



Summer Term 2019

Friday 17th May 2019

Glapthorn C. E. Primary School Fortnightly Newsletter Issue 2

Dear Parents/ Carers,

We are proud of all the children at Glapthorn, but this week, we are particularly proud of our Year 6! They tackled their SATS with confidence and maturity, and should be incredibly proud of all they have achieved. You are all superstars!

Red Kites recently took part in the 'Primary Maths Challenge' and all did amazingly well. Special congratulations to Rory and Lydia who were invited to take the 'extension paper' with two other children across the Rutland Learning Trust. Last week, Sam Asplin from the Trust came to present Lydia with a Bronze Award and Rory with a Silver Award, and announced that not only are they the top mathematicians across the whole of the Rutland Learning Trust, but that they are in the top 1% nationally, out of tens of thousands of children! Wow!

As I sit in my office on a Tuesday afternoon, I am serenaded by Red Kites' samba drumming! Every other year, our Years 5 and 6 work with a specialist musician from the Northamptonshire Music and Performing Arts Trust. They have been working really hard on some tricky drum patterns, and we are all looking forward to seeing the final result in a concert later in the term.

Our Year 3 and 4 hockey team did brilliantly in the cluster tournament this week, and came second! Well done to all involved!

Glapthorn has been shortlisted in the 'Best Village Competition' and today judges came to speak to some of our children to find out about our amazing school and how involved we are with our local community. They were very impressed with how well the children answered their questions, and how proud they are of their school.

Our fabulous May Fete takes place this Saturday, 18th May, and begins with may dancing at 1pm. **Please ensure all children arrive at school by 12.45pm** on the day, wearing smart dress. This year, the theme is 'Around the World' and we are all looking forward to a variety of stalls and games throughout the afternoon.

Looking ahead, we break up for the half term break next Friday, 24th May (where did that term go?!) and return to school on Monday, 3rd June. Red Kites are off to Ilam Hall on Wednesday 5th to Friday 7th June for a jam-packed adventure residential. Please note: There will be no swimming on the first Monday back after half term as we have visitors from the NSPCC in school.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs. Lou Coulthard, Executive Head

Week beginning 20th May		
Monday 20th	Yrs 1,2,3,4 Swimming Running Club Board Games Club	
Tuesday 21st	Lego Club Signing Club School Council	Gardening Club
Wednesday 22nd	NO Family Circuit Training Yr. 1 Athletics - Corby Stadium Brass & Strings Tuition NG Cricket Coaching Eco Club	Latin Club Premier Basketball
Thursday 23rd	Library Club	
Friday 24th	Woodwind Tuition French Club Break up for half term	Football
Week beginning 27th May (Half Term)		
Week beginning 3rd June		
Monday 3rd	NSPCC Assembly & Workshop NO Swimming Running Club Board Games Club	
Tuesday 4th	Lego Club Signing Club School Council	Gardening Club
Wednesday 5th	8.15 Family Circuit Training Red Kites to Ilam Brass & Strings Tuition NG Cricket Coaching Eco Club	Latin Club Premier Basketball
Thursday 6th	Library Club	
Friday 7th	Woodwind Tuition French Club	Football

GLAPTHORN MAY FETE : Saturday 18th May

Children to be at School by 12.45pm please, wearing smart dress and ready to start the maypole dancing at 1.00pm

18th May	Glaphorn May Fete
24th May	Break up for half term
3rd June	Children return to school after half term
5th-7th June	Red Kites Residential
10 July	Sports Evening 6pm

Upcoming Robinson's Collection Date

Please bag up any clean unwanted clothing, shoes, bedsheets, curtains, material of any sort, etc., and leave under the tree inside the school car park gate by 9am on

Monday 8th July 2019

This is such a worthwhile fundraiser! As well as de-cluttering your house, it raises fantastic funds for the School with little effort required from FOGS or School!

You have raised:-

September 2017-August 2018 - £775

September 2018-present day - £390 (which doesn't take into account the large collection from last Monday)

Brilliant! Thank you!

CHATTABOX HOLIDAY CLUB, OUNDLE

12th - 16th August

www.chattaboxoundle.co.uk

Calling all online shoppers!

Please go to www.easyfundraising.org.uk and follow the simple signing up process to raise funds for Glaphorn CE Primary School, every time you shop online! This is an easy way to raise important funds for our school, so please sign up today!