

Friday, 26 May 2023

Dear Parent and Carers,  
Welcome to newsletter 16. This is the final newsletter of this ½ term.

## Coronation Celebrations in School: Friday 5th May

As part of our celebrations children wore non-uniform in R/W/B colours, a donation of 50p was provided for PTA fund raising.



Children wore their Coronation Crowns, there was a parade in assembly so all the designs could be seen. The crowns were also displayed in the hall at the end of the day. The whole school gathered for a picnic style lunch with music and games – thanks to all the staff for getting into the celebratory spirit, especially Mrs Prouten and the Foundation Stage team, Miss Dix and Mrs Mihai for making the day that extra special for the children.



## PTA Cake Sale and non-uniform:

The Coronation cake sale and non-uniform raised £293.15.

There were so many cakes provided a second cake sale was held. Thank you for your contributions the cake sale added to a lovely celebration feel for the day.

## PTA meeting:

The PTA will be holding a meeting on the 6th of June at 3.15pm in the Hall, all parents, carers and staff are invited.

## RE Quality Mark Award:

I want to say well done and thank you to Mrs Richardson for all her hard work in gathering the evidence to achieve Bronze Level accreditation for our RE provision. We have received our assessor feedback with highlights such as ...

“The pupils were positive about RE in the school”

“A Year 5 pupil said - it is fun to learn about different religions and how they show commitment to God”

“The subject leader for RE is very committed to raising the profile of RE in the school and has contributed to the local RE network by sharing RE practice in her school”

We look to the next steps and the way forward as the new syllabus for RE is rolled out across all schools.



## Summer Reading Challenge:

Last year, in Jersey, over 2,000 children joined the Challenge.

### How it works:

- Children sign up through their local library and receive a collector folder.
- They borrow 6 books of their choice during the summer, collecting special stickers and incentives.
- Library staff and volunteers help children to discover new books that suit their interests and reading level and run a programme of free themed activities in the library.
- Children who complete their Challenge are presented with a certificate, a medal and a complimentary Aquasplash swim pass each.
- Children can take part online, too!



[www.summerreadingchallenge.org.uk](http://www.summerreadingchallenge.org.uk)

## Join a workshop to help create a new Inclusion Charter for Education and Early Years:

The Government is inviting parents, and those working in education and early years to participate in free workshops to build a new Inclusion Charter for Education and Early Years in Jersey.

All children and young people on our island have the right to reach their full potential and feel included. To do this, the entire community needs to work together to support them.

The Children, Young People, Education and Skills Department (CYPES) is creating a Vision and Charter for Inclusive Education and

Early Years in Jersey.

The Charter will comprise principles that will help everyone who works with children and young people understand how to best support all children and young people and ensure they feel involved.

Parents, practitioners, and anyone who is interested can sign up for any one of the free workshops in the coming month.

During the workshops, participants will discuss and explore practical solutions to ensure all children and young people feel included and help develop the content of the Inclusion Charter.

To book a place please follow the below links:

[Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> May – 5:30 – 7:30pm – Haute Vallee school](#)

[Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> June – 6:30 – 8:30pm – Online via Teams](#)

[Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> June – 2 – 4pm – Eagle Lab, Jersey Library](#)

[Monday 19<sup>th</sup> June – 12 – 2pm – Eagle Lab, Jersey Library](#)

[Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> June – 10:00 – 12:00pm – St Pauls Centre](#)

You can book a place using the following link <https://www.eventbrite.com/cc/inclusion-vision-and-charter-workshops-2102929>

#### **DATES:**

INSET Dates - Monday 5th June 2023, Wednesday 27 March 2024, Friday 24 May 2024 - school closed to the children

#### **St Helier Repair Café (reminder):**

Janvrin School will be hosting the St. Helier Repair Cafe every month. A repair cafe is a place for people to come along to get faulty and broken belongings fixed for free. Run by volunteers, the idea is to learn from others how to repair everyday items and develop environmental awareness by trying to avoid throwing things away.

Examples of items for repair could include kitchen electrical items, hi-fi and music equipment, electronics, toys, coats, bags, clothes and school uniforms, bicycles and e-bikes, clocks, garden equipment, TV's and many other things.

We would also love to hear from you if you have skills you would be willing to share as a volunteer. We are looking for people who can sew and use a sewing machine, fix electrical and electronic items, fix bicycles or have any other repair skills that they think would be beneficial.

Please contact Max Livesey, Janvrin School's computing teacher for any more information on 07829786229 or [maxlivesey@gmail.com](mailto:maxlivesey@gmail.com)

The Repair Café will then run 9.30-1pm on each of the following dates at Janvrin School:

- 24th June
- 29th July
- 19th August
- 29th September
- 28th October
- 25th November
- 16th December

#### **Children and Families Hub Programme Offers (reminder):**

##### Play and Connect Monthly Drop in Session

Discover how play and connection can promote positive mental health for your children and teens

Join practitioners from CAMHS Early Intervention team, Mind Jersey and the Children and Families Hub to learn about play and discuss any concerns or worries you may have about your child's development or mental health.

Who is it for? For parents, carers and their children up to 18 years old

Please note that you can attend alone, without your child.

When is it happening? The last Tuesday of every month, 12:30 – 14:30

How can I take part? Please feel free to drop into The Bridge on the above date and time, or for more information contact the Children and Families Hub team on 01534 519000, or email [childrenandfamilieshub@gov.je](mailto:childrenandfamilieshub@gov.je).



#### **Children and Families Hub Programme Offers (new):**

Topic: Dealing with disobedience

Parenting can be difficult at times especially when children just don't do as they are told. This group will give you the opportunity to meet other parents to share some of your experiences and ideas with and learn some positive parenting suggestions to help you manage difficult behaviours and help your child to accept limits and boundaries.

Who is it for? For parents and carers of 2 – 12 year olds

When is it happening? Tuesday 11th July, at The Bridge from 18:00 – 20:00

How can I take part? To join, contact the Children and Families Hub team on 01534 519000, or email [childrenandfamilieshub@gov.je](mailto:childrenandfamilieshub@gov.je).

Topic: Reducing family conflict

Conflict between parents and teenagers can be upsetting and stressful. This group will give you the opportunity to meet other parents to share some of your experiences and ideas with and learn some positive parenting suggestions to help manage fighting and arguing.

Who is it for? For parents and carers of 12-18 year olds

When is it happening? Tuesday 20th June, at St Helier Library from 18:00 – 20:00

How can I take part? To join, contact the Children and Families Hub team on 01534 519000, or email [childrenandfamilieshub@gov.je](mailto:childrenandfamilieshub@gov.je).

I hope you enjoy the ½ term break. We look forward to welcoming the children back to school on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> June, Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June is an INSET day and school is closed to the children.

Kind regards



Miss Maria McCool – Headteacher