here:
<http://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/thebigfuture>.

She wants to hear from as many children as possible, aged 0-18, from all backgrounds, in all schools and colleges, and in every part of the country.

She is asking children about the changes they want to see in their communities, their biggest concerns, and their hopes for the future. More than anything, she wants to know what they think a good childhood should look like today.

There is further information available on her [website](#). The deadline is Friday 23 October.

She will be publishing the findings next year, and they will be used to advocate for solutions to the problems children feel are most important to them.

Year 5 On Safari!

Year 5 have been working on their new topic *On Safari*. As part of this, they have created some art work, looking at silhouettes of animals over the African savannah at sunset.

They used paint to create their sunsets, using blending and toning to create their desired effect.



OPAL Star this week

Frankie in Damson Class for embracing the dressing up, making up characters and making us all smile.

Well done!

Letters sent home this week

- * Year 6 Leavers Disco at Thurstable - paper copy.
- * PTFA Father's Day / Someone Special Gifting Room - paper copy to all children.