

# THE FRIDAY FLYER

## GREAT SAMPFORD PRIMARY SCHOOL



EDITION 1.16

12 MAY 2023



### Reis's Roundup...

A message from the Acting Head Teacher

This week out Year 6 children sat their KS2 SATs papers, they worked incredibly hard and we know they tried their best. Thank you to Mr Laing and Miss Mitchell for making sure all guidelines were followed and to the rest of the school for being so patient with all the changes in timetable over the week. I had the pleasure of looking after the Year 5 children this week and I was so pleased to see how hard they are working with their writing and maths. We also met our new Reception families and told them all about our wonderful school and children.

I wish you all a fantastic weekend.

### SPECIAL AWARDS

Zak.	Finlay
Brock.	Bea
Matilda.	Libby
Ellie.	Poppy
Tienna.	Lola
Scarlett.	Harrison

### KINGFISHERS

#### WELL DONE TO ...

Annabelle  
Charlotte S  
Evie-Rose

### RAFFLE

#### CONGRATULATIONS

Isabella  
Wilf  
Charlotte J  
River-Lily  
Isaac  
Charlotte S  
Toby  
Diego



### Word of the Week

#### CURRENCY

Definition: Money, such as coins or banknotes, used in a particular country.

E.g. The currency of Spain is the Euro.

#### Maths Challenge

Go pattern spotting this weekend. It could be stripes and spots or repeating patterns.

#### Did you know?

It would take only one hour to drive to space.



### **Sports Day**

I hope you all got the information about Sports Day this week. Parents and grown ups are invited to the school from 11am to watch the races. Then we will be having a picnic lunch for everyone on the field. Ham or cheese baguettes can be ordered by the children in the morning. Then the afternoon will be spent on our sports carousel.

### **Coronation Weekend**

I hope everyone enjoyed the long weekend and managed to celebrate with their families. It was lovely to see some families on Sunday at the village event and to hear about some of our children volunteering on the Monday too. Well done to everyone that took part and thank you.

### **Great Sampford Bake Off**

Thank you for all the yummy entries into the bake off. Myself, Miss Swain and Mrs Armstrong sampled all 26 cakes and judged them on both their appearance and taste. After collating all of the scores the winners were:

1st Place: The Claydens

2nd Place: The Suttons

3rd Place: Charlotte

Well done to everyone and I hope you all got the chance to come and taste the entries after school on Friday.

### **Youth Club**

A message from Sampford's Youth Club. There will be no meeting on Wednesday 24th May due to staffing.

### **Classrooms**

Please be reminded that parents should not be entering the classrooms before school. If you need to speak to the class teacher please either catch them on the door or arrange an appointment via the office. Ideally KS2 children should say their goodbyes at the gate and then walk up, you can then pop into the office if needed.

### **Outdoor Clock**

We are on the lookout for a clock to place on the playground. Does anyone have a suitable all weather clock that they are no longer using before I start looking into purchasing one.

### **School Uniform**

Please ensure that your child is wearing the correct uniform each day in school. I have seen some coloured socks, long hair not tied back, missing ties and lots of shirts not tucked in. Please refer to our uniform policy found on <https://primarysite-prod-sorted.s3.amazonaws.com/great-sampford-community-primary-school/UploadedDocument/6edd6762-1cc9-43e5-9a63-8585a7ef1f1c/school-uniform-january-2023.pdf> If you have any questions about the uniform please speak to your class teacher in the first instance.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS & IMPORTANT DATES**

### **May**

Thursday <b>18</b>	Sports Day (Parents welcomed from 11:00)
Thursday <b>25</b>	Open Door @ 3:00 - 3:30
Monday <b>29</b>	Half Term Starts

### **June**

Monday <b>5</b>	Non-Pupil Day
Monday <b>12</b>	Phonics Screening this week
Wednesday <b>14</b>	Class Photos
Tuesday <b>27</b>	Swift Class to Kentwell Hall

**Lots more information can be found on the school website.**

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