

## A word from Mr Lloyd

Friday 28th March 2024



Dear parents and carers,

The Spring term has been a very quick but very busy term, into which we've packed an awful lot! We've had loads of school trips, visitors and experiences such as the opportunity to hold the Moon, an assembly with Clare Balding and poetry workshops with Ash Dickinson. The Woodside offer really is a special one, with a curriculum which is enhanced by such a wide range of extra-curricular activities and experiences.

This week, we have also enjoyed a visit from the Problem Solving Company. They worked with each year group on a maths-based Escape Room style activity. The children had to work through different problems to unlock parts of a box and were up against the clock to break out within a set time. This was an Easter treat funded by the Woodside Association, which all of the children really enjoyed!

Year 6 also celebrated VE Day at the end of their WW2 topic, and it was lovely to see all of the children and staff getting involved by dressing up for the day. The Y6 team put on a range of lessons for the children linked to their previous learning in the WW2 topic.

This week also saw the fantastic Year 5 Easter assembly. I was very proud to watch such a great performance, with the children acting and singing beautifully. It was amazing to hear that the children had written the words and melodies of two of the songs as well! Well done Year 5!

After Easter, we return on Monday 15th April and the children are able to wear summer uniform!

Have a lovely Easter,

Mr Lloyd



Well done to the students below for their incredible achievements in sports this week...

- Varisha Year3 - U15 U12 badminton awards
- Freddie Year 3 - Level 5 swimming award
- Edie Year 3 - Gymnastics award
- Anaya Year 5 - Gymnastics award
- Millie Year 5 - Gymnastics award

## Dates for your diary

Date	Event
28.03.24	Last Day of half term. School finish @ 1.30pm No HOZ after school bookings, but breakfast Club is available.
15.04.24	Back to School - Normal time
18.04.24	Year 5 Amersham Field Studies Trip
22.04.24	After School Clubs re-start
25.04.24	PQA Workshops all Day
29.04.24	Year 4 Frisbee Tournament at Amersham School
29.04.24	Year 6 Personal Best at Amersham School
29.04.24	Year 3 Benchball at Amersham School
06.05.24	Early May Bank Holiday - School Closed
08.05.24	Year 6 Anxiety Assembly
09.05.24	Year 4 Amersham Field Studies Trip
13.05.24	Year 5 Rounders at Amersham School
13.05.24 - 16.05.24	SATs week for Year 6
24.05.24	Last day of the Half-Term School closes 3.15pm

[Click here for the calendar of 23/24 Term Dates](#)

### House Point Totals

This Week	405	360	283	307
Half term	2771	2584	2495	2347
Whole Term	5065	5028	4788	5172
	Maple	Willow	Elm	Cedar

Please see below for some useful and interesting links to webpages shared with the school office for your information...

- ◆ Amersham & Chalfont Hockey Club - Easter Camp please click [here](#) for more details.
- ◆ St George's Day Medieval Historical Fayre and Parade - Sunday 21st April, click [here](#) to find out more!
- ◆ Please click [here](#) to view Little Green Adventures Newsletter.



Well done to everyone who entered the 'Decorate an egg' competition this week, we have had some incredible entries, Mrs Bannister had a big decision on her hands. Not only did she award the top 3 winners, but there were an additional 6 highly commended awards given to children throughout the school.

**1st Place: Tilly 5WM**

**2nd Place: Yaryna 4TB**

**3rd Place: Jess 3J**



## Kids Lunch Company reminder

Please note that the 'kids lunch company' website will be updated for all new orders for after Easter from midday on Saturday 23rd March.

[www.kidslunch.co.uk](http://www.kidslunch.co.uk)

All orders for the week commencing Monday 15th April after the Easter holidays must be placed by midday on Friday 12th April please.



# Year 6 VE Day

