



Newsletter 033 – Friday 10 June 2022

The School Council enjoyed their trip to the House of Commons this week!

Caroline Ansell was in Parliament on that day so she came to speak to the children when they arrived. They had a very interesting tour and asked lots of questions along the way! Their tour guide said that they were the best behaved group he had ever taken round!



Some of the children took part in a Sport Enrichment Day this week. The children were polite, enthusiastic and very creative with their ideas!

They learnt about the importance of exercise and the impact exercise has on our bodies. They learnt the importance of warming up and created some different warm up games as well as variations of exercises using cones and other equipment.



Well done to Grayling and Apollo class who have 98% attendance this week!

Holly Blue	95%	Grayling	98%	Saturn	93%
Peacock	95%	Apollo	98%	Blue Morpho	92%
Purple Emperor	90%	Tortoiseshell	96%	Chalk Hill Blue	87%
				Monarch	86%

Message from Mr Bradshaw - After nearly 10 years at Motcombe I decided to retire, I enjoyed my time there. I wanted to say a big THANK YOU for the cards, gifts and good wishes I received from you before I retired. It was really touching.

Governing Body - We are pleased to announce that Mr Alex Dundas is our new Parent Governor, Alex works in Senior Management with experience in multiple industries and has a child in Y1. If you have any questions or would like to contact the governing board please email the clerk to the governors govsclerk@motcombe.e-sussex.sch.uk.



Our Sports Days are next week. Please allow one hour for your child's event.

Please send your child to school in their PE kit on the day of their Sports Day and make sure they have sun cream on.

Please drop your child in to school as normal and come back round to the field gate for 9.15am.



Let's hope the weather forecast doesn't change!

World Make Music Day – Please join us for a whole school singalong for this year's World Make Music Day on Tuesday 21 June at 2.35pm. An email was sent to you yesterday with more information. The children have been challenged to teach you the songs so that you can join in!



Friends of Motcombe

Summer Fair - This will go ahead, but we still need more volunteers to make it a really successful event. If you can help us in any way in the next few weeks to organise it or would like to help out on the day, please join our WhatsApp group or email us.

We are looking for local businesses who would like to have a stall at the fair or could donate a raffle prize, or sponsor the event. Please pass our email address on to anyone you think might be able to help and we will be in touch in due course.

Tea Towels - If you haven't had a chance to put your order in, it is not too late!

We will be outside the Butterfly rooms on Monday 13 June to take your last minute orders at the price of £5 each or 3 for £12.

After Monday the price will increase to £6 each.

We have made sure that every child has been included in each year group tea towel, but please find attached the black and white template. Class Fundraising Company are producing the tea towels on a 100% cotton tea towel and will be printed in a beautiful Royal Blue.

Any questions please contact us at our email address.



A reminder that we will be looking for a new Chair and Treasurer for September. These roles can be shared so you and a friend may want to take on this challenge together! If you would like to have a chat about what is involved, please contact me via motcombefriends@hotmail.com. Also, if you would like to be on the committee to help with the important fundraising events, we are always looking for members!

To join our WhatsApp group please follow this link:-<https://chat.whatsapp.com/LhAcBHCl8zp9GIMkYVX5Da>

Thank you

Kara, Chair of the Friends

Dates for your



DIARY DATES	
Tuesday 14 June	Y2 Sports Day – 9.15am
Wednesday 15 June	Y1 Sports Day – 9.15am
Thursday 16 June	FS Sports Day - 9.15am
Tuesday 21 June	Purple Emperor Show – 9.30am World Make Music Day – 2.35pm
Wednesday 22 June	Peacock Show – 9.30am
Thursday 23 June	Holly Blue Show – 9.30am
Tuesday 28 June	Reserve Date - Y1 Sports Day – 9.15am
Wednesday 29 June	Reserve Date – Y2 Sports Day – 9.15am
Thursday 30 June	Reserve Date – FS Sports Day – 9.15am
Friday 1 July	Mufti Day – for donations for the Summer Fair
Monday 4 July	New Parents' Evening for September 2022 Intake – 7.00pm
Tuesday 5 July	Transition Day – Y2 Children to visit their new school September 2022 Intake - Story Sessions – 10.00am & 2.00pm
Wednesday 6 July	Y1 Show – Grayling Parents & ½ of Tortoiseshell Parents – 9.30am Y1 Show – Apollo & ½ of Tortoiseshell Parents – 2.00pm
Saturday 9 July	Summer Fair
Wednesday 13 July	Y2 Show – Blue Morpho & Saturn Parents – 6.00pm
Thursday 14 July	Y2 Show – Chalk Hill Blue & Monarch Parents – 6.00pm
Monday 18 July	Attendance Assembly (school community only) – 9.30am
Tuesday 19 July	Helpers Assembly (by invitation) – 9.30am Y2 Leavers Party - PM
Wednesday 20 July	Leavers Assembly – 9.30am (school community only) School finishes at 12.00 INSET - PM
Thursday 21 July	INSET – End of Term

Motcombe School Governing Body

If you would like to find out about the role of the Governing Body or wish to contact a member, please contact the Clerk to the Governing Body via email govsclerk@motcombe.e-sussex.sch.uk.

Alternatively, please follow this link for further information

<http://motcombe.e-sussex.sch.uk/the-governing-body/>