



### Head Teachers Message

This term has certainly flown by! I would like to express my huge thanks to the children, staff, parents and governors at Ide Hill for welcoming me with open arms. It is a truly fantastic school and you have helped me to settle in so well. I look forward to next term and all of the excitement and progress to come.

Attendance has been a focus this term and will continue to be next term too so thank you to everyone who has worked so hard on this and getting their children into school each day and on time.



**IF YOUR CHILD IS FEELING UNDER THE WEATHER,**

**IT CAN BE HARD TO KNOW IF YOU SHOULD SEND THEM TO SCHOOL OR NOT.**

**UNLESS THEY HAVE A TEMPERATURE OF 38 DEGREES OR ABOVE, THEY'RE USUALLY GOOD TO GO.**

**MOMENTS MATTER, ATTENDANCE COUNTS.**

SEARCH NHS SCHOOL ILLNESS GUIDANCE.

HM Government **NHS**

Well done to our year 6 children who completed their SATs this term! It was great to see and hear how positive you were about them.

I hope you have a brilliant break and I look forward to seeing as many of you as possible at the Village Fair on the 27<sup>th</sup>.

### Elms Class visitors

This week we were visited by Miss Alexander who popped in to listen to our stories based on the Magic Paintbrush. She was wowed by the imaginative and exciting endings to the story which the children



had written independently. The children were very proud to show their stories off!



The children were delighted by an unexpected visit from Simon Reeve from the BBC 'Wilderness' series this week. The children have been watching short clips of the series over the last few weeks as Flora's Daddy is a cameraman on the show, so we were keen to find out

what he gets up to in his job!

### Elms Creative Writing

Elms have been using the story of the Magic Paintbrush by Julia Donaldson to inspire some creative writing. As a final piece of writing the children reimagined the end of the story, where Shen is stuck in the Emperors prison, with only her magic paintbrush to use to escape.

*She painted a goljden magik key to unlock the prison door. She found her self free out sid.*

*Next she painted a tiger tooth and jumpt on its back and swifley rids away.*

*The Emperor stompt his feet and shackt his fist, jump on his farst hors and galapt after Shen.*

*Shen had another clever idea. She painted a deep streem of laver.*

*The Emperor was on the other sid. The Emperor stamt his foot. The ground brock and fel in the larver.*

*Shen and her family had a selebrashon, livd hapely ever after.*

*The end. - By Flora*

### Clubs

A reminder that clubs return W/C Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June

### PTA Update

The PTA are happy to share that thanks to parents and carers ongoing generous support we have been able to donate £735 towards a new projector for Saplings. We can't wait to see it in action!

Also a reminder - come join the fun at the Ide Hill Village Fair 27th May 1pm! Always a wonderful day!

### After School Club – Flower Festival

Morning and after school club children have been making an umbrella for the flower festival. The theme is "Singing in the Rain" so the children, Mrs Marshall and Miss



Bruce have decorated an umbrella with flowers all over it. On top of some of the flowers, there are gold and silver glittery musical notes. Even inside the umbrella is decorated with daisies and other types of different flowers! We are going to put a butterfly on the handle to make it look pretty. The umbrella will be displayed at the front entrance of the church – **written by Freya and Annie.**

	<p><b>Charlotte M</b>  <b>Sophie</b>  <b>Jacob</b>  <b>Wilbur</b>  <b>Zach</b>  <b>Evie</b>  <b>Freya</b>  <b>Madeline</b>  <b>Annabelle</b></p>
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Upcoming School Dates for Your Diary	
3 <sup>rd</sup> June	Back to School
4 <sup>th</sup> June	5&6 Cricket
6 <sup>th</sup> June	5&6 Cricket
6 <sup>th</sup> June	Talent Show
7 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 4 River Study Day Trip
10 <sup>th</sup> June	Braiswick Class Photos
11 <sup>th</sup> June	Family Event – <i>more info to follow</i>
13 <sup>th</sup> June	3&4 Cricket
18 <sup>th</sup> June	3&4 Cricket
19 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 6 Residential
28 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 3 Trip to Sevenoaks Wildlife Reserve
12 <sup>th</sup> July	Sports Day
17 <sup>th</sup> & 18 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Production

<p><b>Saplings</b></p>	<p><b>Matilda</b> - for all your amazing writing this week in Busy Bee time. It has been fantastic to see how you can write your own little stories. Keep it up!</p> <p><b>Turner</b> – for your positive attitude to your learning this week, asking questions and showing an interest in how you can find out more or try something different.</p>
<p><b>Elms</b></p>	<p><b>Charlie</b> - for working so hard on your writing especially when using your phonics to spell new words.</p> <p><b>Cora</b> - for always putting 100% effort into all of your work, no matter which subject. Keep it up!</p>
<p><b>Beech</b></p>	<p><b>Violet</b> – For always being a kind and thoughtful member of Beech class and setting an excellent example to others.</p> <p><b>Alice R</b> – For amazing maths this week and using the correct symbol to work out the answers accurately.</p>
<p><b>Willows</b></p>	<p><b>Teddie</b> – For his excellent attitude to his story writing.</p> <p><b>Ivy</b> – For excellent evaluation of wearable technology and their uses.</p>
<p><b>Hazel</b></p>	<p><b>Alex</b> - For his excellent reasoning when converting between years, months, days and weeks.</p> <p><b>Finn</b> - For his excellent use of adverbials and adjectives when adding detail to his writing</p>
<p><b>Ash</b></p>	<p><b>The whole of Ash Class</b> - for working so hard this term. You all really tried your best and worked well together as a class.</p>
<p><b>Oaks</b></p>	<p><b>Summer</b> - for her thoughtful contributions to discussions about what makes someone historically significant.</p> <p><b>Lucas</b> - for his excellent recall of French prepositional language</p>





**IDE HILL VILLAGE FAIR**

# DOG SHOW

**ENTRANCE FEE - £3 PER CLASS**

ENTRIES WILL BE TAKEN ON THE DAY FROM 12:30PM ONWARDS. CLASS SIZE WILL BE LIMITED ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVED BASIS. ROSETTES WILL BE AWARDED FOR THE FIRST 4 PLACES IN EACH CLASS.

## CLASSES AND RUNNING TIMES

1:00 PM	WAGGIEST TAIL
1:20 PM	PRETTIEST BITCH (FEMALE ONLY)
1:40 PM	MOST HANDSOME DOG (MALE ONLY)
2:00 PM	RESCUE DOG
2:20 PM	BEST JUNIOR HANDLER
<b>BREAK</b>	
3:00 PM	BEST TRICK
3:20 PM	PUPPIES UNDER 18 MONTHS
3:40 PM	MY BEST FRIEND
4:00 PM	<b>BEST IN SHOW</b> (1ST AND 2ND PLACE IN EACH CLASS)

OWNERS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR DOGS WHICH MUST BE KEPT UNDER CONTROL AND ON A LEAD AT ALL TIMES. THE JUDGE'S DECISION IS FINAL. ALL DOGS ENTERING THE SHOWGROUND SHOULD BE UP TO DATE WITH THEIR VACCINATIONS. PLEASE CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOG.

WITH MANY THANKS TO ACE DOG TRAINING SCHOOL, OXTEO  
<https://sueacedog.webs.com/>

**IDE HILL'S ANNUAL**

# VILLAGE FAIR

ON THE VILLAGE GREEN & GLEBE FIELD

## MON 27TH MAY 1PM

° DOG SHOW ° TUG OF WAR ° FLOWER FESTIVAL °  
° FUN & GAMES FOR ALL THE FAMILY °

RAISING FUNDS TO SUPPORT OUR VILLAGE HALL AND VILLAGE ASSOCIATIONS