



World Class School 2021



Feelgood Friday Newsletter

6th May
2022

UNLOCKING  POTENTIAL

LEARNING

OPPORTUNITY

COMMUNITY

PERSONAL
BEST

LEADERSHIP

From the Headteacher's Office...

Dear parents and carers,

We hope all our families enjoyed the long May Day Bank Holiday weekend. The children have packed in a lot of great learning in this shorter week!

Next week sees our Year 6 children sit their Standard Assessment Tests (SATs) in reading, spelling, punctuation, grammar and maths. The children have worked so hard to prepare for the tests and we know they will put 100% effort into being their best. The tests have not taken place for 2 years due to Covid 19 pandemic. Teachers and tutors have worked so hard in school and after school to help children 'catch up' and close gaps in knowledge and understanding following all the disruption of Covid. The test papers are collected by a courier and marked externally. School will receive the results in July.

Note to parents of Year 6 pupils – please make sure children get to bed early next week so they are fresh and energetic every day! There will be a special Y6 breakfast served at 8:30 each morning - please make sure children are in school on time. If there are any issues during the week that might affect attendance or a child sitting a test, please let the school office know as a matter of urgency by phone or email. Thank you to all parents of Y6 Eagles for your support with this.

As it was Star Wars Day on Wednesday... Year 6, next week – **may the force be with you!**

Best wishes, Mrs Bowyer (Head of School) and Mr Fry (Executive Headteacher)





Dates for your diary

MAY

Week beginning 9th May – SATs week
Week beginning 23rd May – Healthy Week
(including Jubilee Sports Events)

May Half term – 30th May – 3rd June

JUNE

Monday 6th June – School re-opens

Assembly dates

Parents are invited to join us for their child's assembly. A Microsoft Teams invite will be emailed to you before 11am on the day.

Friday 13th May – Year 5

Friday 20th May – Year 6

If you join us for the assembly virtually, please remember to set your microphone to mute and only join if it is safe to do so (not whilst driving).

Thank you.

Changes to menu 18th/19th/20th May

Wednesday 18th May

Blue option – roast pork with veggies & roast potatoes

Yellow option – quorn fillet with veggies & roast potatoes

Green option – tuna & cucumber baguette

Thursday 19th May
Special SONIC menu!
(see right)

Friday 20th May

Blue option – beef burger in a roll

Yellow option – quorn burger in a roll

Green option – Jacket potato with baked beans

Special Sonic Menu Thursday 19th May



Blue option – Sonic's chicken nuggets



Yellow option – Shadow's quorn dippers

Both served with Tails chips



Dessert – Dr Robotnik's rocket lolly



PLEASE NOTE
There will not be a third lunch option on this day.
All recorded dietary requirements will be catered for.



Please check the newsletter for menu changes that week.

Pupil details

It is essential that we have up-to-date records for every child in school, particularly home address, email and mobile phone numbers. If you have moved or changed phone numbers, please email office@rps.pkat.co.uk

Thank you



Injuries (outside of school)

If your child has an injury, such as a broken bone, please do let us know as soon as possible – email office@rps.pkat.co.uk

We will need to put a care plan in place before they return to school.

Thank you

Illness/Other Absences

If your child is ill, please call the school office on 01733 263342 and select option 1 to leave a message (the absence line is available 24/7) or email office@rps.pkat.co.uk

Thank you

Free School Meals

Applying for free school meals is quick and simple to do using the online application form below www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals and select "no" when asked if you have previously claimed.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Medication

If your child requires prescribed medication during the school day, you must complete a medication form, link below

<https://forms.office.com/r/cfRXYcrknQ>

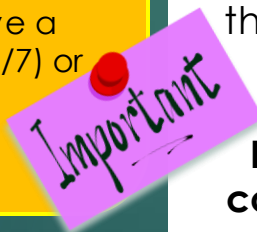


Drop off/Collection

If you travel to school by car, please make sure you are driving & parking safely. Children & babies must be in appropriate car seats for their age/weight/height - this is the law.

If you are going to be late collecting your child, please contact Little Tigers on 01733 330630 to book a space at their afterschool club. We do not offer this.

Thank you



Attendance

We aim for 100% attendance every day. It is said that good attendance = best achievement: it's not just about learning in lessons, but all the interaction with other children and teachers which can give confidence and self-understanding as they grow. We are sure we can count on the support of all our parents and carers to ensure children are in school, on time, every day. Please see the letter about attendance for more information and please contact the school office if you have any questions.

Attendance from 19th – 22nd April 2022:

Class	Attendance %	Class	Attendance %
Barn Owls	89.63%	Snowy Owls	91.2%
Yellowbill Kites	88%	Red Kites	83.46%
Sparrowhawks	96.67%	Goshawks	91.72%
Golden Kestrels	94%	Spotted Kestrels	97.14%
Western Ospreys	97.41%	Eastern Ospreys	86.79%
Peregrine Falcons	92.07%	Merlin Falcons	92.8%
Sea Eagles	97.86%	Martial Eagles	98.46%

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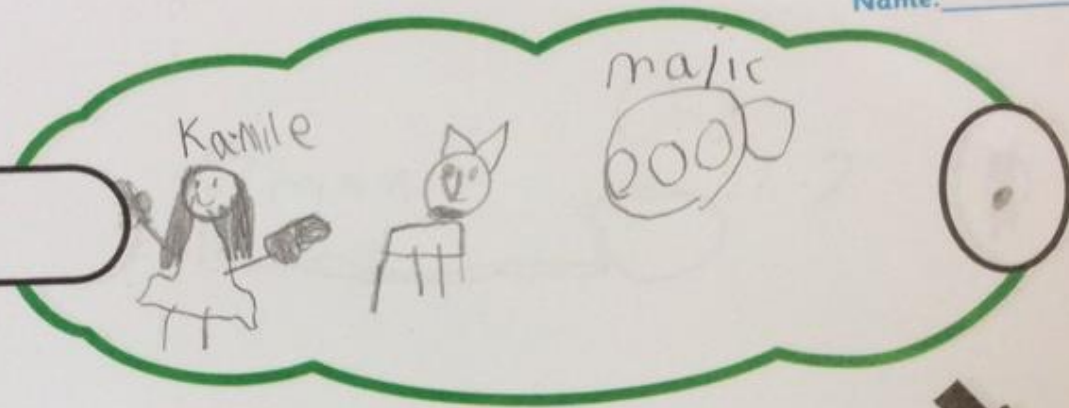


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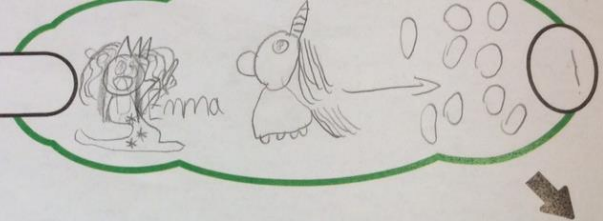
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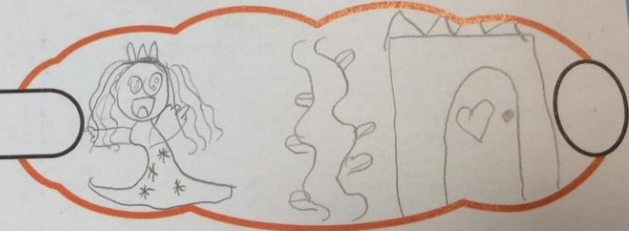
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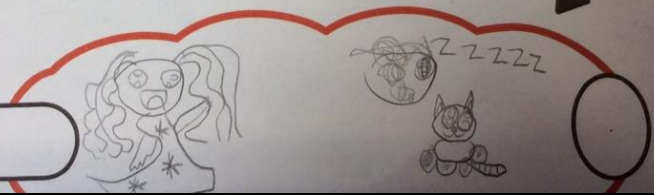
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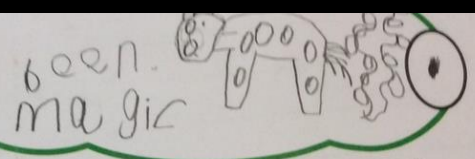
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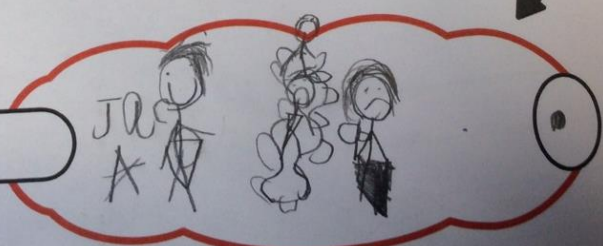
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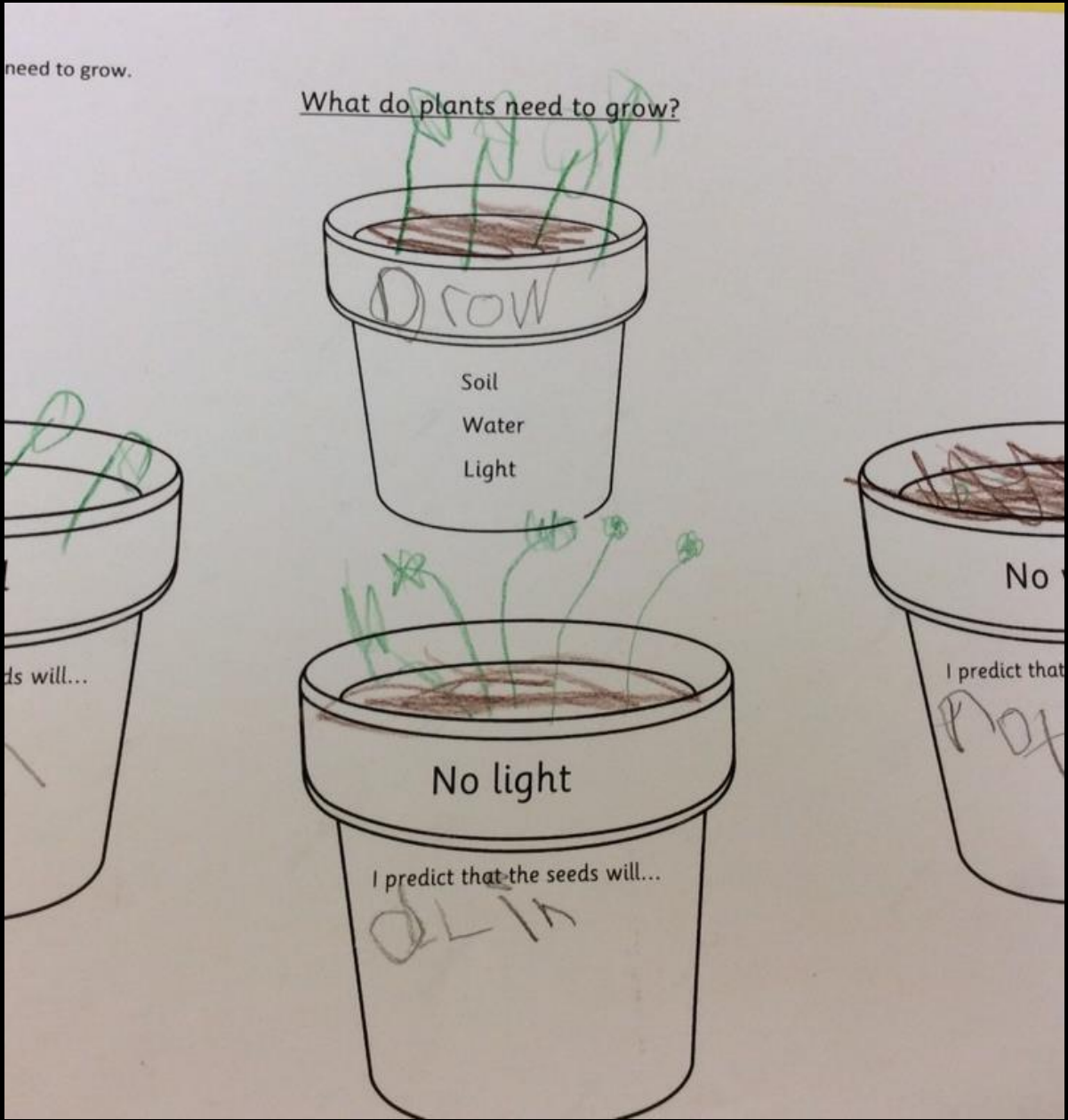
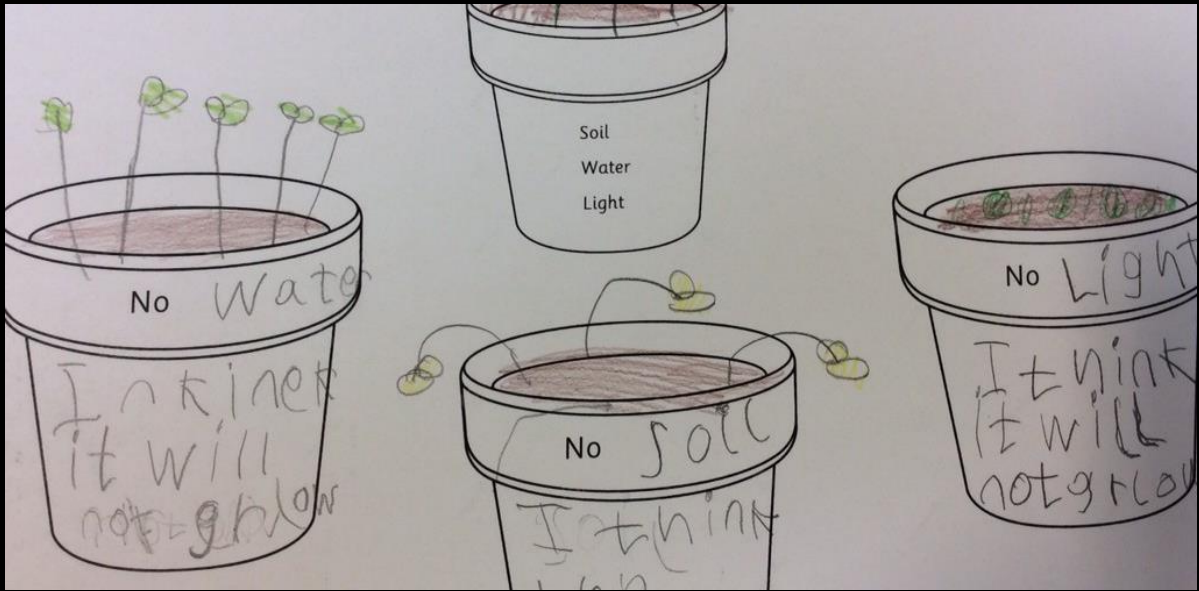
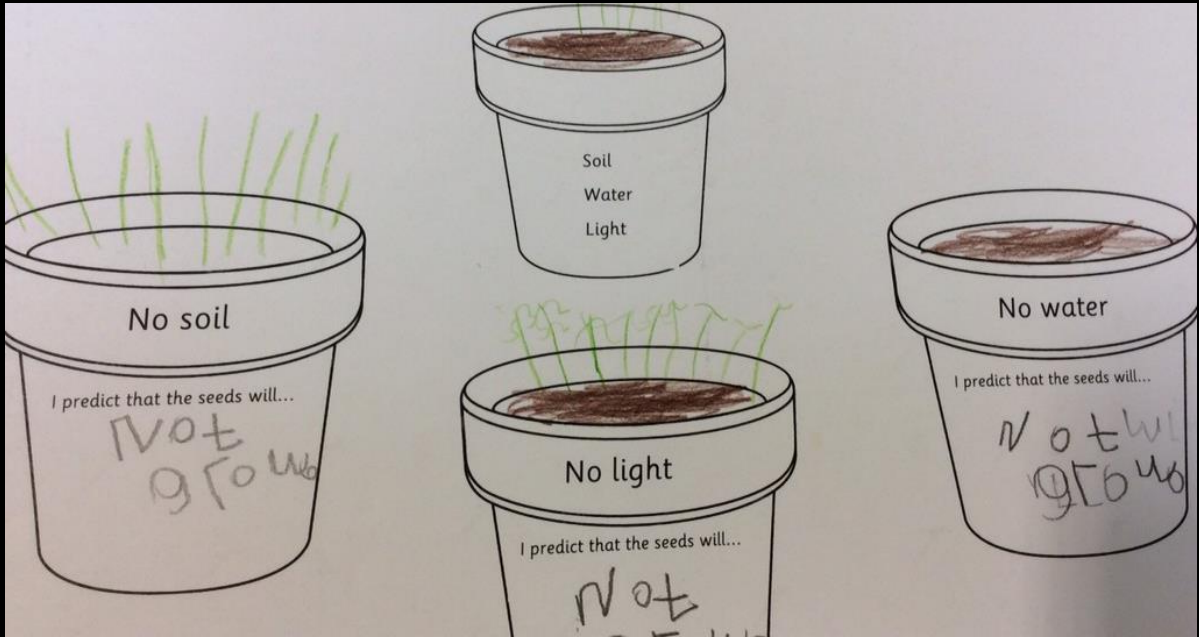
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Our Champions of the week.



Celebrating our best!





High
Performance
Learning

VAA's

Values Attitudes and Attributes

Hard Working



Hard Working

This VAA includes the skills of **Practice**, **Perseverance** and **Resilience**. Our KS1 children will recognise the **Practice Parrot**; the **Perseverance Penguin** and the **Resilience Raccoon**.

Our KS2 literary character is **Dorothy** from The Wizard of Oz by Frank Baum. In the story **Dorothy** is whisked away by a "Twister" (American slang for tornado) and lands in the magical land of Oz. Here she tries to find her way back to Kansas with the help of friends she meets and the wizard. She also has to avoid the wicked witch who has sworn to kill her. **Dorothy** shows **practice** when learning new skills, **perseverance** to keep going after set backs and challenges and **resilience** to overcome the difficulties put in her way.



Dorothy



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Values Attitudes and Attributes



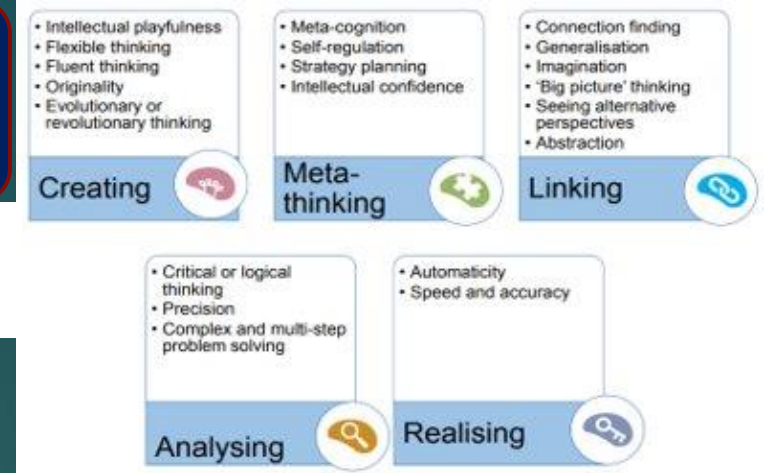
Hard Working

Hard Working – school based examples

- Practice
 - Learning tables or spellings to recall instantly
 - Practicing a sports move or routine
 - Learning to play an instrument
- Perseverance
 - Not giving up when you've made mistakes
 - Redrafting work to make it better
- Resilience
 - To be able to stay focused on task when others are not
 - To remain confident in your skills despite difficulties

Dorothy





These children have demonstrated the skills of ACPs & VAAs this week and are on the way to being High Performance Learners.



Barn Owls:
Yasmin

3 Spotted Kestrels:
Alivia

5 Merlin Falcons:
Stefana

Snowy Owls:
Gabrielle

3 Golden Kestrels:
Abbie



1 Yellowbill Kites:
Maria

2 Sparrowhawks:
Tinnaya

4 Eastern Ospreys:
Stephen

5 Peregrine Falcons:
Marianna

6 Sea Eagles:
Brendon

1 Red Kites:
Whitney

2 Goshawks:
Erik

4 Western Ospreys:
Amelie

6 Martial Eagles:
Migle



PERSONAL
BEST



Achievements and success
inside AND outside of school.



Well done – we are very proud of you!



Harley, in year 3, had a go at tie-dye
over the Easter holidays. The two t-
shirts he did look excellent!

Well done!

Sophie in the Goshawks
class achieved her 1st
class star award in dance
lessons recently.
Well done!



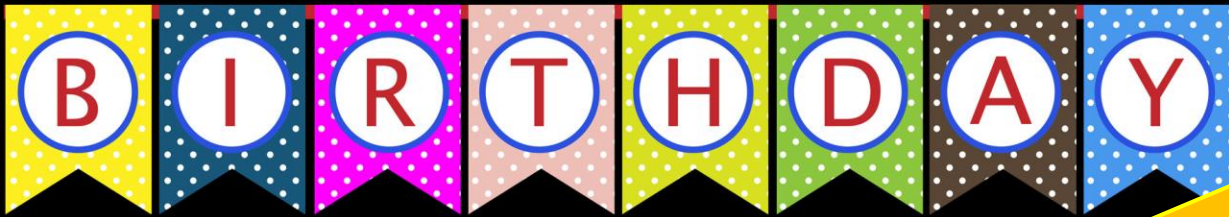
ELIZABETH BOARDMAN
SCHOOL OF DANCE



Reminder

If your child achieves a 'Personal Best' out of school, please
email in to office@rps.pkat.co.uk so we can share their
wonderful achievements.

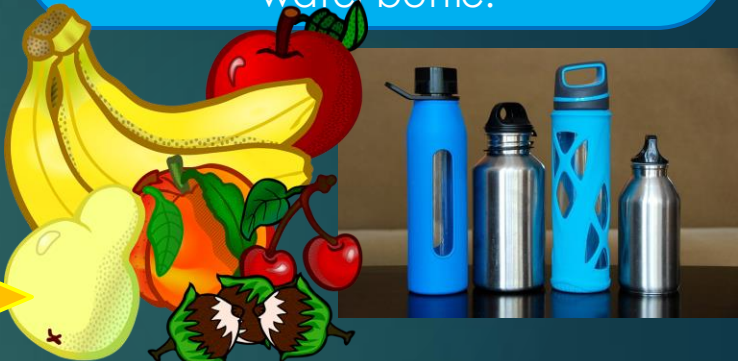
Birthdays this week



Healthy snacks & water bottles

Children can bring in a healthy snack to have at break time. This **MUST NOT** be chocolate or nuts – we are a nut free school.

Children **must** bring in a named water bottle.



Josiah
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Isaiah
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LillyS
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Mercedes
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Talia
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Lacey
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Mason
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Keane
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Happy Birthday from everyone at Ravensthorpe!

Jubilee Sports Celebrations

You are cordially invited to join us for your child's sports celebration afternoon.

Monday 23rd May for years 5 & 6

Tuesday 24th May for years 3 & 4

Wednesday 25th May for years 1 & 2

Thursday 26th May for EYFS (Owls classes)

The playground gate will be open from 1:10pm – 1:30pm for entry, and not open again until 2:40pm to exit. We cannot admit anyone late. If you are joining us, please make sure you are dressed appropriately. You are welcome to bring drinks with you – no alcoholic or energy drinks. A reminder that you cannot smoke/vape anywhere on the school site, or bring any pets.

If you have any questions, please contact the school office –
office@rps.pkat.co.uk

