

Friday 3rd July 2015

Junior School Open Afternoon

On Thursday, 9th July we will be having an open afternoon at school. You are invited to visit your child's current class from 2:30pm – 3:30pm to take part in an activity. From 3:30 – 4:00 you will be able to look at your child's books and chat with their teacher. The 3:30 – 4:00 slot is also a good time for your child to show you their new class (and teacher). The activities are as follows:

Year 3 classes: 3AN – music; 3JE - DT challenge; 3GM - art activity
All Year 4 classes – a design and make challenge
All Year 5 classes – DT bridge building challenge
Year 6 – Experience some forest school activities with your child



New Building Project

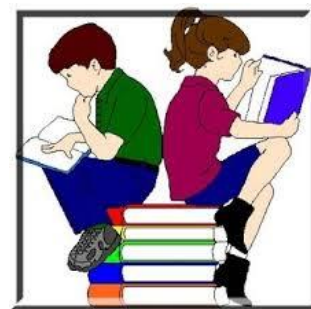
A reminder that the EFA (Education Funding Agency) will be presenting the draft plans for the proposed new junior school building on Tuesday 7th July starting at 5pm in the junior school hall. Please drop in to discuss the proposal and plans at any time up until 6.30pm.

Library Book Amnesty

Please take the time to look at home for any school library books. We would ask that all books are returned to the library before the summer holidays so that our Librarian, Mrs Murchison, is able to sort them out ready for the new school year.

Music Showcase

Is your child interested in learning a musical instrument? Our musical showcase on Thursday 9th July from 6pm until 7.30pm is a chance to meet the music teachers and try some instruments. A wide range of tuition is on offer including: flute, clarinet, violin, keyboard, drum kit, brass and guitar.



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This week's Teacher Feature: Mrs Salter

What's your favourite hobby?

I have two hobbies depending on the weather. Most of the time (even in the winter), I love to go off in my campervan, walking and kayaking and when the weather is really cold, I like to do craft hobbies.

What is your favourite sweet?

It has to be white chocolate buttons, especially the giant ones.

What is your favourite animal?

Definitely penguins, they are so funny the way they walk.

Do you have any pets, if so what animals are they?

I have a dog, an Alaskan Malamute called Suka.

What is your favourite country you have visited?

I was born in Colombia, South America and would love to go back and visit my old school. A bit closer to home would have to be Spain, as I used to spend my summer holidays there when we moved to England.

If you could meet a famous person who would it be and why?

It would have to be an artist or photographer. Probably the photographers Sally Mann or Sophie Calle as I would like to shadow them whilst they worked and discover what inspires their work.

Would you rather swim with a dolphin or fly with an eagle?

I would like to fly with an eagle to see the whole world with a bird's eye view.



Would you rather be happy and poor, or rich and sad and why?

Happy and poor, as spending time with my husband and three children (Rozi 23, Max 20 and Kai 17) is worth more than all the money in the world.

If you could teach any year group who would it be and why?

I have taught all year groups and enjoyed all of them, so no favourite. However, the current Year 5's are obviously one of my favourites!

Interviewed by Ryan and Savannah



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