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Well done to Year 2 who have begun their SATs this week. The tests that the children have to take in Year 2 support the teacher assessment that we have to report to the DfE. The children don't have set days or a time limit and they take them in small groups. We make sure that it is done in a low key way throughout this week and next. We are very proud of how the children have approached these.

We will be saying goodbye to Miss Brookes at the end of this term. Miss Brookes has supported all our children in her role as an MDSA (Mid-Day Supervisory Assistant) for 4 years. We wish her well in her new job and we also wish her a very happy wedding day for tomorrow!

Jennifer Bayne

House Captains - Terms 5 & 6

Due to the Bank Holiday and Year 6 SATs last week, our House Captains from Term 3 & 4 carried on with their duties for the first three weeks of this term. However, we are now delighted to be able to announce our Year 6 House Captains for the next two terms. Well done to the following children for being awarded this role by the staff at our School.

Noah, Madeleine, Thomas A-D, Daisy, Libby, Willow, Kyra-Mae & Ella

Year 6 Parents' Meeting - Isle of Wight Residential

This meeting will take place at 6pm on Thursday, 26th May via Zoom. You will be sent the link for the meeting on the day, via parentmail.

St Sampson's Stars!

A big well done to all our stars of the week - Lighting up Life and Learning @

Bees - Iris & Alba

Butterflies - Amelia & Shaun



1A - Olivia & Amelie

2H - Caelan & Sofia

1CS - Isabelle & Rupert





3/4L - Paige & Eddie

3/4R - Leo & Esme



50 - May & Micah

55 - Valentina & Archie



The whole of Year 6 for their superb effort and attitude in SATs ©

Notice from Eco Club

Eco Club unfortunately can no longer collect crisp packets for recycling as Walkers has ended their sponsorship of the recycling scheme nationwide. We are still taking bread bags, biscuit wrappers, chocolate wrappers and sweet wrappers. Thank you for all the recycling that you have done to help raise funds for Wiltshire Air Ambulance.

Lucy and The Eco Warriers

Platinum Jubilee Celebrations - Last Day of Term - May 27th

We are looking forward to our Jubilee Celebrations on the last day of term. Don't forget that we are coming to school wearing Red, White and Blue.



We will have a picnic lunch on the field. If you would like to order your child's picnic from the kitchen, please make sure you order online IN ADVANCE. For those children who order a school picnic meal, they are welcome to bring in 'extras' to supplement it, should they wish. Children can also bring in a picnic blanket to sit on and share with their friends.

We will then have some traditional games and fun, with a backup wet weather plan if necessary.

Cricklade Garden Club Spring Plant Fayre Poster Competition

Well done to Lucy (6B) who won the poster competition, winning a £20 book voucher.



Thank you to everyone who entered. All of the entries will be displayed at the event.

Tag Rugby Festival at Royal Wootton Bassett Rugby Club - WINNERS!

Last Thursday, a team of boys and girls from St Sampsons's headed to Royal Wootton Bassett Rugby Club for a schools tag rugby tournament.

There were 4 matches in the group stage and St Sampson's won 3 of these which meant we were through to the final, against Broad Hinton. Ironically, it was Broad Hinton that we had lost to in the group stages. We were fired up and ready!

The final was very exciting and definitely the best game, with the teams very evenly matched. The final score, however, was 5-4 to St Sampson's which meant we had the victory and won a massive trophy! Everyone played so well but a special mention for **Caique (Y6)** who scored over 20 tries!

Thank you to Miss Hargreaves for taking us and to Mr Smith for running the tournament.

Players: Noah, Wilf, Scarlett, Zach, Eleanor, Joey, Lara, Caique & Dougie



Zach & Eleanor (Y6)

Last Few Interactive White Boards Remaining looking for new homes / to be recycled or donated

Following the installation of new Interactive Whiteboards in all the classrooms last summer, we have been able to rehome many of our old boards. If you know of a worthy cause that would like a board, or are able to make a small donation for a business to use, please let Mrs Macdonald or I know.

