Farnsfield St Michael's CofE Primary School Newsletter



30th June 2023

Weekly Briefing

What an amazing Sports Week we have had and culminating in a fabulous Sports Day today. The rain held off for most of the time and the children had a great time participating in all 20 activities. I bet they are exhausted tonight!! I know we are all ready for a relaxing weekend!!

Thank you to everyone who came and showed their support, I know the children really love having you come and see what they are doing in school. A special thank you to all of the teachers for their hard work throughout the week in preparing the games and activities and a very special thank you to Miss Lewis and Mr Yates for their work in organising everything and sorting out all of the equipment, planning the activities and logistics of it all for everyone throughout the week. We are so lucky to have this focus on sports and physical education as I know the children all get so much from it by participating in various different events throughout the week.

Thanks also to the PSA for providing the refreshments and the ice pops for all of the children at the end of the day. They went down a treat and were well deserved by all. They raised a fabulous £210.00 today.

It has been a busy week for the PSA with the disco too which raised a fabulous £746.96. Thank you to all of those who stayed and helped out at this too. It really does make a difference and the children had such a great time! I really appreciate all the support we get and in making these extra things happen for the children to enjoy!

The PSA have their AGM on Thursday next week at 3:30pm in school. Please do see further information attached and we really would welcome you to come along and get involved. There is no obligation to run events or attend all of what is offered, you can give as much or as little of your time to this as you can. The more people we have involved, the more ideas we have and as they say, 'many hands make light work'. We really do hope to see you there.

I wish you all a relaxing weekend and cannot believe we have only 3 weeks left at school this year! Enjoy!

Best wishes.

Louise Carpenter

This Week's Key Dates and Events

Book Fair until Thursday 6th
July 8:30am and 3:20pm in
the school Hall – books are
all 3 for 2. Card payment
machine available

Monday 3rd July – Y6 Minster Transition Day

Meet your new teacher transition afternoon - Monday 3rd July

Foundation New Starters Stay and Play afternoon Monday 3rd July 3:30pm-4:30pm

Wednesday 5th July – UKS2 Production 1:45pm and 6pm

Thursday 6th Eco Group at 'Listen Up' Conference, NTU Brackenhurst

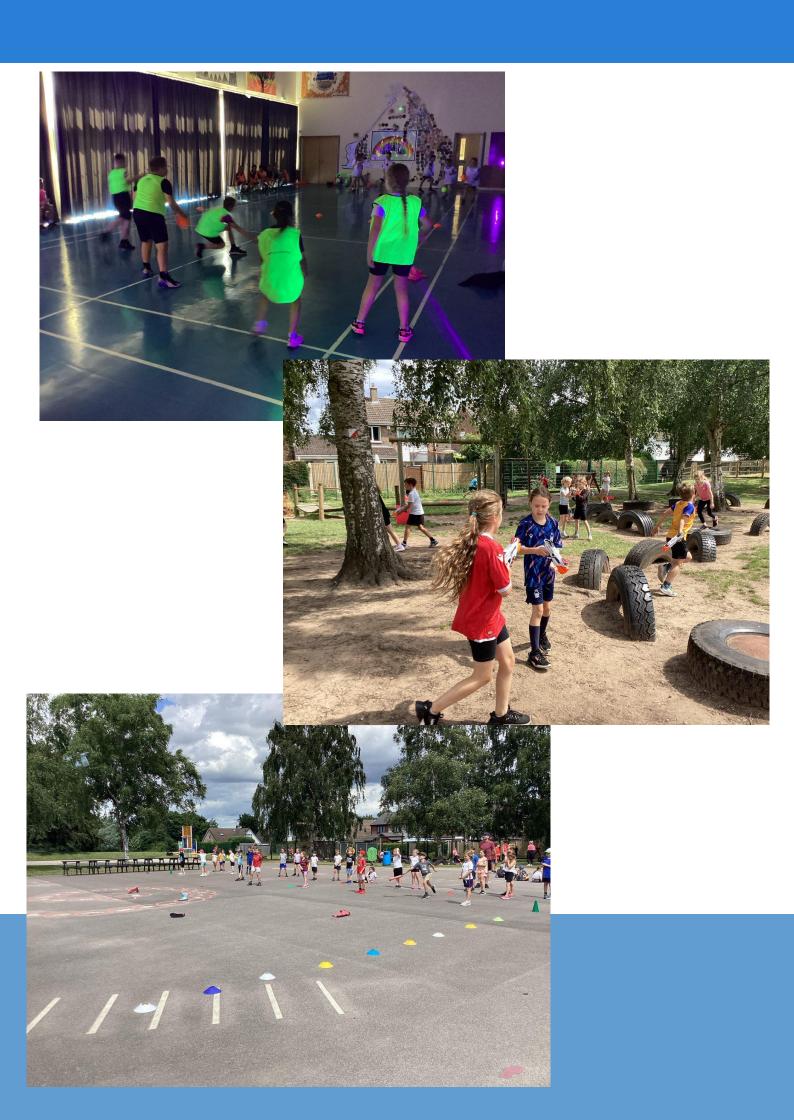
> Friday 7th July – Year 2 Camp on School Field

A reminder please that any outstanding B and A debt should be cleared as soon as possible and any fees payable up to and including Friday 21st July should be paid by the end of the first week in July, that is Friday 7th July.

Sports Week Snaps







Key dates this Summer term:

- Friday 30th June until Thursday 6th July Book Fair School Hall 8:30am and 3:20pm
- Monday 3rd July Y6 Minster Transition Day
- Monday 3rd July Meet your new teacher Transition afternoon
- Wednesday 5th July UKS2 Production 1:45pm and 6pm Tickets On sale
- Friday 7th July Year 2 Camp on School Field
- Monday 10th to Friday 14th July Y6 Residential Hagg Farm, Derbyshire
- Thursday 13th July CONNECT
- Tuesday 18th July UKS2 Local Visit Halifax Bomber Memorial and picnic
- Thursday 20th July 10am Y6 Award Ceremony School Field parents welcome
- Thursday 20th July 6-8pm Y6 Leavers Party School Field children only
- Friday 21st July 2pm Y6 Leavers Church Service St Michael's parents welcome
- INSET Days Monday 24th and Tuesday 25th July

More information about all these events will follow

Next Level are hosting a Sports Camp here at school during the first week of the Summer Holidays. Please see flier below for information on how to book your place.



SUMMER HOLIDAY MULTI SPORTS CAND



All Traditional Sports & Outdoor Activities for Children AGE 5-11

+ WATER FUN ACTIVITIES

Dates

24-25 JULY 27-28 JULY Time

09:00-15:00

£18.00

Per Session

Extra Activities:

- ✓ Soft Archery
- ✓ Nerf Guns
- √ Laser Tag
- Pedal Go Karts
- Disco Dodgeball

Farnsfield St Michaels C of E Primary School

Branston Avenue, Farnsfield, NG22 8JZ

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Farnsfield St Michael's C of E Primary School PSA Annual General Meeting

Date: Thursday 6th July 2023

Time: 3:30pm

Location: Farnsfield St Michael's C of E Primary School

Chair: Lisa Hodgkiss

Apologies:

Items of business:

- 1.0 Welcome
- 2.0 Chair's Report
- 3.0 Treasurer's Report
- 4.0 Committee Roles
- **5.0** AOB

Southwell Ploughing Match

Dear Parents,

The Southwell Ploughing Match and Show has been a key countryside community event since 1855 and, whilst it has grown tremendously since those early days, it is still an important link with our farmers and rural partners.

The Show has a highly popular Horticultural & Home Produce marquee which has a range of competitive classes where children and adults can demonstrate their skills. Importantly, the event also gives children a tremendous opportunity to consider where their food comes from and empowers them to think about what they can produce for themselves.

We are delighted to share this year's schedule with you and there are new classes and lots of familiar favourites. The Schedule can be downloaded from the Show website by clicking this link: https://www.southwellploughingmatch.co.uk - click on the Competitors tab, then scroll down to find the Horticulture & Home Produce classes.

Our children's classes include some specified activities targeted at different age groups and are intended to encourage children to take part including some lovely summer holiday projects to include:

- Craft: An animal made from a paper plate (see internet for inspiration!)
- An edible matching necklace and bracelet (all elements to be edible)
- Make an upcycled garden planter and fill it with plants
- Art: colour in your own special Bug (the template can be downloaded from our
 website, <u>www.southwellploughingmatch.co.uk</u> (click on 'Exhibitors' tab, go to Horticulture & Domestic competition
 area, to see Class 8 template for colouring).
- For older students, a Haiku poem on any subject (great for those preparing for their GCSEs!) or they can enter their artwork in the art classes.

Following the success of the Scarecrow Gathering last year, we thought it would be rude not to invite scarecrow guests to a new gathering. There will be an Open Class for groups and families with a separate business class to promote local businesses. First prize is £25.

Please download a schedule and entry form from the website link below, if your child would like to enter.

All entries must be submitted by Friday 15 September 2023 by 5.00pm. Entries should be sent to: Mrs A.M.B.Crabb, Honorary Secretary, Horticultural & Home Produce, c/o Oak Field House, Chapel Lane, Epperstone, Nottingham, NG14 6AQ.

This is your show, we so hope you will join us.

Best wishes

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Mrs A. M. B. Crabb
Chief Steward
Horticultural & Home Produce
Southwell Ploughing Match & Show

correspondence address:

Oak Field House, Chapel Lane, Epperstone NG14 6AQ

https://www.southwellploughingmatch.co.uk/exhibitors/horticulture-domestic-produce/

The RBL Farnsfield Party in the Park

In celebration of our Party in the Park, the RAF Red Arrows have agreed to a fly past and mini display, on Saturday the 8th of July at 13.30hrs.

They will fly over Hadleigh Park, Farnsfield.

What a great opportunity to see our very own, world famous, aerobatic display team in action over our village.

A wonderful start to the early evening's entertainment.

