

Head Teacher to Home — 27th May What has happened in school this week?

Welcome to our final newsletter of the term. I cannot believe we are already heading towards the last term of the academic year. It has been fantastic to be able to have the school open all year and finally get on with what is so important, delivering a World class education to all our pupils.

Today we had a momentous occasion, for the first time in over 2 years we were able to have a whole school celebration assembly and it was truly amazing. Seeing all the children from Lillington in one place, celebrating the achievements of others was so enjoyable and heart warming. The children at Lillington are truly special, something we are constantly told when out and about at community events. The feedback we get about how well mannered, kind and caring our children are is a regular occurrence. Yesterday some of our children, who attended the athletics event showed just how amazing the children are here. I know all the staff here are extremely proud of them all.

Have a fantastic half term break and we will see you all on Tuesday 7th June.



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Reception had a very lucky live draw along webinar with the author of this week's book "The Queen's Hat" by Steve Antony on Monday!





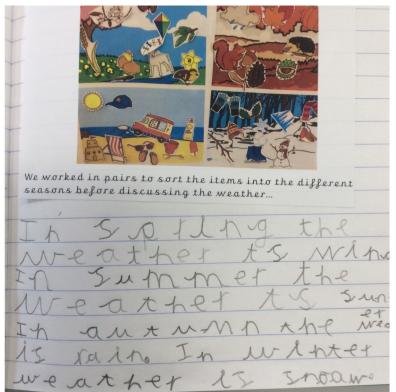
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In Peake Class, we have really enjoyed learning about the seasons. We used the internet to research different weather patterns and wrote about our findings. We also created some tree artwork based on the seasons.







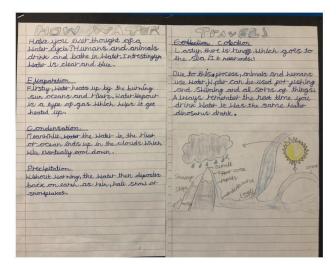








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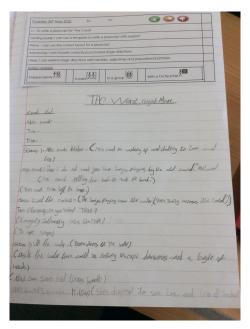
This week Drew finished off their Misty Mountain, Winding River topic. They wrote and published their explanation text all about the water cycle. After all their hard work, their explanations have turned out wonderfully!

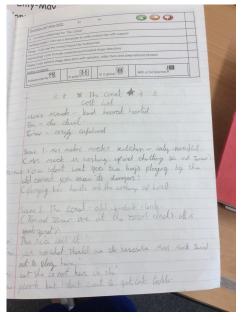
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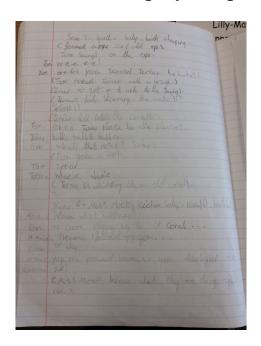


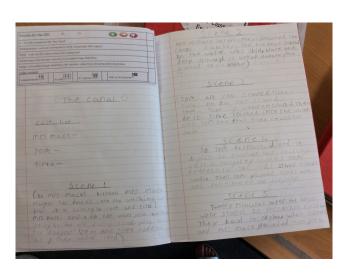
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Hopper have been learning about a brand new writing genre for the last two weeks- play scripts! The children immersed themselves in our class text 'The Canal' and have been able to change it into the form of a play script.











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To celebrate the end of our current maths unit, properties of shape, the children in Angelou explored both the creation and construction of a wide range of 3D nets and shapes, respectively. They showed great resilience and had great fun, particularly whilst attempting the icosahedron and dodecahedron!



























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Pankhurst have been busy creating some fantastic sketches of orca and polar bear this week. I'm sure you'll agree, they are a talented bunch.





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Children in King Class have been writing newspaper reports about Martin Luther King's death. Initially, they had to do some research into his death and the people who were there. They have written two drafts of their reports to make sure they're as good as they can be. Here are some examples...

#### Newsround

#### Dr. King Shot Dead!

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Martin Luther King, who was a civil rights leader, was shot dead on the balcony of the Lorraine Motel, Memphis, Tennessee. At around 6pm, a single shot was fired by an unknown assassin. Although it is not 100% certain, police think it is because Martin was trying to get black people rights.

Martin, who was about to lead a protest about workers' rights, was hit in the neck with a single bullet. Jesse Jackson (another well known protester) was with King when he got shot. He said, "He had just bent over. I reckon if he had been standing up he would not have been hit in the head."

Police are scanning the area for a well-dressed white male who was last seen in a blue car. He was seen by witnesses dropping a semi-automatic rifle as he left the crime scene.

There have been early sights of rioting as people respond to his death. Around 4,000 members of the National Guard have been sent to Memphis. President Johnson has delayed a trip to settle down the violence. He said, "I ask every citizen to rejet the blind violence."

Since King died his family, friends and the people who support him are in mourning. There is a chance that riots will come back because people are so angry. It is believed that this horrible death might help for rights for black people

#### Lillington News and Sports Martin Luther King Jr. Shot Dead

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Martin Luther King was shot by an unknown shooter, at the Lorraine Motel in Memphis, Tennessee just after 6 pm. Martin got killed by a single bullet that hit him in the neck and he died in hospital. Although it's only the start of the investigation, investigators believe that it had something to do with him trying to stop racism and his peaceful protests for equal rights.

King, who was determined to lead a protest against workers' rights, was on the balcony when he got shot in the neck once. Jesse Jackson, who was standing near Martin when he was killed said, "He had just bent down If he didn't stand up he possibly wouldn't have been killed." The bullet would have hit him in the stomach many of the investigators thought and it's easier to survive being shot in the stomach than the head.

Police Memphis are looking for a well-dressed white man who was seen by witnesses and got away in a blue car. The unknown suspect dropped his semi-automatic rifle as he successfully got away.

Friends, family, supporters and many others are devastated about Martin's death, 4,000 members of the national guard have been ordered to Memphis by the government to prevent loud, violent riots. President Johnson had postponed a flight to Hawaii to calm the violence down. Johnson asked the country, "I ask every person who lives in this area to reject the disgraceful violence that has taken King's life.'

Now that King has passed his family, friends and other civil rights leaders are in mourning. There is expected to be loud riots that will be in place because civil rights activists are furious. It is hoped his death might lead to better rights towards black people.



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#### Athletics







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#### **Athletics**







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# CELEBRATION



Congratulations to Darwin class who had the highest attendance in Key Stage 1 this week!





Congratulations to Hopper Class who had the highest attendance in Key Stage 2 this week!



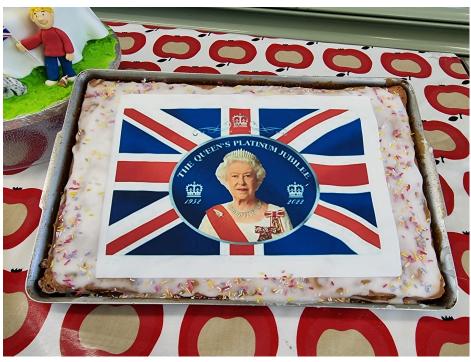




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A big thank you to Amanda, who works in our school kitchen, for making and donating these amazing Jubilee cakes!

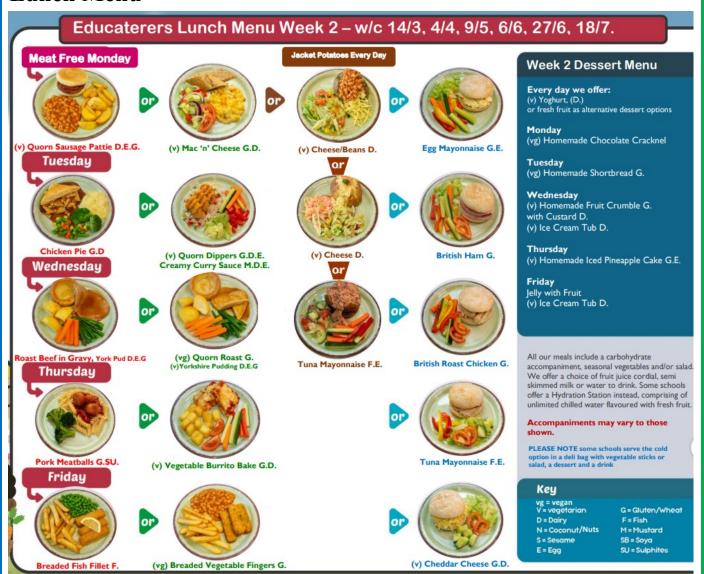






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#### **Lunch Menu**





## JOIN YOUR LOCAL PARENT CARER FORUM

Are you a parent or carer of a child or young person aged 0-25 with special educational needs and/or disability (SEND)?





## YOUR VIEWS AND EXPERIENCES MATTER

Warwickshire Parent Carer Voice is a **parent carer led organisation** working to ensure that every parent carer in Warwickshire feels that their views and experiences matter, and gets their voice heard to develop and improve services for children and young people with special educational needs and/ or SEND.

We welcome any parent carer who lives (or uses services) in Warwickshire, with a child or young person (aged 0-25) regardless of their disabilities (no diagnosis necessary) to join us.

Tell us your experiences | Fill in our surveys | Join our meetings Spread the word | Join us as a Member

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#### WARWICKSHIRE

PARENT CARER VOICE

## WHAT IS A PARENT CARER FORUM?

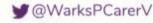
A parent carer forum is a group of parents and carers of disabled children. Their aim is to make sure the services in their area meet the needs of disabled children and their families. Warwickshire Parent Carer Voice is the recognised forum for Warwickshire. We are completely independent of Warwickshire County Council and the local health services.

#### WHAT DO PARENT CARER FORUMS DO?

We work with organisations that provide services for our families. We gather the views of local families and then work in partnership with local authorities, education settings, health providers and other providers to highlight where local services, processes and commissioners are working well, or challenge when changes or improvements need to be made.

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