

School News



Friday 10th July 2020

Hello everyone,

It has been an extremely busy week at school with so many exciting activities taking place. The atmosphere at school has been truly electric. The week started off with rehearsals for our school production and this was on going throughout the week, culminating in a dress rehearsal on Friday. It has been such a pleasure to have watched the production grow over the last two months, next week everyone will be treated to a fantastic evening of drama, music, and choreography and much, much more, all set against a backdrop of spectacular stage sets. Our students have gained so many varied skills throughout this project and importantly this has been huge in bonding them together as a team.

There are a few things which I would like to highlight:

- On Thursday 16th July and Friday 17th July, students will go home at 1.30pm. This will allow sufficient time for them to have a rest before the show in the evening.
- There is no entrance fee for the show, but we kindly request that you make a donation at the entrance which will contribute to the PTA funds.
- We will have a raffle and there are many exciting prizes which have kindly been donated by local businesses, SURE, A&P's, Jams, AIG, Chandlery, and of course our own parents and carers who contributed to the food hamper.
- During the interval, there will not be a tuck shop and we request that your child brings a snack. At the end of the show, once you collect your child, please let staff know before you leave so that we can account for all of our children.

In other news this week:

With our year 10 students due to go on work experience soon, they spent two of their lunchtimes completing induction work in order to prepare them. On Tuesday they had Health and Safety training and on Wednesday they completed Fire Safety Awareness training. The students were highly engaged in their learning and these are excellent courses to have completed which will add to their Records of Achievement.

Our year 1 and 2 class celebrated the excellent outcomes of their assessments which took place last week by having a class trip to the Turtle Ponds. Everyone was excited about the trip and they thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

Have a good weekend Farah Quinn



Year 1 & 2 Turtle Pond Trip

This week Year 1 and 2 went on a trip to Turtle Ponds to celebrate finishing all of our assessments! We played in the sand, swam in the water, chased fish – we even created a beautiful sand mermaid skirt for Peyton and Madisyn. The girls had amazing knowledge of the history of the turtle ponds and

we had some great discussions about what sort of habitat it was. We also thought about what would happen if we got rid of all the moss in the turtle ponds

- the girls thought it would impact how many fish were in there because it was a food source for them. What clever minds! After our fun in the sun, we had a picnic and some chill out time. We had the most amazing day and I think we all tired ourselves out – especially Miss Collard and Winnie! Thank you so much to all the parents for the food.





