

# Newsletter 27th June 2024



## Message from Mrs Crocker

I'm not sure if every newsletter I've written this year has started off with a reference to the weather! It seems to have been so dominating this year – however, I was going to say, how wonderful it has been for the last week a bit, to have some fine, warm weather! It has been glorious being up on the field more and (as it's not been too sunny) really being able to enjoy our outdoor space (without being freezing cold!).

One of those occasions was last Wednesday with the fabulous Highland Games! Thank you to everyone who was able to come along and support this. It was a great lunch and afternoon and all the children appeared to have a great time. I only got a little nervous at one point – although this was when the parents were getting very serious with the adult tug of war! Luckily, no injuries were sustained (that I was aware of any way!).

There is still plenty going on before the end of term to keep us busy. The Bay to Hay (today!) is currently taking place, and it's great how many children (and adults!) are taking part this year. Clearly the 'prize' of a Shepherd's ice cream is worth the pain/enjoyment of the challenge!

Tempest practise is also well under way. Hearing the children singing the songs around school is brilliant and hopefully you'll be able to come along and watch the performance in a couple of weeks.

Please still keep an eye on the calendar on the website for any future dates coming up.

Hope you all have a lovely weekend!

Louise Crocker

Headteacher

## Preschool News

On our daily walks there has been lots of searching for insects such as caterpillars, damsel flies and ladybirds much to their excitement! We are so fortunate to have the beautiful verges on the track full of wildflowers which we encourage the children to name. This week we have all enjoyed the warm sunshine with feet painting( or body painting) on the field, a picnic lunch in the Spinney and a very wet slip slide set up on the playing field!

We have welcomed new families and their children have settled happily into preschool.

Thank you very much to Danny (Emrys's Daddy) who has kindly erected some wooden poles to attach our sun sail to; we have been delighted that each child has had a sun hat and suncream in their bag this week, please can wellies remain in school until end of term, we still love a paddle in the stream!

Important dates for your diaries!

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July Welly Walk

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July. Celebration afternoon. 1.30pm until 2.45pm in the hall next to school.

Please could parents arrive promptly at 1.30 pm it will be an interactive circus skills workshop led by Su who many of you know from a Wednesday. Parents will be invited to join their children within the workshop. There will be a break for cake and elderflower cordial all prepared by the children and a presentation to our team of ten who will be leaving preschool to start Reception in September.

Have a lovely weekend, hoping the sun will continue to shine,

Julie, Beth and Sophie

**Dates- All our upcoming events and important dates can be found on the calendar on our website.**

[Michaelchurch Escley Primary School - Calendar \(michaelchurchprimary.com\)](http://michaelchurchprimary.com)