LEIGH NEWS

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SPORT

Rugby

On Wednesday, Leigh sent two Tag Rugby teams to a tournament at Edenbridge Recreational Ground. They were drawn in two separate pools and came 2nd and 3rd in their leagues. Leigh A then went on to play Crockham Hill in the semi final narrowly losing 7-5. Both teams were a real credit to the school and a fantastic afternoon was had by all. Congratulations to all involved and particular thanks to Mr Gubb and Mrs Tait for organising the teams.

St. George's Day

On Tuesday, the children who are in the scouts, guides, brownies, cubs and rainbows wore their uniforms with pride. It was a fantastic sight and proved that these organisations are as popular as ever. Many thanks to all the children who made the day such a memorable one.

BRASS LESSONS

Mr Davis is offering to teach brass lessons to any children who might be interested. Mr Davis has been teaching music at a number of local schools for some years now and is willing to start before the summer break. A flyer has been sent home today for any children who are interested and we will post the information on the school website as well.

PTA Events

LEIGH SPRING BALL - SATURDAY 18TH MAY
LAST CHANCE TO BUY TICKETS!!

Come and join us for a fun packed evening including; Welcome Drink, 3 Course Buffet Dinner, Live Band and a Disco plus some fundraising games.

Please purchase your tickets by Tuesday 8th May at the latest (£30 each).

CAKE SALE AND COFFEE MORNING

On the morning **of Saturday 27th April** the PTA are holding a cake sale and coffee morning in the Small Village Hall to raise money for the school, and we're appealing for help with 2 things please. **1. Donations of cakes to sell on the day** - please bring your cakes to school TODAY at drop off or pick up (I'll be in the front play ground by the new wellie stand). Alternatively please drop them into the Small Village Hall tomorrow morning from 9am. **2. Help on the day** - with setting up, selling cakes, serving teas and coffees and clearing up. Even If you can spare just an hour, all help would be much appreciated! Please let me know on jeoppen@yahoo.co.uk if you're able to help. Janet Oppen

HOT WEATHER

This week it has been lovely to get the children out in the sunshine enjoying the good weather. We would ask that if the forecast is good that the children put on some sun cream in the morning, wear a hat when outside and keep fully hydrated with regular drinks from their water bottles. Thank you.

MR PUTMAN

This week we have welcomed Mr Putman to the staff. Mr Putman will be starting his final teaching practice on the 13th May and will be based in Class 5 with Mr Gubb.

Sevenoaks Cluster Orchestra

The Sevenoaks Cluster Orchestra has been running for a number of years and gives children in the local area an opportunity to play together and make new friends. The children have to be about Grade 2 standard on their instrument and, after an all day rehearsal on the 20th May and an afternoon rehearsal on the 8th July, put on a concert at 7pm on Wednesday 10th July at Sevenoaks School. If your child is about Grade 2 in an instrument and would like to participate then please do let me know and I will add their name to the list.

CLUBS

This week the clubs programme has started again. Please do ensure that if your child is unable to attend a club that they let the person running that club know. We are extremely fortunate to have an extra-curricular programme that is so varied and I'm extremely grateful to all the staff and volunteers who give up hours of their time to provide the children with these opportunities. This week the baking club have been making a Quiche Lorraine and the photo shows just how much fun they had! If your child is attending pottery club on Monday then please ensure they have a painting overall or an old top in school.

The New Leigh Church Choir

St Mary's Church have recently started a new choir. The choir welcomes anyone who is interested in singing to join them. It has a highly qualified and musically experienced Choir Director Ed Bonner whose family comes from Sevenoaks. So far the choir has learnt three pieces and is developing its ability to sing part pieces such as John Rutter`s "The Lord Bless You and Keep You". In the next months they will be extending their repertoire, including other kinds of music and singing at events in the village. Please contact Lionel or look at their website (www.stmarysleigh.org.uk) for more information.

Forthcoming Events

27.4.4	PTA Cake Sale and Coffee Morning
3.5.13	Fruity Friday
7.5.13	Terry Wenham visiting
13.5.13	SATs Week
18.5.13	Leigh Spring Ball
24.5.13	Last day of Term 5
3.6.13	First day of Term 6
11.6.13	Year 6 away on the School Journey
6.7.13	PTA Summer Fair
23.7.13	Last day of Term 6
4.9.13	First day of Term 1

Further dates will be published on the website