Weekly Bulletin

MELDRETH Primary School

May 20th 2022



It has been a lovely celebratory day in school today for our Platinum Jubilee Celebrations! The children have enjoyed a fun filled extravaganza of a day and even attended a street party, although it was indoors due to the changing weather. Thank you all for your support with our red white and blue theme today!

What a week it has been for our year 6 children, who have returned today from their residential visit to The Isle of Wight. Take a look at their adventures here! Reports are that the children showed an incredible attitude this week and it was clear to see how seriously they took the responsibility that staff and parents had for them. Thank you to the staff who organised the week so well and made sure our children had the best experience away from parents.

At this time of year, we are busy planning for September, thinking about classroom organisation and staffing for September 2022. We recognise that this time of change can be an anxious time for some children and parents. Please be assured as soon as that information is available you will all be the first to know!

Year 6 Enterprise Projects

Book-Sale

On the **25th of May**, There will be a fantastic book-sale located in the playground after school. These books will be priced at 50p for 1 or £1.00 for 3. We will start selling books at 3:10pm. The books will be aimed at different ages (Reception-Yr6) and will be non-fiction and fiction, so have a look to see if there is anything you like. There will also be other stands on the playground too! Looking forward to seeing you,

Evie, Isla, Alicia, Zoe.

Craft kits

Two year six girls will be holding a necklace, bracelet and loom band pack to make themselves stall for 3 days during lunch break. The event will be between the **23rd of May and the 25th of May**.

These are packs with loom bands, or necklace beads and string, or bracelet beads and string. The packs are perfect for children to enjoy making; they come with instructions.

Bracelet packs will be costing 45p and necklaces are going to be 75p while the loom bands will be 55p. Glasses of lemonade will also be available for 15p extra. You have the choice to pick your colour beads and loom bands or have a ready-made pack.

The money we raise will go towards year 6's residential trip to the Isle of Wight.

The event will be held near the pirate ship (which is near Osprey class). Don't miss it!!

Beat the Goalie

Three boys, one goalkeeper. If you score past the brilliant, the unbeatable, the brick wall...Toby Cook, you will win a packet of delicious Haribos (who doesn't love Haribos?!) and if you score the most goals, you can win a signed prize from a Cambridge United player!

To enter, it will cost £1 to shoot 5 shots. 50p for two shots. This event will be taking place on the **25th of May 2022.**

Please be assured that all the money earned will help year 6 get to go to the Isle of Wight. Don't miss the fun!

Teddies and Cakes

"Hey everyone" is a group from Meldreth Primary School. We will be holding a cake sale and a teddy-bear sale on the **25th May** on the school playground. If you would like to donate any good quality teddies to our sale, please drop them off in the school office. Thank you for listening and most importantly have a lovely day!

Tombola and Lucky Dip

On the **25th May** on the school playground, we will be holding a lucky dip and tombola stall. Please come and visit us, and help us raise money for our residential and hoodies!

Half Term Jubilee Challenges

This year we have a Jubilee feel to our Mary Course challenge:

What would you like to see in Meldreth in the next 75 years?

- We are looking for the most interesting, original and imaginative ideas.
- You might want to show us in a drawing or painting
- You might want to write about your idea!
- You might want to create a model or map of Meldreth including your idea!



Design a new stamp to celebrate the Queen's Jubilee.



Children will have collected a template from their class teacher today and are invited to use their imagination and creativity to design their very own stamp in honour of the Queen's Platinum Jubilee!

- You can use any art media you wish- pencil, pen, felt tips, paint, collage...
- You could add the Queen's portrait!
- You could add something which reflects the year 2022!

Hand in your entries by Friday 10th June

Swimming Season

We are fortunate to have swimming facilities on the school site through the kind support of parents and our swimming pool supporting PTA, and also locally at Melbourn Village College. All our lessons are taught by your child's class teacher in school or by Swimming Teachers' Association instructors at MVC.

The benefits of our swimming classes go far beyond fulfilling the National Curriculum criteria: they serve to keep children fit, give pupils the opportunity to succeed in a discipline outside the classroom environment, are fun, and most importantly, they teach children how to remain safe in the water. In addition to learning a life skill, achievements are celebrated with certificates, which are awarded for completing set tasks in the water.

We are always very grateful for extra assistance offered by parents and carers, who are able to help during class swimming lessons. Please contact the office if you are DBS checked and can offer help on a regular basis next term.

Uniform Orders

If you wish to place a school order which requires pre-summer delivery FREE to school we ask that you order on or before 10th June.



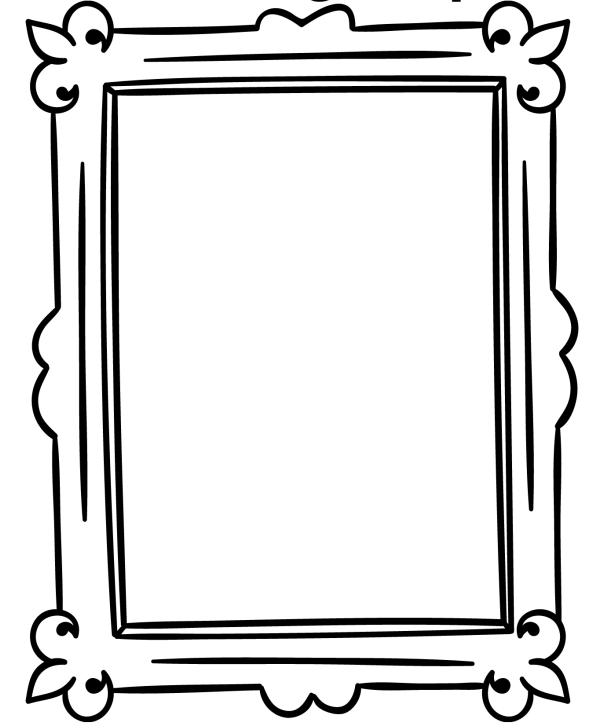
Children's Commissioner Family Review - Have your say

The Children's Commissioner is carrying out an independent review into family life and would love to hear from children and their families! She wants to know what you think about family and how you feel about family life - https://www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/OCC-family-review/ Please support this review so that our Government can really create an environment to help all families and communities thrive.

CHECK HERE NOW.... £££££ is your child eligible for Additional School Funding?

Upcoming	Events					
Mon 23 rd – Weds	lon 23 rd – Weds 25 th May		Year 4 & 5 Residential Visit			
Thurs 26 th & Fri 27 th		SCHOOL CLOSED FOR STAFF TRAINING				
Mon 30 th May – Fri 3 rd June		HALF TERM				
Mon 6 th June – Friday 10 th June		Y1 Phonics Screening				
Wednesday 8 th June		Year 5& 6 Cricket Competition -				
Monday 13 th June		Whole school Stand up to Bullying Week				
Tues 21 st June		Year 4 Mini-Olympics				
Thurs 23 rd June		Puffin and Yrs 1 & 2 Zoo Visit				
Friday 1 st July		Whole school Sports Day!				
Headteacher's Award Congratulations You have been chosen for this Award for		Sports Award Congratulations You have been awarded our Sports Award for WRITER Way have been awarded our Sports Award for Interpretable hour requested have been awarded our sports Award for Award have been awarded our sports Award for the formation of the formation our sports Award for the formation of the formation our sports Award for the formation of the formation of the formation our sports Award for the formation of th		tulations		
Betsy M	Bobby K	Riley B	Clara W	Phoebe H	McKenzie B	
Jacob F	Kite Class	Maya E	Amelia B	George T	Olly T	
Rupert G-P	Cameron M	Tegan L	Edward D	Wren Class	Kara H	

Jubilee Drawing Competition



Draw/paint/collage a picture of the Queen.

Prizes for each age category: 0-5 years, 6-9 years, 10+ years

Drop your entry off at 19 Elin Way, Meldreth by 28th May.

Entries will be displayed in the Village Hall Sunday 5th June 2pm-6pm

Winners will be announced at The Big Jubilee Lunch at 2pm

Childs Name:	Age:	
Parent Contact Number		

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There will be three prizes for Foundation and Key Stage 1 and three more for Key Stage 2

The Mary Course Challenge was established in 2008 following Mary's Death. Mary was a well known member of our community, holding the role of Local District Councillor for over 20 years and a huge advocate of our village.

Children are annually invited to take part in a project that reflects her interests- the countryside, crafts, local history and the community.

Royston & villages **SEN** parents group

LEGO CLUB

FOR CHILDREN WITH ADDITIONAL NEEDS AND THEIR FAMILIES

1ST SATURDAY EVERY MONTH

2 - 4^{PM} - COOMBS COMMUNITY CENTRE BURNS ROAD, ROYSTON, SG8 5PT TO BOOK, EMAIL RANDVLEGOCLUB@GMAIL.COM