Folksworth
C of E Primary School

Headteacher's Welcome

I hope you all had an enjoyable and restful Easter break. May will be a very busy time in school with a number of things happening: Year 2 and Year 6 will be taking their SATs, we have a number of trips planned and we have our May Day Celebrations coming up on Wednesday.

Our May Day Celebration will take place after school with the event being opened by the May King and Queen. There will be maypole dancing and a number of stalls and activities where all money raised will go to the school. Please come along and join us!

Michelle Norbury

Hall Lettings

Did you know that the school hall is available for hire at weekends for children's birthday parties, etc? If you are interested in hiring the hall please find further details and prices in our 'Lettings Policy' which can be downloaded from the school website or requested from the office.

FOR HIRE

Do you have a concern?

If you have a safeguarding concern please speak to a Designated Person for Safeguarding. They are:

- Miss Michelle Norbury
- Mrs Nikki Sawyer
- Mrs Julie Perry

Reminders

- Complete our online Parent Survey.
- Please remember to pre-order school meals online. Unfortunately, if your child has not pre-ordered they may not be able to have their meal choice as meals are made to order.
- Remember to make payment for upcoming trips:
  - Burghley House (Maple)
  - Flag Fen Roman Day (Oak)
  - KidZania (Years 4-6)

Upcoming Dates

1st May – May Day Celebration (3:30pm-5:00pm)

2nd May – EYFS and Y6 Height and Weight Check

6th May – Bank Holiday

7th May – EYFS and Y1 Multiskills Festival at Stanground Academy

13th-16th May – KS2 SATs week

13th May – Burghley House Trip (Maple)

20th May – Bikeability Week (Elm)

21st May – Tri Golf Festival (Oak)

27th- 31st May – Half Term Week

Parking

Please could we remind parents/ carers to park considerately when dropping off and collecting at the start and end of the school day to minimise the disruption to local residents.

THINK BEFORE YOU PARK
BE CONSIDERATE TO OUR NEIGHBOURS
YOU COULD ENDANGER A CHILD'S LIFE

Playground Markings

We are hoping to have some new playground markings added to our outdoor environment during the week including a netball court and scooter track. Please could I ask you to take care when collecting children whilst work is taking place. The PTA were able to make a significant contribution towards the cost of these improvements before disbanding so a massive THANK YOU for everyone's efforts in raising these funds!

A message from the Governors

Parent governor nomination forms have been sent out. Please remember to send in any completed forms by the deadline (13th May). If you have any questions please email Clare Kirk our Chair of Governors (chair@folksworth.cambs.sch.uk).

We need YOU!

Parent Survey

In the summer term last year a Parent Survey was conducted and these results were analysed by the governing body. A year on we would like to repeat the same survey to see where improvements have been made and areas that can be developed further.

We would appreciate it if you would take the time to answer the 10 questions using the link provided. The survey will be open until the end of May where results will be analysed and key findings shared.

https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CKJGGC7

Remember to follow us on Twitter

@FolksworthCofE

Could we relaunch or PTA or a Friends of Folksworth?

We would also very much like to relaunch a PTA or Friends Association but this requires a volunteer willing to Chair the organisation. If you are willing to put yourself forward for this role please do come and discuss this with me.

Early Birds/ Stay and Play

Please remember to book places in advance using stayandplay@folksworth.cambs.sch.uk. For on the day bookings telephone the school office.

All sessions should be paid for in advance using SIMS Pay (Agora).