

# Wray Common Primary School Newsletter

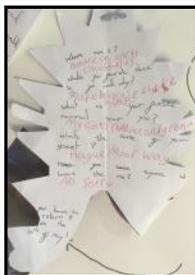
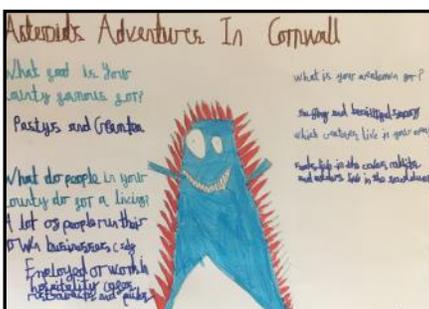


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## TOGETHER EVERYONE ACHIEVES MORE



On Tuesday this week, here at Wray Common, our Year 3 classes came together with the Year 3 children from Reigate Parish, to develop friendships, perseverance and confidence in a joint Design and Technology Day. The two schools took it in turns to lead a session. Wray Common kicked things off with 'Rainforest Dioramas' and the children worked with their new 'buddies' to create some wonderful rainforest scenes. Our Year 3 children shared their knowledge of the three 'layers' of the rainforest and the end results looked amazing! It was then the turn of Reigate Parish to share their learning and they led a session on mosaic tile making. A picnic lunch followed the workshops and then it was time to let off some steam exploring our grounds and playing some team games. They played skunk tag, parachute games, duck, duck, goose and tea cups. Why not ask the children to explain the rules of the new games they learnt? The day ended with a giant 'sing-a-long' in the hall. It was then time to say goodbye: "I have two new friends," one child was heard to say as they were leaving. A big thank you to the staff from Wray Common and Reigate Parish for making this day happen - a fantastic time was had by all!



### ASTEROID'S ADVENTURES

A couple of weeks ago we shared with you what Year 3 had been learning, about the importance of asking questions. Once Asteroid had been sent on his journey, the children went home to send their own Asteroids off on a journey. These pictures show some of the adventures he went on. He travelled to The Olympic Park, Face Timed a nanny in Bridgewater and was even sent to and from Sheffield in an envelope to ask a variety of questions! Year 3 will be displaying their projects around the school for the children to see how we have celebrated the importance of asking questions to discover more about the world.



## RANGERS REPORT

When we take refuge from the glorious Sunshine, our Rangers enjoy a good book. The older Rangers love to read to some of our little Rangers and help them develop a life-long passion for reading.



Breakfast Club consultation: should we be opening earlier? If you feel strongly either way, please take a moment to complete our survey as we consult Wray Common parents/carers. [Click here](#) to have your say.

Don't forget you can now book for May Half Term, June and July and for the Summer Holidays! [Click here](#) to make your booking.

## A TIME TO CELEBRATE

It was time for our Year 6 children to have a bit of fun today following the end of their SATs yesterday. The Year 6 kitchen was transformed into an Italian style pizzeria where all of the children made their own pizza. They will be going out on to the field this afternoon, in the lovely sunshine, to enjoy the fruits of their labours. Buon appetito!



## SO LONG, FAREWELL ...

Next Friday we say farewell to Mrs Benham who is leaving Wray Common after nearly eight years of service. Our loss, is Brooklands School's gain, and we would like to thank Mrs. Benham for her commitment to providing excellent support to so many children over the years. We would like to wish her well as she leaves to take up new challenges.



## A RIGHT ROYAL LUNCH

A very big thank you to Mrs Young and her team for preparing and cooking our celebratory meal in honour of the Royal Wedding tomorrow. Definitely a meal fit for a Prince and Princess!



## Could you be our next Governor\*?

Wray Common School has entered a new era of collaboration and excellence with other local schools. As part of Greensand Multi-Academy Trust (MAT). We need additional Governors to support the Local Governing Body to continue the essential work of monitoring and supporting the school.

Governors get involved with the school's strategic direction including overview of it's vision, reviewing performance data, establishing best practice and budget management.



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*\*This is a voluntary role.*

For further information and an information pack please contact

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## COMMUNITY MATTERS

- Training day with Surrey Ladies Cricketers at Reigate Priory 10-2pm 29th May - £5 for the session!! There are also other dates and venues available. Contact Reigate Priory Cricket Club for more information: 01737 244477 
- Skills School has joined together with a new football club that runs all girls teams. Please [click here](#) to find out about a fun evening session on Tuesday 22nd May. 

## QUESTIONNAIRES

Please return your parent/carer questionnaires by the end of the day on Monday. Thank you.

## NEXT WEEK . . .

- Mon 21<sup>st</sup> Inter-schools Swimming Gala (Yrs 5 and 6) 3:00 p.m.
- Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> Class Photos and Leavers' Photos (during school time)
- Thurs 24<sup>th</sup> Year 5 and 6 Cricket Tournament at Merstham Cricket Club
- Fri 25<sup>th</sup> Celebration Medals Assembly 2:20 p.m. (invited parents/carers only) End of school day at normal time.



## HONOUR BOOK



<b>1VG</b>	Howie Harding Amira Mehmoed Felix Curphey Danae Mikropoulos	For fantastic writing in English using his target to improve it! Brilliant effort when grouping in Maths and pictorial representation of it. For a great opening to his Paddington story. For brilliant effort in using her writing target and improving her handwriting.
<b>1W</b>	Leah McRae  Ethan Pop  Louis D'Cruz Angel Massey	For her fantastic writing, retelling Paddington's adventure and for reflecting back independently in order to improve. For his fantastic writing, retelling Paddington's adventure and for reflecting back independently in order to improve. For his fantastic Paddington 'portal' story. Wow! For her fantastic Paddington 'portal' story. Wow!
<b>2E</b>	Daisy Broughton Sophie Denby	For trying to improve her answers in Maths, reflecting and improving on them. For completing a fantastic 'invent' story using adverbs and fronted adverbials.
<b>2M</b>	Maximillian Gomez-Lopez Eloise Kiernander	For being enthusiastic in all lessons and always having his hand up. For a creative story inspired by the 'Journey' story.
<b>2ML</b>	Dylan Janicki George Webb	For using his knowledge of counting in 2s, 5s and 10s to fill in missing numbers in sequences. For working enthusiastically in guided reading, with amazing ideas- well done!
<b>3R</b>	Jessy Benedetto	For continuing to try really hard in Maths and never complaining when it gets a bit tricky.
<b>3W</b>	Jean Paul Breakspear Hayley Bleach Flora Pillinger	For writing his own sentences about how to put a bridle on a horse. For applying her toolkit in writing an entertaining 'quest' story. For applying her toolkit in writing an entertaining 'quest' story.
<b>4E</b>	Lucas Drage	Fantastic writing this week, including all the key features that have been covered in Year 4.
<b>4RW</b>	Abeerah Afraa  Raheel Khokhar	For fantastic contributions during reading workshop, listening to others and building on their ideas. For fantastic contributions during reading workshop, listening to others and building on their ideas.
<b>5B</b>	Bea Cookson Taylor Brennan Poppy Campbell	For fabulous work when reading co-ordinates in Maths. For great work in Maths when reflecting shapes. For great work in Maths when reflecting shapes.
<b>5M</b>	Preesha Inaparthi Olivia Ojieh Alicia Robinson	For a super effort with <i>translation</i> in Maths. Well done! For a super effort with <i>translation</i> in Maths. Well done! For amazing effort and determination across all her learning.
<b>5W</b>	Daniel Sired Luke Fuller Jacob Carter Camilla Sulskute	For supporting another child in understanding <i>translation</i> in Maths. For being very polite in class and showing good manners. For imaginative ideas in reading. For her amazing times tables knowledge.
<b>6B</b>	Hannah-Rose Castle Christopher Brimm Ella Scrase John Allen	For excellent use of punctuation to influence the reader. For a super piece of writing that creates emotions in the reader. Amazing vocabulary! For an amazing independent version of 'The Piano'. Super, emotive language. For amazing focus and determination to improve his writing.
<b>6C</b>	Rebecca Martin Joel Lawrence Faizan Ahmed Maisie Kaye	For amazing use of descriptive phrases and vocabulary. A great read! For fantastic use of punctuation, speech and authorial voice for his 'Piano' story. For using fantastic vocabulary and emotions in his 'Piano' writing. A complex and enjoyable text. For superb attention to detail when writing her 'Piano' narrative- you really take pride in your work, Maisie!
<b>6R</b>	Aaliyah Nubi  Alex Naylor-Beggs  Blaise Finch Ben Jones	Excellent use of punctuation to structure ideas and lovely descriptive detail. Mrs Roberts loved reading your story. For writing an effective and engaging piece with lovely description and detail. Mrs Roberts was unable to put it down! For creating emotion and suspense in her 'Piano' story. For using a variety of sentences with carefully selected vocabulary. Mrs Roberts has been hooked!

**Well Done!**

## FRIENDS' FUNDRAISING

The Happy School Bags have gone home this week, and with the half term holiday fast approaching, what a good time to have a clear out and donate your unwanted textiles (adults' and children's clothes, shoes (tied together please), hats, belts, handbags, bed linen and soft toys) to help raise money for the school. Don't forget, you can use any bag to donate- the more bags, the more money raised! The collection date is Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> June, so plenty of time to pack your bags!

