



Safeguarding Hotspot
We are a nut free school



Just a reminder that we are a nut free school - we have a number of pupils in the school who have nut allergies, some of which are severe and could be life threatening. Please do not send children into school with nuts or any item containing nuts, including cereal bars, chocolate spread and peanut butter etc.

A message from Surrey County Council - advance warning pavement works

There will be pavement works down Station Crescent, from Monday 10th May 2021 for approx. 8 months. Please look for any advance warning signs on site for any date changes or check one.network and @SpelthorneJC on Twitter and Facebook.

School meal cost increase

With effect from September 2021 the cost of a school meal will

increase to £2.45 for years 3 - 6.

Year 5 Local Visit

Throughout the day last Wednesday, we visited a local allotment to support our learning on our ILP Allotment.



Composting



We didn't like the smell at all!

Sarah (Estelle's Mum in Swift Class) very kindly showed us around the site and shared her knowledge on composting and what had been planted so far in the different plots on the allotment.

Sarah showed us her plot and we saw the rhubarb that was growing there,

smelt some of the herbs that she uses in her cooking and asked a lot of questions.



The allotment



The Water Pump!

Thank you Sarah for giving up your time to provide us with a great experience. We are looking forward to visiting again to see how the plots have changed.



Exploring the site

Maya – "I liked seeing the u-shaped apple trees that were in Estelle's garden."



Sarah and Estelle's plot

Nathan – "I liked going around and looking at the plants. Some of them were labelled so it made it easier to see what they were."

Josh – "I liked seeing Estelle's plot because she let us smell the herbs she grew there."



A date for your diary!

On Wednesday 19th May we will be welcoming back Marilyn Hawes, Founder and CEO of Freedom from Abuse, to further educate children in years 3 to 6 about how to keep themselves safe both on and off-line.

Marilyn is passionate about keeping children safe and delivers the most up-to-date research

on how to do so. Marilyn was awarded "The Most Inspirational Woman of 2017" for the work she has done in educating schools, parents and children.

Workshops for children will be delivered during the day.

Staff will have training from 3.30 pm and we are inviting all parents (not children) to attend an information sharing session from 5.30 to 6.30 pm via Teams. The content is mainly appropriate for children in Year 3 and beyond but the session is open to all parents in the school. All sessions will be delivered via Teams.

[Please click here to join the meeting on 19th May at 5.30pm](#)

Achievement

Pobble

The class Pobble authors for this week are:

Isla C, Evie W, Jayda D, Navjot T, Ruby M, Daisy P, Ryan T, Balbina B, Reece R, Lauren W, Khaliq B, Frankie P, Augustas J and Georgia S.

MAC – Making Attendance Count

Whole School Attendance 96%

Congratulations to the Top Ted winners last week being Mole Class with 98.9%.

Congratulations to the joint Top Dog winners being Robin Class and Heron Class with 99%. Fantastic!

Certificates

Well done to the following children who have received certificates this week:

Arham K, Kaiden P-G, Ivan S, Lena R, Sophie B, Jayda D, Dean K, Maggie S, Tomas D, Perry P, Lorne F, Max M, Eden B, Dexter A, Deizi B, Bobby C, Kenzie R, Vivan S, Sapphire K, Zaroon Z, Jodie G, Eshal I, Eoife H, Jack C, Adam D, Michael D, Karina B, Lillie B, Eadey S, Ahmad M, Liam F, Tilly B, Estelle M, Emily H, Ruby K, Bella H, Priya R, Harshita G, Michael O, Samuel L, Tyler S, Freya O, Shanjeet K, Amelia S and Koko D.

Dates to remember

INSET Days 2020/21

21st July 2020

May

10th, 17th & 24th

Woodpecker & Robin Class Dance Detectives Sessions