

Ibstone CE Primary School Newsletter

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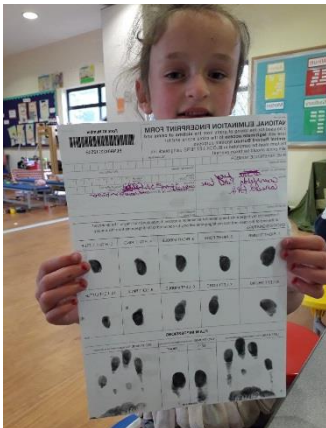
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Dear Families,

I hope you all enjoyed the holidays! The children have come back to school rested and ready and excited to learn for the last 7 and a bit weeks of the academic year.

Kites Holiday Club had a special visitor on Wednesday morning, PCSO Penny Ling popped in with some uniform and her finger printing kit! The children thoroughly enjoyed her visit and loved taking finger prints!



This week the children have enjoyed taking part in the Wildlife Trusts 'Random of Acts of Wildness'. They have already taken time out to look at clouds, listen for wild sounds, take part in some wild reading and had fun digging in the mud! If you want to share any of your 'Random Act of Wildness' please include @IbstoneSchool in your tweet.

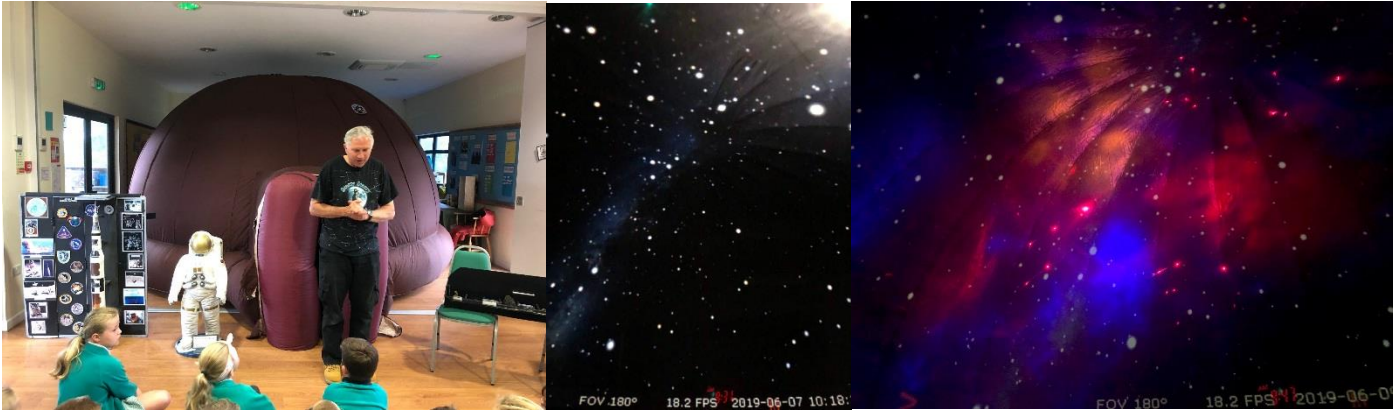


The Kestrel Class also enjoyed a visit from Libby from Santander Bank, she spent time with the children talking about what banks do and how to manage money. The children and staff really enjoyed the session and are hoping that Libby will pop back in again.



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Today the whole school enjoyed visiting the Pop Up Planaterium. They found out about constellations, phases of the moon, planets and the Northern Lights.



After their visit to the planetarium, Kestrel Class and the Year 2 children went on their own space mission, after blast off, they orbited the earth twice before safely landing on the moon. Moon discovery is quite hard work and many of the astronauts were very hungry, the children all decided to have a picnic on the moon before heading back to Earth this afternoon!



In other news...

Sports Day

Dust off your trainers, it's that time of year, get out your sports kits and get ready to cheer! Sports Day is on Thursday 13th June (weather permitting – we will make a decision by 9am on the morning). As in previous years, we will be holding Sports Day on the common. Please collect your children from school at 1pm, and drive them to the common. You are all welcome to stay and watch the fun, please be warned that there is a parents' race at the end of the afternoon. If you are unable to pick your child up and take them to the common, please could you arrange for another parent to transport your child to the common. Please let us know about these arrangements via the contact books.

PE Kits

Please make sure that your child has the correct PE kit in school at all times. They need a PE t-shirt, shorts and trainers.

Hats, sunglasses and suncream

Just in case the sun does decide to make an appearance again at some point...

All children will need a named hat in school at all times, we are also happy for the children to wear sunglasses at playtime and lunchtime, these also need to be named. There are a number of suncreams nowadays that are 12 hour protection, we would advise that you put this on before the children come to school as unfortunately, we are unable to help them put suncream on in school.

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School uniform

You will often find that children will suddenly grow out of things just weeks before the end of the year! In order to be realistic about school shoes and jumpers etc, I am happy for children who have grown out of their school shoes to wear dark shoes to school for the remainder of the year. Year 2 children who need new jumpers, please do not waste money buying the round necked jumpers, please buy the v-necked jumpers that they will need when they move into Year 3. All our uniform can be purchased from SportCrest in High Wycombe (opposite Clarks).

Batteries

We have signed up to a battery recycling campaign, if you have any dead batteries at home, please send them in to the office. The more we recycle the more chance we have of winning a prize for the school.

I hope you all enjoy the weekend, a special good luck to Steph and Dave on their wedding day tomorrow, we hope you have the most amazing day!

Louise Long
Headteacher

Headteacher's Awards



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Kestrel Points



Diary Dates
New or amended dates in **BOLD**

Date	Occasion	Who?
June 2019		
Mon 10 th	Garsington Day 1 – information sent 17/05/19	Woodland Class
Thurs 13 th	Sports Day – 1.30pm	Everyone
Fri 14 th	Celebration Worship – 2.30pm	Year 1 families
Fri 14 th	Teddy Bear's Picnic – After school PTA event	All families
Mon 17 th	Garsington Day 2	Woodland Class
Thurs 20 th	Reserve Sports Day – 1.30pm	Everyone
Fri 21st	Merton (Blue) Reward Day – Bring your teddy!	Merton House
Fri 21 st	Celebration Worship – 2.30pm	EYFS families
Fri 28 th	Celebration Worship – 2.30pm	Year 3 & 4 families
July 2019		
Tues 2 nd	Transition Day	All children
Fri 5 th	Celebration Worship – 2.30pm	Year 1 & 2 families
Wed 10 th	Opera First - Garsington (evening performance)	More info to follow
Fri 12 th	Reports Out	Everyone
Mon 15th – Fri 19th	IBFEST – more information to follow	All children
Thurs 18 th	Kites Disco – more information to follow	All children
Wed 24 th	End of Term – 1.30pm	Everyone