

Just To Let You Know...

Friday 18th June
Year 5 - Week 10



Kensuke's Kingdom

Kensuke loves the animals on his island. He is passionate about the orangutans and the gibbons. When poachers come to steal his animals away he is horrified. This week we gave the children an endangered animal to research, including orangutans. The children have started to create their own campaign designed around raising awareness of the plights of their animals. Their campaigns will have a speech, a leaflet and a poster.

Dear Parents,

The weeks keep flying past, we can't believe there are only 4 weeks left! We are still making the most of every moment and have had a great time this week discovering environmental issues facing our planet. The children couldn't believe the number of plastic bags in circulation, it's in the trillions! Next week is super busy with trips and sports days so please make sure you know what is going on and when.

Love, Nick, Catherine and Laura x

Maths

Multiplication and division have been on the menu this week. The children have done really well, but it has highlighted just how important it is that all the children know their tables. It is a great thing to practise on the way to school or on long car journeys!

Sports Day!

Sports Day is on Tuesday the 26th June. This year it's slightly different. Year 3 and 4 will run their races from 11-12. Years 5 and 6 will run their races from 1:15-2:15. Year groups will then meet together for the relays and tug-o-war at 2:15. If you have any questions please contact Nick (nickw@htpd.surrey.sch.uk). Children need to come to school in their full school PE kit, including house t-shirt.

Dates for your diary

Midsummer Holiday: 25th June

Sports Day: 26th June

Visit to Friary Centre: 27th June (**5L 9-12pm**
and **5N 1-3pm**)

Visit to Friary Centre: 28th June (5C 9-12am)

Girls to Tormead: 28th June 2-4pm

Summer Fair: 29th June

Bugsy Malone: 29th June 12:30-4pm

Sunglasses day: 29th June all day

Church Service: 19th July

End of Term: 20th July (INSET DAY: 23rd July_

Please note the change of classes to the Friary Centre on Wednesday.

Homework

Have you ever had a look at the National Trust's '50 Things to do Before You're 11 and 3/4'? We'd love the children to try three of these this weekend.

Please find a copy of this on the back of the JTLYK.

Ways to share their experience with us:

Take a photo and email it in, write about it in a diary, print a photo, prepare a show and tell...

Get creative!



Remember to cheer on your sweepstake countries over the weekend!

Parent Helpers

We need parent helpers to help us walk children to various places next week:

- Friary Centre: 5L: Wednesday 27th am.
- 5N: Wednesday 27th pm.
- 5C: Thursday the 28th am.
- Tormead: 28th 1:30-4pm

If you are free to help us in any of the slots, please email us. Thank you!

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THINGS TO DO
BEFORE YOU'RE

11³/₄



Sign up online to get your own virtual explorer, plus top tips and extra secret challenges!

Adventurer

- 1. Climb a tree
- 2. Roll down a really big hill
- 3. Camp out in the wild
- 4. Build a den
- 5. Skim a stone
- 6. Run around in the rain
- 7. Fly a kite
- 8. Catch a fish with a net
- 9. Eat an apple straight from a tree
- 10. Play conkers

Discoverer

- 11. Go on a really long bike ride
- 12. Make a trail with sticks
- 13. Make a mud pie
- 14. Dam a stream
- 15. Play in the snow
- 16. Make a daisy chain
- 17. Set up a snail race
- 18. Create some wild art
- 19. Play pooh sticks
- 20. Jump over waves

Ranger

- 21. Pick blackberries growing in the wild
- 22. Explore inside a tree
- 23. Visit a farm
- 24. Go on a walk barefoot
- 25. Make a grass trumpet
- 26. Hunt for fossils and bones
- 27. Go star gazing
- 28. Climb a huge hill
- 29. Explore a cave
- 30. Hold a scary beast
- 31. Hunt for bugs
- 32. Find some frogspawn
- 33. Catch a falling leaf
- 34. Track wild animals

Tracker

- 35. Discover what's in a pond
- 36. Make a home for a wild animal
- 37. Check out the crazy creatures in a rockpool
- 38. Bring up a butterfly
- 39. Catch a crab
- 40. Go on a nature walk at night
- 41. Plant it, grow it, eat it
- 42. Go swimming in the sea
- 43. Build a raft
- 44. Go bird watching
- 45. Find your way with a map and compass
- 46. Try rock climbing
- 47. Cook on a campfire
- 48. Learn to ride a horse
- 49. Find a geocache
- 50. Canoe down a river

Explorer



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