Weekly Bulletin

MELDRETH Primary School

June 11th 2021



Our Summer Uniform

We hope that you all had a lovely extended and warm half term. We know some parents managed to get some good day out deals out of the usual half term time price hike, well done! We have planned <u>our term dates</u> in a similar pattern for next year too. Please make use of the opportunity of a cheaper family holiday. We can't, however guarantee such lovely weather.

We would like to **thank you for ensuring that your child is in school uniform each day** and that you are keen to demonstrate to them the importance of education by following school policy. Your support is very much valued. We believe that having the correct uniform and PE kit is key to building pride in appearance, promoting a school community and reflects our school ethos of inclusion. We therefore ask that you check that your child's uniform especially footwear and PE kit follow our <u>requirements</u>. If you have difficulties for any reason with fulfilling this request, please speak confidentially to a senior member of staff to discuss the issues.

Our Pupils spend an average of 1.5 hours outside per day, more if involved in sports or outdoor activities. We are sun-safe and promote children wearing sun-hats, **either broad-brimmed (bucket style) or legionnaire to shade the face, neck, ears and cheeks,** seeking shade and covering up in hot weather. As 'role-models' to our youngest children we always lead by example.

We request that parents apply their own preferred sun-cream before children arrive at our setting each day.



Please ensure that it is a suitable SPF, (50+) and in-date. Children may bring their own named sun-cream to school and apply it themselves; we find that most children are able, with some direction, to do this independently. Find out more about our accreditation here.

School Pool Update

We are making great progress towards raising enough to replace the now decommissioned school pool and your support could make a huge difference.

A Walking Market is being held in Meldreth on Sunday 27th June. This fun event is an exciting opportunity to raise funds to help save the school pool, as stall holders can choose which good cause they would like to support. Could you hold a stall on your drive/front garden/street? Perhaps sell clothes and other household things you no longer need, set up a cake stand, or sell things you've made. Maybe the children could get creative making or baking something to sell? Please see the May and June issues of Meldreth Matters for more info. If you would like to hold a stall email lesleyfarbridge@hotmail.com by Sunday 20th June, so that the location of your stall can be put on the Meldreth Walking Market map. Thank you!

RECYCLE YOUR CRISP PACKETS!

Every year countless pieces of crisp packets end up in landfill sites across the UK. We are working with TerraCycle® to put an end to this enormous loss of resources. The Crisp Packet Recycling Scheme allows us to recycle your crisp packets and prevent them from ending up in landfill. Not only are you helping the environment, but the waste you recycle with us also helps to fund schools or organisations.



From next week, there will also be a box outside our school office, for families to help us save on tons of landfill waste and makes money for our school at the same time.

We currently have a vacancy for a parent governor and are seeking nominations for an enthusiastic and committed parent or carer to join our governing board... find out more.

Next Week in School



Wednesday 16th Thursday 17th Friday 18th





Week of 28 June CARROTS



Week of 5 July PEAS



Kestrel Class begin deep water swimming **New Puffin Parents Induction Meeting 7.30pm**





Current Coronavirus Restrictions