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Giving Citizen **R**esilient Learner **O**riginal Thinker **W**ise Worker

28th April 2023. Summer Term No 2

Still no sun – let's all do a dance to bring it out for the Bank Holiday!

Art Gallery

As part of our Coronation celebrations, all children will be using their art skills to produce a replica of the Kings portrait. As you can see from the attached letter, we are inviting you to attend our "Art Gallery" after school on 9th May.

Sports Day – Friday 19th May

Please see the attached letter with full details of our arrangements with the Juniors for Sports Day.

Padnell Produce

Many thanks to Jacqui Benham and ASDA for supporting the re-launch of our Padnell Produce. Together with Mrs McVittie and some children, oodles of seeds have been sown this week ready to nurture into plants to sell at the Summer Fayre.

Thanks also to Wickes who donated 12 bags of topsoil and the flexi-tubs that are growing potatoes at the moment. Wilkinson gave a voucher with which we bought a little greenhouse.

Governor Update

Many thanks to Lindsay Hall who has served as a Parent Governor for the last three years but is now stepping down. In her place, we welcome Ruth Clifton.

One of our long serving Governors is also retiring from her role, so if you know of anyone in the community who could give a little time each half term to help us please send them our way, we would love to meet them.

Padnell Pre-School Cake Sale

The Pre-School are holding a Cake Sale on Friday 12th May from 2.30pm until 3.30pm, you are welcome to pop along for a sweet treat.

Perform

Perform, a popular children's drama and dance school are offering a Free trial Session and a special introductory discount of £40 for children who come to Padnell, if they sign up by Saturday 23rd September. Parents should quote PADN230923 when booking on https://www.perform.org.uk/ or calling 020 7255 9120.

The nearest classes are in Catherington on Tuesdays at 4pm, but you can find all classes here: https://www.perform.org.uk/venue?location=po8-8ds

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Bank Holiday

School will be closed on Monday, 1st May as it's a Bank Holiday. We hope you enjoy the extra-long weekend.

Kind Regards,

Mrs Grayson
Headteacher

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Resilient Learner
Original thinker
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Diary Dates 2023

Monday 1st May	Bank Holiday		School Closed
Tuesday 2nd May	Industrial Action		See email sent on 24th April for classes affected
Friday 5th May 1.45pm	Coronations Celebrations	Details to follow	Parents/Carers invited
w/c 8th May	SATS Week	Year 2	
Monday 8th May	Bank Holiday - Kings Charles' Coronation		School Closed
Tuesday 9th May 3.05pm	Coronation Art Gallery in School	Whole School	
Tuesday 9th May 8 – 11.30am OR 1.30 – 2.30pm	New Year R Parents to come and complete paperwork	Sept 23 Year R Parents	
Thursday 11th May 9.30 – 11.30am OR 1.30 – 2.30pm OR 3.30 – 5.30pm	New Year R Parents to come and complete paperwork	Sept 23 Year R Parents	
Friday 12th May	Non Uniform Day (Bottle Donation)	All Children	Bottle Donation for Summer Fayre
w/c 15th May	Walk to School week	Whole School	
Thursday 18th May	Whole School Dinner Day	Whole School	
Friday 19th May 9.30 – 11.30am	Sports Day	Whole School	Joint with Padnell Junior School
Monday 22nd May	Padnell Juniors £5 Project	Years 1 & 2	
Tuesday 23rd May (Change of Date)	Class Photographs	All children	

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Wednesday 24th May	Year 1 & 2 Scooter Day	Years 1 & 2	
Friday 26th May	Non Uniform Day (Chocolate Donation)	All Children	Bottle Donation for Summer Fayre
Friday 26th May	Reserve Sports Day	Whole School	Reserve Date
Friday 26th May	Last Day of Term		
Monday 29th May to Friday 2nd June	Whitsun Half Term		School Closed
Monday 5th June	Return to School		