



Mission Grove

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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Upcoming Events

March

< **Monday 6th—BANK HOLIDAY—SCHOOL CLOSED**

Tuesday 7th May—Wednesday 8th Swan and Swallow at Suntrap camp

Wednesday 8th May—Thursday 9th Starling at Suntrap Camp

Thursday 9th May—Friday 10th—Skylark at Suntrap Camp

Thursday 9th—Governing Body Meeting

Friday 10th Woodpecker Assembly

Friday 10th Year 2 SATs meeting 9am—North 8.45—South

Monday 13th—Thursday 16th Year 6 SATs

STOP Poster competition

Congratulations to Sitaharth in Crow class, Maryam, Amna and Mahnoor for a joint poster and Nina all in Bullfinch and Alisha in Woodpecker who are the winners in the Anti-bullying poster competition. You will see them displayed around school soon.

Thank you to everyone who braved the wind to join us last week at the Big Dig. The wildlife area is looking so much better and we have plenty of fruit and vegetables planted. We could not do these things without your support, so again a big thank you.

Reception on North have welcomed 9 new chicks this week. You may have read in the media that the RSPCA is no longer encouraging schools to hatch chicks, but this is only if schools send them back. As you know we keep many of ours.

UNIFORM

As the weather is getting warmer we are getting more and more children coming to school in different coloured shoes and sandals. Please make sure that your child has **black** shoes, trainers or sandals. They can wear the coloured trainers for PE. We do have sets of black plimsolls in school that children can wear.



STEM week portfolios

We set a challenge during STEM week to get the classes to record what they had been doing each day. We have had some amazing portfolios and it was hard to choose the winners.

After a lot of deliberating the winners are :

- 2 year olds on North
- Nursery North
- Goldfinch in Reception
- Moorhen in Year 2
- Woodpecker in Year 4
- Skylark in year 5

Suntrap

Sparrow class have had a great night camping at Suntrap. They didn't have the best weather but did have a fantastic time. Swan and Swallow will be going on Tuesday straight after the Bank Holiday weekend. Don't forget those warm clothes to sleep in!

Reading

The children in years 2 to 5 have been doing some reading tests this week. The children have done really well and we have noticed a great improvement of many children's ability in reading and their enjoyment in of reading. Miss Bath is looking to organise a sponsored read in the next few weeks. Also, don't forget the local library is a FREE resource to borrow some amazing books.



