



The Manor CE Primary School

*Aspire, Believe, Achieve
Shine like stars in the sky*

Dates for the Diary



23 May—Class Photos (revisit—
school uniform required)
25 May— 6—7pm New YR
September 2022 Meeting
26 May—8.40—Coffee Morning
8.40-9.30am
27 May—Jubilee Celebrations
(see poster at end of newsletter)
27 May—Term 5 ends
6 June—Term 6 starts
14 June—KS 1 Sports Day (AM)
15 June—KS 2 Sports Day (AM)
4 July—Inset Day
12 July—Y6 Performance (2pm
and 5.30pm)
21 July—Y6 Leavers Assembly
(Y6 parents can attend)
21 July—Term 6 ends

Inset Days 2021/2022

Monday 4 July 2022

Inset Days 2022/2023

Thursday 1 September 2022
Monday 31 October 2022
Tuesday 3 January 2023
Friday 28 April 2023
Friday 30 June 2023

Absences

It is a safeguarding concern if your child is not in school and we do not know why. If your child is not attending school, you must telephone or email the school office by 9am every day that your child is absent.

It was wonderful having the whole school being able to see the Year 6 children off to camp at Okehampton on Monday morning this week – it really was fabulous to have this event again after missing it the last couple of years. The Year 6 children have had a truly wonderful week, trying some incredibly exciting activities – we do hope they have made memories that will last them a lifetime.

Please remember that we are having our first coffee catch-up this Thursday morning – this is purely an opportunity for everyone to have coffee, cake and a catch-up – there is no presentation or agenda. Please do try and come along if you possible can.

Children have been working hard on their talent show acts – we certainly do have a talented bunch of children here! We cannot wait to see the top three acts from each class perform in front of the rest of the school on Friday when we have our very own Royal Variety Show!

Friday is our day to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. As you know, children can wear red, white and blue clothes to school along with a crown if they wish. Please can we ask that all children bring some cakes in for this – homemade or shop-bought (no nuts please) that everyone will be able to share.

The whole school will be going on a Jubilee Celebration Parade around the local area. If you want to join us in this, please meet by the front main gates, ready to leave school at approximately 1.40pm. We will end the parade at approximately 2.00pm, when we will enter back into school via the bottom playground gates (by the field) ready for our afternoon tea.

Please either join us at the start of the parade, join us part way through (you will hear where we are!) or join us in the bottom playground for afternoon tea (enter through the bottom field gate). Please bring picnic blankets and/or chairs.

When we finish the parade, children will gather together to sing, then assemble with their class to collect a drink and cake. If their parent/ carer is joining us they can then go and sit with them wherever they are, giving families and friends the opportunity to join together. We will have teas, coffee and cakes available for adults too – please help yourselves.

This will be a fantastic opportunity to get all of our community back together in addition to marking this special occasion.

We are all looking forward to seeing you at the coffee catch-up on Thursday morning, seeing you on the parade and having the chance to see you all at the afternoon tea.



Antarctica Class



Antarctica Class were very excited this week to welcome Mrs McLauchlin and her bee keeping equipment. We have been learning all about bees and so this was a perfect end to the week!



Africa Class



We have been artists this week in Year 2 and have enjoyed learning about Picasso. We even made self-portraits using cubism!

Australia Class

This week we have been working hard in all our learning. In Maths we explored how we can find a $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$ of an amount through practical activities and word problems. We discovered all about Picasso and how he used shapes and then learnt about the architecture of Spanish buildings. **Next week, our PE days will be on Wednesday and Thursday.**

Asia Class



This week Year 4 have created some beautiful artwork to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee! They used the colour wheel to choose complimentary colours for their watercolour flowers and even hid a little corgi in amongst their final pieces!

Europe Class

Year 3 have been honing their artist skills this week by creating artwork to commemorate the Queen's jubilee. **There is a slight change to the PE timetable next week. Year 3 will be doing PE on Tuesday and Thursday next week and will need to wear their PE on these days.**

North America Class



Year 5 are getting better at the ukelele and can even play a few chords. One of us got to try playing a double bass this week.

South America Class



We hope you have enjoyed seeing the photographs on Facebook this week. We have had a fantastic time!

Class Photos

Unfortunately due to an unforeseen problem with the camera lens, class photographs will need to be taken again. The rearranged date is now Monday 23rd May 2022. School uniform required for photographs.