



Dance Umbrella

A massive round of applause to all of our amazing dancers who took over The Forum in Bath for this year's Dance Umbrella on Monday evening. Our talented performers – Dexter, Darcey, Flo L, Jess, Caitlin, Evie, Emily, Phoenix, Sophia, Sienna, Daisy, Adele, Hannah, Ava and Arya, brought the iconic song "Thriller" to life on stage.

From the hauntingly good costumes to Mrs Smith's detailed choreography, they nailed every move. Performing to a packed out auditorium of around 1000 people is no small feat, but our children were absolutely fantastic. We are so proud of the hard work and dedication every one of them brought to the performance and we were so pleased to have such fantastic feedback from parents, teachers and the event organisers. Mrs Smith is already planning the dance for next year's show – and we cannot wait!



Play Equipment

The children have been loving the new play equipment this week at breaktimes and lunchtimes. However please can we ask that children do not use this before and after school as there isn't a member of staff supervising. Can we also please remind you that the school grounds are closed soon after the end of the school day to everyone except those children who are participating in afterschool clubs.

Doodle Maths

Between the 1st-30th of April, Doodle are running two exciting wildlife-themed Spring Challenges – the DoodleMaths Challenge and the DoodleEnglish Challenge. Both challenges are designed to encourage a few minutes of daily Doodling, keeping your child engaged in their learning and boosting their skills. Plus, they can earn a pin badge and certificate by completing the challenge. You can sign up for the challenge through your parent account.

Special Visitors

Finally we had some very special visitors on Friday morning as two very cute lambs came to meet all the children. Rosie, our T-Level student in Kingfishers, brought in Bean and Frankie who were much loved by all of the children.

Mr Turull

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EASTER FAMILY



REFRESHMENTS &
CAKE AVAILABLE

WEDNESDAY 1ST APRIL

LEIGH SCHOOL HALL

6PM UNTIL 7:30PM

£5 A BOOK (6 STRIPS) OR £1 PER STRIP

NO NEED TO BOOK. JUST COME
ALONG AND PLAY TO WIN PRIZES!

F.O.L.S.
£3 PER CHILD, £2 PER SIBLING

EASTER EGG HUNT

THURSDAY 2ND APRIL
3:15PM-4PM

SCHOOL PLAYGROUND (WEATHER PERMITTING)

SCAN HERE TO BOOK.
PLEASE MESSAGE US YOUR FULL
NAME, BOOKING ID & YOUR
CHILDREN'S NAMES, THANK YOU

PARENTS/GUARDIANS MUST
ACCOMPANY THEIR CHILDREN

Diary Dates

April

Wednesday 1st FOLS Easter Bingo - See Poster
Thursday 2nd Goldfinch Class Final Swimming Lesson
Thursday 2nd FOLS Easter Egg Hunt - See Poster
Thursday 2nd End of Term 4
Monday 20th Start of Term 5
Wednesday 22nd Goldfinch & Swallow Class Trip - Field to Food
Thursday 23rd Starling Class to Begin Weekly Swimming Lesson
Friday 24th Rags 2 Riches Collection
Thursday 30th Kingfisher and Starling Class Trip - Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra

May

Monday 4th Early May Bank Holiday
Monday 11th Year 6 SATS Week
Monday 18th Reception Class Height & Weight Checks
Monday 18th School Photos - Year 6 & Classes
Friday 22nd End of Term 5

June

Monday 1st Start of Term 6
Tuesday 16th Somerset Children's Pupil Voice Competition
Monday 22nd Arts Week

July

Thursday 2nd Shuffle Up Day
Thursday 16th Starling Class Final Swimming Lesson
Friday 17th End of Term 6
Monday 20th Inset Day
Tuesday 21st Inset Day

Stars of the Week
Kingfishers - Willow
Starlings - Poppy
Swallows - Freddie

Top Doodlers

Doodle Maths

Kingfishers - Arna & Oriana
Starlings - Dylan & Xanthe
Goldfinches - Flo H & Ivy
Swallows - William & Flo L

Top Doodlers - Starlings

Doodle Tables

Starlings - Daisy F
Goldfinches - Adele
Swallows - Ava C

Notices

Clubs - There will be no after school clubs on the last week of term (week commencing 30th March)

Starling Class Parent Consultations - There are still some spaces available for the Starling Class Parent Consultation on Monday. If you would like to book an appointment with Mrs Ralph, please book in as soon as possible.

Goldfinch Class Swimming - Goldfinch Class will be having their last swimming lesson next Thursday.

Hard Boiled Eggs - On Thursday 2nd April, we would like to have an egg rolling competition. Please can your child bring a hard boiled egg to school on this day for decorating and rolling. Thank you.

School Lunches - Please remember to order your school lunches for our first week back after half term.

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News from the Classrooms



We have been continuing the theme of farming this week in Robins. We have made tractor shapes and we had fun making our own butter and have been practicing our scissor skills chopping fresh herbs.



This week, the Kingfishers successfully completed their Design and Technology project, constructing pull-along toys featuring functional wheels and axles. Additionally, the class took their learning outdoors to master the use of a compass and practice identifying North, South, East and West.



This week in Starlings, we have been creating media in our computing lessons. We have had to plan and create an animation, thinking very carefully about the movement of the object and how many frames we might need to make our animation successful. This has involved lots of collaboration and we have worked so hard to overcome different challenges!



Goldfinch Class enjoyed their trip to We The Curious in Bristol, where they had an exciting and educational day. They visited the planetarium and learned about space, stars and planets through an immersive experience. The class also took part in a "Destination Space" workshop called Join the Crew, where they explored different roles in a space mission and worked together on fun, interactive challenges. It was a fantastic trip that sparked their curiosity about science and space.



This week in Swallows we were learning how to use Excel spreadsheets. With the upcoming World Cup, I wanted to use Excel to allow the children to collect the data from the different games that will be played in June and July. To set up our spreadsheet, the class learnt lots of formatting tips such as centering text, colour-coding different cells, merging cells together, underlining text and copying and pasting big chunks of data to allow quicker editing.

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
1	Group A							
2	Mexico	0	1	0	South Africa			
3	South Africa	0	1	0	Denmark			
4	Spain	0	1	0	Mexico			
5	Denmark	0	1	0	Mexico			
6	South Africa	0	1	0	Korea			
7	Denmark	0	1	0	Korea			
8								
9	Group B							
10	Canada	0	1	0	Switzerland			
11	Switzerland	0	1	0	Italy			
12	Oman	0	1	0	Canada			
13	Italy	0	1	0	Canada			
14	Switzerland	0	1	0	Oman			
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EASTER HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

 **Fundays EVERYDAY**

 **Football Camp!**

 **Easter Egg hunt**

 **Arts & Crafts**

 **Dance and Cheer**
*Alternative venue

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5 - 11 Year Olds

9am - 3pm
8am early drop off
4pm & 5pm collection

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