

FRIDAY LETTER

Friday 23rd April 2010

Welcome Back to school!
What a beautiful start to the Summer Term with all this sunshine and warm weather! We hope everyone has had a relaxing and fun-filled fortnight and prepared for what seems like a busy half term. There is a lot happening in and around school at the moment. We will aim to keep you informed with as much as possible in the Friday Letter.

HAPPY ST. GEORGE'S DAY

St. George is the patron saint of England. His emblem, a red cross on a white background, is the flag of England, and part of the British flag.



We would like to give a warm welcome back Miss Wharton. Miss Wharton returns to her year 1 class after being on maternity leave. Miss Grainger has now taken over the year 3 class in Miss Hoey's absence.

YEAR 5—Cycle Awareness



Reminder to year 5 parents that their child must bring their cycles to school next week in order to take part in the right track cycle awareness programme. Please ensure that you have returned the consent form to school. Forms **MUST** be completed in order for your child to participate.

School Closure - Elections

We would like to give parents and carers advanced notice of a school closure. The school hall will be used as a polling station for the general election on Thursday 6th May 2010 so therefore we must close the school to children. Members of staff will use the closure as a training day. We will be open as normal for all children on Friday 7th May 2010.



Star attendees of the week —
Year
Well done year for achieving

LUNCH ARRANGEMENTS

Can we remind parents/carers to come to the school office if you wish your child to change from packed lunch to school dinners or vice versa. Please do not assume that there will be a meal available for your child if you do not inform us. All school meals are pre ordered with the school cook.



Beware check your hair for headlice!

We have noticed a few unwelcome visitors in children's hair since we have returned to school. Remember to part and check your child's hair on a regular basis in order to stop an infestation which can become very unpleasant for any child. Ideally children should tie their hair back while in school. Headlice can be eradicated overnight with the correct treatment so therefore children should not miss school. If you need any more advice please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Birthday Celebrations!

The following children celebrate a birthday this week. Happy Birthday to Owen H. Ashton R. Ryan T. George S. and Hannah T.



Dates to Remember

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| 24th April 2010 | Year 5 -Right track cycle awareness programme. All week |
| 27th April 2010 | Reception visit to Rainton Meadows |
| 27th April 2010 | Support Centre visit to Tennis World - Tennis Competition |
| 3rd May 2010 | School Closed — May Day Bank Holiday |
| 6th May 2010 | School Closed — General Election |

Teacher's Special Certificates

Achievements of the week

Congratulations to the following children who received special certificates in assembly today.

Well done and keep up the good work!

Reception	Issac D.	Drawing a plan of a house, making it using bricks and writing a list of all the things you need.
Year 1	Yasmine H.	A fantastic attitude to learning and very impressive big writing.
Year 2	Jordan J.	Writing about a space robot
Year 3	Whole Class	Working so hard this week and impressing their teacher.
Year 4	Owen H.	Always trying his best in every lesson.
Year 5	Emma-Louise B.	Super speaking and presentation skills in class assembly.

