

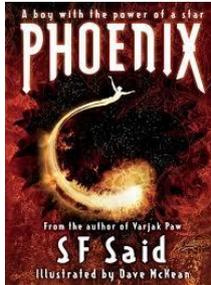
Wells-next-the-Sea Primary and Nursery School

Newsletter

25th May 2017

Year 6

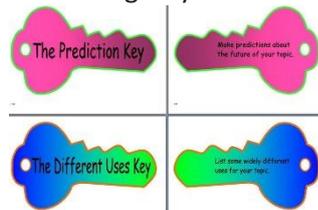
Year 6 have produced some great pieces of writing to include in our own 'Book of Dragons' this week. To make their work more interesting, they have been practising beginning their sentences in different ways.



We are all enjoying our new class novel, 'Phoenix' by S.F. Said. Mrs Willis has been reading it in her spare time and can't put it down. Amazingly, she is already almost at the end. No spoilers please, Mrs Willis!

Year 5

During our final week this half term we have been solving a lot of maths problems. The children have had to use their reasoning skills to justify their working out. We have also been looking at Ryan's thinking keys and working together as a team to answer a wide variety of questions.



Please remember to read over half term and have fun. Miss Beard and Miss Bailey.

Year 4

Thank you to everyone who came to our Maths Café this week. After reading the book 'A Walk in London' we tried out a whole host of mathematical investigations like if there were 5 coins in the performer's hat what total value could they be?



How many times would you have to stand on top of yourself to reach the height of Nelson's Column? How many hours did the Great Fire of London last for? It was fantastic to be able to work in teams finding out the answers.

Year 3

To continue our topic work this week, we chose to focus on an artist from one of the Mediterranean countries we have researched.

We have created our own Picasso style artwork using paints, pastels and colours. In maths we have been recapping some fractions work, to make sure we are confident with this area.



Year 2

We'll be looking at seed packets in English this week and listing all the different kinds of information you can find on them before trying to design and write our own. We have been regularly measuring the pea plants the children planted and thankfully they have nearly all shot up over the past few days, as it has been a lot warmer. Each of the children is really interested in seeing how their particular plant is doing and is excited to see them developing. On Friday the children will be able to take them home to plant out eventually if they can. With any luck they will then be able to see the whole



lifecycle of their pea plant. On Thursday we are going to Holkham Hall for the day, as you know. It looks as though it will be quite hot that day, so please could

you make sure your child has a sun hat, sun cream and plenty to drink, enough for the whole day? Many thanks.



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Nursery

The Nursery children continue to enjoy their topic about growing things. Our potatoes have started to sprout and the pumpkins are looking very healthy.



Lost Property

We have lots of articles of clothing that need to be reunited with their owners, please check the lost property table situated outside the library.

PFA

The PFA will run a bric-a-brac stall on the Buttlands this bank holiday Monday as part of Wells Lions spring fair, please pop along and show your support.

[Next PFA event will be the Playland party Friday 9th June at 3.45pm](#) Tickets are £4 and include entry to Playland, a hot dog, cake and unlimited squash. Additional hot dogs can be pre ordered for £2 each - come along and enjoy the fun of Playland!

Anyone who owns or works for a local business it would be great if we could ask for some raffle/bingo prizes for our upcoming events.

Don't forget Wells Town Garage Sales **Sunday 9th July** - applications from the canteen.



Diary Dates

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| Thu 25 th May | Yr 5 Class Assembly |
| Frid 26 th May | 3.15pm School closes for Half-term holiday |
| Mon 5 th June | 8.50am School re-opens |
| Mon 5 th June | 12.50-2.50 Kwik Cricket Yr4,5, & Yr 6 |
| Thur 8 th June | Year 4 Class Assembly |
| Wed 14 th June | Maths Café – 2.-3.00 – Reception |
| Thu 15 th June | Yr 3 Class Assembly |
| Thur 15 th June | Yr 6 Cycling Level 2 |
| Thur 15 th June | Maths Café – 11-12.00 - Nursery |
| Frid 16 th June | Yr 6 Cycling Level 2 |
| Mon 19 th June | Aquathlon |
| Tues, Wed 20-21 st YR 6 | Level 2 Cycling |
| Wed 21 st June | Story Café – 2.00-3.00pm – Year 5 |
| Thur 22 nd June | Year 2 class Assembly |
| Mon 26 th June | Sports Day |
| Tue 27 th June | Year 2 Story Café 2.00-3.00pm |
| Wed 28 th June } | Book Fair in |
| Mon 3 rd July } | school |
| Thur 29 th June | Year 1 Class Assembly |
| Mond 3 rd July | Maths Café – 2.00-3.00 Year 1 |
| Tue 4 th July | Story Café 2.00-3.00pm – Year 6 |
| Wed 5 th July | Music Extravaganza |
| Mon 10 th July | Yr 3 to Cley Marshes |
| Wed 12 th July | Story Café – 2.00-3.00pm -Year 4 |
| Wed 12 th July } | Yr 5/6 residential to Whitwell |
| Frid 14 th July } | Hall |
| Thu 13 th July | Reception Class Assembly |
| Thur 13 th July | Story Café – 2.00-3.00pm Year 3 |
| Mon 17 th July } | Woodland Week |
| Frid 21 st July } | |
| Fri 21 st July | Year 6 Leaver's Assembly |
| Frid 21 st July | 3.15pm School closes for Summer Holiday |