



June 19, 2023

Fowlmere Flyer

A HINTON HELLO

It was great to see dads and grandads join their children for the Father's Day celebration on Friday. The weather was glorious and the food was plentiful. The newly hatched chicks in Goldfinches and Velveteen the rabbit were a draw and many a competitive game of Guess Who played.

The swimming pool is now operational. Lessons are going well and families are making good use of it over the weekend. The opening of the pool is only possible because of the ongoing upkeep throughout the school day and evening by Mrs Pope and Mrs Parker, aided at the weekend by Mr Wilson. I know you will join me in expressing our gratitude for their hard work. The financial costs associated with running a school pool are also a consideration for us; so we are investigating hiring the pool out for children's parties (for those families who have undertaken the appropriate lifesaving training with us and have joined the swimming club). Please contact us with an expression of interest.

DROP OFF AND PICK UP

After last weeks Drop off and Pick up advice today we have had another near miss with parking and leaving the school. If you need to turn around after dropping off please do so in the car park that is in Butts Lane. As reversing into Westfield road is causing multiple hazards and near misses. Again as the weather is currently dry and nice we would recommend walking to school where possible to minimise the traffic at drop off and pick up.

SPORTS DAY

On Friday 30th June we will be holding our annual Fowlmere Primary Sports day.

The event will start at 9:15 am with House games running in a carousel until 10:15 am. We will then run children's formal races from 10:45 am - 11:45 am.

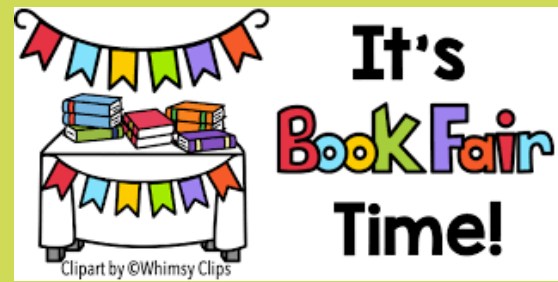
We hope you are available to come along and cheer on all the events.

All children will need to attend in their PE uniform in their house colours.



BOOK FAIR

The book fair will be with us until Wednesday 21st June. If you would like to come and have a look at the books on offer after-school please come in to the school via the middle Blue doors after pick up . If your child attends after-school club we will send home a form with books that they like you can then order these online if required and we will give them to your child the following day.



VELVETEEN THE RABBIT

You may have been informed by the children that we have a new resident at Fowlmere Primary and we have decided to call her Velveteen. We are currently redesigning her home area where she has full run of the outside area opposite Goldfinches class. She is often seen on her hind legs peering through the glass looking for the children. A very small group of children visit her at break and lunch times and allow her to come to them which she does for a stroke and some treats.

On a Thursday Velveteen will then be going with Ms Barker to have a play date with Rodney the rabbit and stay for the weekend. Rodney is very excited to make a new friend. Please don't worry there is not threat of any babies.

Rabbits do take a lot of looking after which we we take very seriously and we are always monitoring her behavior and making sure she is as happy and safe exploring her home as she can be.



June

Monday 19th June - Forest School - Goldfinches

Tuesday 20th June - Police Transport visit for each class

Monday 26th June - Chinese Lessons for Owls Class - 5 Lessons

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Tuesday 27th June - Year group transition - New Reception parents attending
1pm-2pm

Thursday 29th June - Transition worries drop in session with Mrs Hinton 2:45pm

Friday 30th June - Sports Day



July



Monday 3rd July - Forest School - Goldfinches

Monday 3rd July - Owls - Chinese Lesson

Tuesday 4th July - Year Group Transition afternoon (2)

Wednesday 5th July - Transition worries drop in session with Mrs Pope 2:45pm

Wednesday -Friday 7th July - Owls class - Eaton Vale

Friday 7th July - Forest School - Kingfishers

Monday 10th July - Forest School - Owls

Tuesday 11th July - Owls Performance - Dress rehearsal & Evening performance

Wednesday 12th July - Owls Performance - Evening performance

Thursday 13th July - New Reception Parents meeting - 6:30pm

Thursday 13th July - Year group transition afternoon (3)

Friday 14th July - KS1 trip to Great Fen

Friday 14th July - Transition worries drop in with Mrs Hinton 2pm

Monday 17th July - Forest School Goldfinches

Monday 17th July - Owls - Chinese lesson

Monday 17th July - Piano lessons for Cambridge music students

Wednesday 19th July - Leavers Assembly