



NEWS FLASH

Friday 22nd May 2020



Firstly, we would like to thank you all again for your continued support over the last few weeks, we hope you and your families are all safe and well. Hopefully the sun will continue to shine and you can enjoy the half term break.

WEEKLY CHALLENGE

If you are struggling to think of new and interesting ideas to keep your children fit throughout lockdown, please check out the 'Weekly Challenge' section of our website (Our Learning/ Distance Learning/ P.E. Weekly Challenges -

<https://www.worplesdon.surrey.sch.uk/page/?title=P%2EE%2E+Pupil+Weekly+Challenge&pid=92>).



BLUE PETER MUSIC BADGE

Congratulations to one of our Year 4 pupils, Carter who applied for a Blue Peter Music badge a few months ago, using the workshop at Winston Churchill with the British Army Band as the example of music related activities he participates in.



Carter received a letter to confirm he has been awarded the badge.

The badge was designed by Ed Sheehan, who is one his favourites musicians so he was particularly excited!

Emmaus Rd is an organisation who can support families with practical things like shopping, prescriptions, dog walking, or just a supporting phone call.

EMMAUSRD

Financial help is also available for things like cookers, freezers etc. Families can apply themselves or our Home School Link Worker, Mrs Ireland can help by making a referral. To find out more information, please see the link below...

<https://www.emmausrd.com/loveyourneighbour/get-help/>



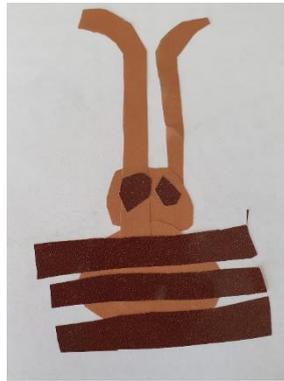
CURRENT INFORMATION REGARDING SCHOOL MEALS

Our current provider would like to share with you some of the extra measures they have put in place so that they are adhering to the up to date guidance during these challenging time...

- The kitchen staff will not leave the kitchen area at all and no school staff are to enter the kitchen.
- All meals will be put in disposable containers and placed on a trolley for each class. This can then be collected by a member of staff and distributed by them to the children.
- We already have a good procedure for allergies when using disposable items and each box will be labelled for the specific child as normal so they get the correct food.
- We will no longer be able to provide jugs of water and cups as this is not deemed safe due to children sharing them/dropping them. **Children will need to bring in their own water bottles to drink from with their lunch.**
- There will be no salad bar.

YEAR 1 – AMAZING ART

Year 1 were asked to create their own mini beast pictures using the style of Matisse. He cut and tore paper shapes to make his famous artwork 'The Snail'. Have a look at just a few of the amazing pieces of artwork they have created.



FUNDRAISER

Ivy and Rupert are raising money for the community centre!

Since lockdown began the community hall on Fairlands has lost all of its income from hall bookings and closure of the bar. Mark at Evolve has set up a fundraiser for the participants of the bootcamp and their families to help raise money towards the upkeep of the hall. It's such a great hall and we all have attended parties or classes there it would be a shame for the community to be without this valuable resource once we move through the pandemic.

The aim is to walk 1500 laps of the park over the course of 3 days in relay. It's been planned so that we can remain socially distant from other participants. The event is planned for 29th, 30th and 31st of May and Ivy and Rupert (with mummy) will be walking for 3 hours over the course of the challenge.

We recognise that everyone's been affected differently by the pandemic and not everyone is in a position to help but anyone who is interested in sponsoring the team we have a just giving page and would be extremely grateful for all donations, whatever their size.

https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/evolve-fairlands?utm_term=R96x4Wep7



Finally, if your child is due to be in school on our return and is displaying any symptoms of COVID-19, please do not send them and notify us at your earliest convenience, thank you.