

Newsletter - Term 4



31st March 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

Our last week of term has been a very busy one! We've had strong winds, snow, Romans rampaging around school, made marble runs, had a visit from a dinosaur expert and taken part in a Cross Country tournament – more details below.

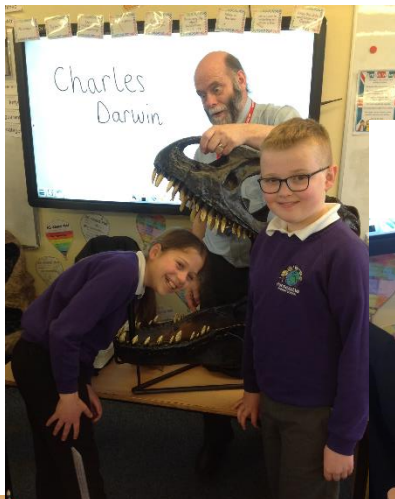
Thank you to parents, children and staff for your flexibility and understanding in our continuing battle with the pandemic. It's been a tricky term – schools have had to adapt quickly and move staff to cover classes, yet as always, our children have shown real resilience and determination.

I hope you have an enjoyable Easter and look forward to seeing everyone when we return to school on Wednesday 20th April.

Mrs Cox

Dinostar Visit – Year 6

For the last few years, Mr Plater from Dinostar has been a popular visitor to school. He brings with him lots of fossils, dinosaur bones and exhibits for the children to get some great 'hands on' learning. Thanks to the PTA for funding his visit this year – as you can see, the children really love learning this way.



Focus on Year 3

Rampaging Romans

As part of their topic, Rampaging Romans, the Year 3 made aqueducts, a structure for carrying clean water to the towns.

They also dressed as Romans and believe us when we say, they entered into the spirit very enthusiastically, marching around all day!

They had a busy day making shields, mosaics and jewellery and were eating food that Romans would too – including grapes and white mice!



Cross Country Competition

Some of our Year 4 and 5 children braved the harsh weather to compete in a School Games Cross Country tournament. In true cross country style, they were met in Skegness with rain, wind and chilly temperatures!

All the children represented our school brilliantly. We saw determination and teamwork from each and every child. A special mention must go to Toby (Y4) and Sophie (Y5) for going above and beyond to look after their teammates – thank you!

In the end, their hard work paid off and they were thrilled to be crowned the 2022 Cross Country Champions! An extra well done goes to Layla-Mai (Y4), Charlie (Y5), Millie (Y5) and Iris (Y4) for bringing home their own medal too for finishing in the top 3.

Well done everyone, you made Miss Roberts proud!





Term 4: 6 weeks

School starts on **Monday 21st February 2022**

School closes for Easter holiday on **Thursday 31st March 2022**

SUMMER 2022 (62 school days)

Term 5: 6 weeks

School starts on **Wednesday 20th April 2022**

May Day Bank Holiday Closure on Monday 2nd May 2022

School closes for half term on **Friday 27th May 2022**

Half Term Holiday:

Monday 30th May 2022 - Friday 3rd June 2022

Term 6: 7 weeks

School starts on **Monday 6th June 2022**

School closes for the summer holiday on **Friday 22nd July 2022**

Upcoming Diary Dates

Summer Events

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| Friday 22 nd April | – Young Voices, Sheffield |
| Monday 25 th April | – School Class Photographs |
| Friday 29 th April | – Wear Red Day (for Children's Heart Surgery Fund) |
| Mon 9 th - Thurs 12 th May | – KS2 SATS Week |
| Thursday 26 th May | – PTA Queen's Jubilee Disco (tbc) |
| Friday 27 th May | – Queen's Jubilee Lunch Day
(PTA Non-Uniform Day - Red, White & Blue/Kings/Queens)
- Afternoon Tea Celebrations |
| Monday 11 th July | – Year 6 Transition Day (with secondary schools) |