


TOGETHER WE CARE, TOGETHER WE SUCCEED.... May 2023

May has been a very exciting month in school. We all enjoyed our special Coronation celebrations- dressing in red, white and blue; and singing our special Coronation song together. We were very lucky to have a visit from The Deputy Lord Lieutenant as well. It has been wonderful to see so many parents and families coming to enjoy our sports day events through May. We have (mostly) been lucky with the weather and we have our fingers crossed that our Nursery Sports Day on Wednesday 21st June and our rearranged Y1 & Y2 Sports on Friday 23rd June will be blessed with some lovely weather too! Our children have really enjoyed cheering their teams on and sharing in the friendly competition across lots of different events. It has also been a busy time with statutory assessments happening in school and all the children involved have been working really hard. Hopefully this lovely weather will continue so we can enjoy a sunny half-term holiday!

Mrs Hannaway

Y6 residential visit- PGL Liddington

Last week was a very special week for some Y6 children who spent 3 days at PGL Liddington taking part in all kinds of outdoor and adventurous activities. They had a really exciting few days learning to canoe, abseil, climb and they took part in lots of activities that involved team work, perseverance and setting personal challenges. The giant swing was definitely a favourite activity and in between they did manage to fit in a little bit of sleep! A big well-done to all who took part and for being super ambassadors of Gig Mill School. They did us all proud!


World Ocean's Day – 8th June

We will be celebrating World Ocean's Day in school on June 8th. This year's theme is 'Ocean is Family' and the idea is to think about our relationship with blue spaces around us such as rivers, lakes etc. We have signed up to take part in a worldwide live-streamed assembly too. We are running a special poster competition for pupils and all the information for the competition can be found on the reverse of this newsletter.

Diary Dates

Monday 5th June- INSET day
 Tuesday 6th June- school reopens for pupils
 Wednesday 21st June 10.30 YN Sports
 Friday 23rd June 1.30pm Y1/2 Sports
 Tuesday 25th July- last day of term
 Monday 4th September -INSET day
 Tuesday 5th September- school reopens for pupils

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World Oceans Day Poster Competition!

To enter the competition, we would like you to design a poster that encourages people to care for and look after our seas and oceans. Make sure your poster is bright and eye-catching.



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- Your poster should be completed on a sheet of A4 paper.
- You should create your poster at home.
- Make sure you write your full name and class on the back.
- Once complete, give your poster to Mr Bottoms (2B) or Mrs Glover (3FG).
- There are prizes to be won!
- The deadline is Friday 16th June.