

## School News – Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2019

### Science Conference

On Friday Woodpeckers Class went to Uppingham School for a Science Conference. They had great fun listening to two inspirational speakers, as well as taking part in 3 workshops, taught by the Uppingham School Science teachers. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the activities, which ranged from creating chemical reactions to dissecting owl pellets!

It was a fantastic opportunity and we owe Mrs Goatley and Uppingham School a huge thank you for all their organisation!



**ALL CHILDREN MUST BRING A WATER BOTTLE TO SCHOOL THAT CAN BE REFILLED DURING THE DAY.**

Next week we have another clothes & shoe collection with Bag2School to raise funds for our school.

**Bag2School** is the UK's leading textile recycler and fundraiser working with schools and since its inception in 2001 it has now paid out over £32 million. As well as raising vitally needed funds for our school, it also helps the environment by helping to divert unwanted textiles away from landfill.

By getting involved in our **Bag2School** collection, you have an opportunity to sort through your cupboards and wardrobes and donate unwanted textiles in the bag provided – this can include adults' and children's clothes, shoes (tied together please), hats, belts, handbags and soft toys, (please refer to <http://uk.bag2school.com/> for full details). In addition to raising much needed funds it will also raise awareness amongst the children of the benefits of recycling and reuse.

If you fill the donation bag and still have more then you can use any other bag to donate your items and don't forget to ask grandparents, friends and neighbours to have a sort out as well!

**Bag2School** will be collecting on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July so please bring your bag (or bags!) to school and help us have a really good collection.





Thank you to everyone who helped with the Summer Fair, those that planned the event, set up the stalls, helped out on the day, cleared up the school afterwards and those that came and spent their money! Together we raised an amazing £1624.32

<b>Term 6 Diary Dates</b> * new dates added*	
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	<p><b>*Transition Day*</b> – we welcome our new Squirrels Class to school and everyone will move up for the day to their new classes to spend the day with their new teachers.</p> <p>Please line up as usual on the playground and teachers will come and collect their new class. At pick up time please wait in your usual spot, except Badgers Class, who will need to wait by the bike shelter instead of the playground.</p> <p>At 3.35pm teachers will be in their classrooms if you wish to pop in with your child and say hello.</p>
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> July am	Please drop off your Bags2School as they are being collected.
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> July	<p><b>Sport's Day</b></p> <p>We will try our very best to stick to the plan below but please note all timings are weather dependant and subject to change!</p> <p>10 am Squirrels, Hedgehogs and Badgers Events            12 pm Whole school and parents picnic lunch on the field. Bring your own lunch or order one through the kitchen            1.15 pm All children back into school for registration            1.30 pm Foxes, Rabbits, Woodpeckers, Owls Events</p> <p>Please note that spectators must stay in the centre of the field during the sports events.</p>
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	6.00 pm Owls and Woodpeckers Production – tickets are being sent out tonight
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	9.10 am Rock Steady Concert – for parents/carers of children having Rock Steady lessons
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>*Music Concert*</b> @ 2pm – for parents/carer of children having peripatetic music lessons*
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	2pm Leavers Service at Church – please join us as we celebrate a wonderful year
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	9.30am Year 6 Leavers Service in school – for parents/carers of children in Owls Class. <b>Please allow at least an hour for this event!</b>
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	LAST DAY OF TERM 6
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September	FIRST DAY OF THE NEW ACADEMIC YEAR