

The children have been in and out all week - we can't keep up with it all, goodness knows how you parents are managing it!

Monday was transition day at school and the children all seemed very excited to spend the day in their new classes and, in some cases, with their new Teachers, it will take a while for me to get used to what class everybody is in in September!

We hope that all of our year 6 children who have attended their Secondary School transition days this week have enjoyed their time there and are excited about moving to the next stage of their education, even though we are all feeling sad about saying goodbye.....

Our Dance Club started the week off with an amazing display to their parents, I have seen a recording of their performances and was so impressed with the skills they have developed during their weekly sessions with Amy – well done to them all.

Tuesday was a glorious day for Lamport's trip to Felixstowe, I know Mrs Cope was very emotional to spend her last day out with her class and I know, judging by the photographs, that they made the most of every minute!

Wednesday saw our Summer Fete in the playground. It was so lovely to be able to have this event again this year and to watch everybody mingle and have fun. A huge thank you to our wonderful PSA members for the time taken to organise the Fete. Thank you too to everybody who attended the event and supported this fund-raising venture. We await to hear how much was made from the afternoon, but thank you in advance for your generosity!

Yesterday some of our Rockingham Class spent the morning at a real recording studio with Mr Meekings. They have been working with him over several weeks to put together a radio show (I wonder where Mr Meekings got that idea for a project from...?!). I believe their show has been recorded to disc and we will all enjoy listening to the end results – maybe we will have some budding DJs for the future?! Thank you to Mr Meekings for this opportunity.



Our Archery Team did us proud representing us at the School Games yesterday afternoon - well done to them all - Mr Marshall was so impressed by their behaviour and performance.

Today is Sports Day and I look forward to joining the school for my first Sports Day at GA!

Have a restful weekend, you have had a very full week and there is another one to come next week.

Miss Birch Headteacher













CLUBS

All clubs have now finished. If you need to book transport to Woodford after-school club, please see Christine.





Our School Council have organized an ART EXHIBITION All the children in school have been working hard on their masterpieces and these will be framed and on display in the school playground on MONDAY 11^{TH} JULY From 3 pm The pieces are framed and available to buy for £3.00. A sneak preview

below – Sunflowers are Deene and Minibeasts are Lilford's.







To continue to encourage our children to read at home, we have invited Scholastic Book Club to hold a Book Fair at school next week. There will be lots of books available to buy for all year groups at reduced prices.



END OF TERM SCHOOL DISCOS Tuesday 12th July, 2022 School Hall Reception, Years 1 and 2 (5 pm - 6 pm) Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 (6.15 pm - 7.30 pm)

> ENTRANCE E2 PAY AT THE DOOR

DEENE CLASS



We are taking Deene class on a surprise trip to GALLONE'S ICE-CREAM PARLOUR where they will see how the ice-cream is made and get to sample some!! This will followed by a picnic and fun in the park on Monday 11^{th} July. We have ordered packed lunches for the children, so please do not order a hot school meal. The children will travel by school minibus and will be back at school for normal collection at 3 pm. The children can wear comfortable clothes for the weather (shorts/joggers with trainers and a school sweatshirt).

We are asking for voluntary contributions of \pounds 00 to cover entrance costs and transport. Payments and permissions can be done via Parent Pay.

LILFORD CLASS



A DAY AT THE LAKES......Lilford Class will be enjoying a day at Stanwick Lakes on Tuesday 12th July. They will spend the day exploring, looking at mini-beasts and bugs and having a picnic lunch and an ice-cream. They should come to school comfortably dressed for the weather (shorts/t-shirts/joggers/coats/sunhats/lotion etc) wearing comfortable footwear.
A packed lunch will be ordered for them so please do not order a hot school meal on that day. We are asking for Voluntary contributions of £5 to cover costs. Payments and permissions can be given Via Parent Pay.

ROCKINGHAM CLASS





YEAR & LEAVERS SERVICE We invite parents of year & children to join us for a Leavers Service on WEDNESDAY 13TH JULY 11.00 am At the church in Great Addington

KEY STAGE 2 SUMMER SHOW

Lamport and Rockingham class have been so busy rehearsing for their Summer Show Olivia which is scheduled to take place on THURSDAY 14TH JULY, 2022

6 pm

At



IRTHLINGBOROUGH BAND CLUB Tickets E4

If you have not ordered tickets for this event, please see Christine as soon as possible.

If you have asked to be allocated more than the initial 2 tickets per family, Christine will be in touch as soon as possible to confirm availability/payment etc. DROP-OFF ON THE EVENING

Please can Lamport and Rockingham class children be dropped off at Irthlingborough Town Band Club for 5.30 pm on the evening, with the show starting at 6.00 pm. Please can they

come dressed in their costumes.

(Please can all costumes be brought into school by Monday at the latest - if you are having any difficulties, please speak to Mr Marshall.



A huge thank you from the PSA to children, parents, grandparents and friends of GA who supported the Summer Fete this week. There was a real buzz in the playground! Winner of 1st Prize in the raffle was Arianna's Mum, winners of the Bowling Competition were: and the Netball Competition were: Arthur and Fliss – Congratulations to all winners. We will let you know the total amount raised which will go towards many resources which benefit our children at the school. Thank you again and have a wonderful Summer.

IN OUR COMMUNITY



Sunday Worship

8.00 am	Irthlingborough
9.15 am	Little Addington
9.15 am	Great Addington
10.30 am	Irthlingborough
10.45 am	Woodford

NEW PERFORMING ARTS ACADEMY OPENING SOON

PQA provides outstanding performing arts tuition for children and young people aged 4 - 18 years.

Students are split into groups according to their age and spend three hours rotating through specialist sessions in Comedy & Drama, Musical Theatre and Film & Television taught by leading industry professionals. We also have our Poppets class for 4-5 year olds.

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