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15th July 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

It is great to have Miss Hoy back. Unfortunately, Miss Spalton-Woods is isolating for the remainder of this term, but with the wonders of technology, will continue to teach Holly Class from home with the Reception team front facing and supporting the children. I popped in a few times today and the children were calm and engaged with their learning... seeing her on the screen was certainly exciting! The children particularly enjoyed tuning in for her to read them their story at the end of the day yesterday. We would like to join you in wishing Miss Spalton-Woods all the best for the coming week, we know she is sad not to be able to be here for the end of term however we look forward to seeing her online over the coming days. We also have several members of staff absent and we continue to try to recruit a caretaker.

We are also so sad to say 'Goodbye!' to Mrs Lancaster and Miss Fernando who have been so inspired by their experience here at CPS they are planning to train to be teachers. So, who knows, they may return in the future in a different role.

#### **Claygate Flower Show**

Thank you to everyone who supported Claygate's flower show; many of our children were involved in dancing; well done! Others had artwork displayed.

The PA stall providing information and fun fundraising activities for our pool was popular. Thank you as ever to everyone in the PA who support our school in so many ways; not only in fundraising but also in the enrichment opportunities they facilitate for our whole community.



Maximus played in the Claygate Scouts Band for the first time playing the snare drum. The band all did very well and made lots of people smile with their repertoire.

### Lego masters - the results are in!

Congratulations to Tess (Aspen) for coming 1st in the 'How many lego pieces are in the jar?' competition.

There were 564 pieces & Tess was just 3 away from that! Well done Tess



### Last day of term - 21st July

As this is after the planned lifting of restrictions, the children will no longer need a staggered exit. We therefore plan for all children to leave at 1.30pm on the last day of term.

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#### **Uniform Expectations**

Please see the attachment to this newsletter with uniform expectations for September. In addition, please note that as restrictions will have eased by September, <u>only KS2 children will</u> need a pencil case. In it, they will need to bring the following:

HB writing pencil
Colouring pencils
Sharpener with a pot to catch shavings
Glue stick
30cm clear ruler
Purple biro

Handwriting pens are purchased from school for 50p each

#### **Claygate Dance Club**

The Year 4 Claygate Dance Club performed 'Sunrise' at the Claygate Flower Show on Sunday. They performed beautifully and should be very proud of their achievement. They were also delighted to see Mrs Moorhouse in the audience! Well done girls!





Dance Club from September will be Mondays Years 2&3 and Thursdays Years 4,5 and 6. Please email: <a href="mailto:edowling.dance@gmail.com">edowling.dance@gmail.com</a> to reserve a place.

#### **Break the Rules Day!**

The PA are excited to announce CPS' first 'Break the Rules Day'.

On the last day of school, you can break as many rules as you like (from the list)! Your chance to show your rebellious side before the summer holidays...

Please bring cash to school drop off - 50p per rule break.

Thank you for supporting our school and enjoy your last day!

**CPSPA Team** 



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#### **House Cup Winners**

Congratulations to every single child who has contributed to our weekly growing totals this year! Team points are awarded for effort and linked to our values.

This year's winner is **Arbrook!** 

1st Arbrook: 22,327

2nd Foley: 20,961

3rd Ruxley: 19,981

4th Blakeden: 19,469

Tristan (Cedar) and Ellie (Hawthorn) accept the trophy on behalf of

**Arbrook** 



To celebrate and recognise **Arbrook's** achievement, **Arbrook children** (only) may come to school in Mufti on Monday 19th July, wearing something green to celebrate! This could be something small eg a green hairband, their green PE tops...or they can go fully green if they wish!

#### **Club4 Programme**

The Club4 programme is due to start in the next couple of weeks. There are still plenty of spaces available for eligible children in Reception -School Year 11 that are eligible for benefits related free school meals or children on a child protection plan, looked after children, children with an EHC (educational, health, care) plan, known to children's For any queries please contact HAF@surreycc.gov.uk social services.



**Doodle Maths** 

This weeks top Doodlers are:







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