



St. Helena's Weekly Newsletter

Dear Families,

It feels like we have only just started back and we are off again but perhaps the "circuit break" is a good thing in the life of a pandemic! It does give us time to meet with our extended family and friends in the garden and to go shopping! It does mean we can enjoy Spring walks and perhaps even a daring paddle in the sea.

Talking of long walks, I was very proud of our Superhero children last Friday who each walked a kilometre, whilst balancing a red nose bean bag or ping pong ball on a wooden spoon. Well done everyone and we raised over £100 for Comic Relief.

We are taking another walk next week, our traditional silent pilgrimage to mark Holy Week. "Bubbles" of children will follow Rev. Sherine and the oldest Year 6 (carrying our large wooden cross) to the village green, where they will plant beautiful cowslips and primroses around the notice boards. This is our gift of new life and hopefulness for the community to enjoy for years to come.

I am full of hope for our children as we think about the message of Easter and the Summer term to come. We, in school, are doing everything we can to kindle their love of learning, thirst for knowledge and enthusiasm for first-hand experiences. You should have seen the Y5/6 being Vikings this week, the Y1/2s building muddy Motte and Baily castles, the Y3/4s creating giant human bodies and the YR celebrating worms! As for the Little Explorers, they cannot resist gingerbread men!

Einstein said "Imagination is more important than knowledge. For knowledge is limited, whereas imagination encircles the entire world."

Happy Easter.

Love Mrs B x

Contact me on sue.belton@st-helenascofe.lincs.sch.uk if you need to chat about your child settling back into school life.



**Thank you for your support on
Red Nose Day.
You raised £130.15 for Comic Relief.
Well Done!**

**Last Day of Term - Wednesday 31st March 2021
We are back on Monday 19th April 2021
Happy Holidays Everyone!**

After School Club

'To celebrate the love of reading'

Starting on Thursday 29th April, 2021 3:30-4:30pm Mrs Roberts will be running a weekly after school reading for pleasure club for the Year 5 children. They will also enjoy hot chocolate and cookies on the orchard!

This club is limited to 10 children so will be offered on a first come basis. If your child would like to attend please complete the consent form below and return to the school office.

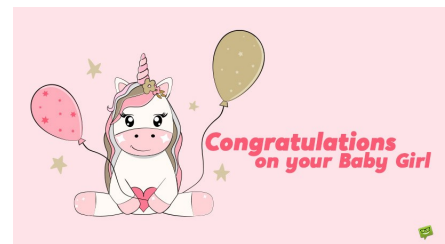
After School Reading For Pleasure Club

I/We consent to attending the reading for pleasure after school club.

Signed

Date

**Congratulations
Mr & Mrs Peck
on the birth of your little girl, Molly.**



Sunnyside Garden

As I walk around the garden this morning I can see the rhubarb is growing quickly and I shall soon be able to pick some. I have found a recipe which uses it together with white chocolate and cream. Do you think Mrs Belton would like this?

I planted cucumber, herb, flower seeds, peas and french beans last weekend. Lots of small pots and trays in the greenhouse. The cucumber seeds have already germinated and are on the kitchen windowsill as they like to be kept warm.

The onions had very long roots so I have planted them in the garden. Each one is protected from the birds by a branch of holly. This stops them being pulled out of the soil by the pigeons.

I hope we have good weather during the Easter holidays and you can get outside to play. Maybe you will be able to plant some seeds in your garden.

Happy Easter





Here are a few of the
silly socks in school
today.
Thank you for your
donations.

Happy Easter Everyone!



Term Dates 2020 - 2021

Term 4	Monday 22nd February 2021 To Wednesday 31st March 2021
Staff Training	Thursday 1st April 2021
Term 5	Monday 19th April 2021 To Friday 28th May 2021
Term 6	Monday 7th June 2021 To Wednesday 21st July 2021
Staff Training	Thursday 22nd July 2021