Iver Village Junior School

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Weekly Bulletin

9th July 2021

Brainiacs of the Week:

Browne	Megan and the rest of
	Browne
	Class!
Blake	Olivia and
	Ethan
Donaldson	Caitlan,
	Alicia,
	Cameron
	and Sophie
Dahl	Austeja and
	Callum
Morpurgo	Myles and
	Stanley
Kipling	Kaelynne
	and Julia
Rowling	Liam and Zac
Rosen	Matthew
	and Tyler

This Week in School...

Year 3 – have been enjoying writing a set of instructions on how to build a den for Gregory Cool. They have included many features of instructional writing such as imperative verbs and time prepositions. In Maths, they have been working on solving mathematical problems involving volume and capacity. The children have had a great week despite the weather, they were also able to complete their sports day activities! Year 4 – have been delighted to be back at school! They have loved seeing each other's smiling faces again! In English, they finished writing the narrative that they started during online and home learning. They have also started to create their own script, which they are going to turn into a movie of their very own over the next 2 weeks, Hollywood here we come! In Maths, they have started learning about co-ordinates and have really enjoyed mixing maths skills with map skills. In Science, they have started the exciting topic of electricity! They have learnt what electricity is and about complete and incomplete circuits.

Year 5 – have had another busy week! They have written poems about an animal of their choice, using any poetry style they would like. Some have chosen rhyming couplets, some non-rhyming and others have tried other poetry forms. The children have really enjoyed having the freedom to produce their work in different ways. In Maths, they have been converting different units; converted kg and km, mm and km and units of time. They have really enjoyed the Art topic on Van Gogh. They have learnt how to use sketching pencils and created their own interpretations of Van Gogh's Sunflower using pastels.

Year 6 – have been working incredibly hard as they have been filming their end of year production, *Pirates of the Curry Bean*. Everyone has been so impressed with how patient they have been whilst we are having to re-take scenes and by how hard they have all clearly worked on their part of the production (whether it is acting or one of the behind-the-scenes jobs). Thank you Year 6!

The children also had an enjoyable Sports Day and showed great sportsmanship - they even managed to choose the one day of the week where there was hardly any rain!

Sportiacs of the Week:

Monday Start Time Changes

Many of us will be very excited for Sunday night, with England in the finals of the Euros. We understand many of our pupils will be staying up very late to watch so we have decided to offer a later start for pupils.

School will still open for Breakfast Club and classes start at 8.40/8.50am as normal

however children arriving up until 10.30am will not be marked as late.

We would rather the children come in to school awake and ready to learn rather than too tired!

It's been 55 years since England reached a major final so this is a great opportunity for them to watch and talk about pride, resilience and the possibility of disappointment.

Come on England!

End Of Term

Reminder: We will be finishing on Friday 16th July for the end of term at 1pm (for Years 3&6) and 1.10pm (for Years 4&5)

Transition Day

Children got to meet their new teachers for next year!
Teachers popped into classes this afternoon to introduce themselves to their new classes and get to know the children a little better before September.
Children should also be coming home with a slip with details of their new teacher.

Our office email is office@ivjs.school

School Pledge: 'I pledge to do all that I can, so that we can all learn and be happy at school.'



Date	Event
	End Of School
16 th	Year,
Jul	1pm/1.10pm
	Finish
17 th Jul -1 st Sept	
SUMMER HOLIDAY	
and	First Day Of

New School

Sept

P4C - Question of the Week Is a human life more valuable than an animal's life?

Ivertastics! Well done to; Zoe, Jason, Guransh, Lee, Cameron and Dhiya.

<u>Letters/Blogs out this</u> <u>week:</u>

Club Changes In September

Monday Changes

Copies of school letters are available on our website www.ivervillagejun.bucks.sch.uk

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Don't forget we are a <u>NUT FREE</u> school as we have children who have allergies! (let's leave them for the squirrels)

<u>Childcare in</u> September 2021

From September 2021,
Energy Kidz will be providing
our wraparound childcare.
The club will be held on our
school site and offer places
to children from both the
Infant and Junior schools.
This means that extended
hours are offered. All
bookings and payments will
be made directly through
Energy Kidz.

For the full information, please click here.

Softball at IVJS

During the summer term, Blake and Morpurgo classes have been busy learning Softball in their PE lessons run by the amazing Alyson! The children have loved trying something new during their PE lessons. It has been so much fun for the children and Miss Short and Mr Hawkes who have been joining in every time too! We hope to have Alyson back in September to do some more sessions with other classes!



Sports Day(s) 2021

This week has been Sports Day(s) where the children have been competing within their bubbles. They have all competed for their houses in a mixture of sports during the morning and then some traditional school races in the afternoon! This has been planned around the ever changing and unpredictable weather. It has been lovely to watch the children compete again, especially after the difficult year we have all had.

Sports 'Day' 2021 winners are: Ealing - Well done!

1st – Ealing, 2nd – Pinewood, 3rd Shepperton and 4th - Elstree
Congratulations to Pinewood who were crowned Sports Champions 2021, this
combines scores for sports day and several other inter-house events run over the year.
Well done to all children who have competed so brilliantly!

