



# JYS News

Newsletter: 24 ~ 5th May 2023 Aspire ~ Respect ~ Enjoy

## Book Bingo!

Lots of pupils participated in the 'Book Bingo' that was launched during book week. If you have a completed bingo card at home and want to enter the prize draw, please bring in your completed card into school before the half term break. The draw will take place on Friday 26th May!

We would also like to thank everyone who contributed to our fantastic TTRockstar event last Friday where we raised just over £160, which is almost enough to pay to renew the subscription for another year. It was great to see that everybody got involved in dressing up - and in the maths activities that took part throughout the day.



## This week

With the Bank Holiday on Monday, it has felt like a very short week. However, we have been able to pack a lot in again.

On Wednesday, Years 4 and 5 walked (yes, walked!) to The Chichester Free School to take part in The Big Sing! Local schools came together to sing songs that they have been learning and to celebrate collaborative singing. Mr Hanna, who took the children, said: JYS pupils shone through in their group number and set the bar high!

On Wednesday afternoon, Mrs McGurk, Mr Cooper and Mr Neaves took 14 of the Y6 children to Bishop Luffa for them to have a go at creating their own virtual fishtanks using the coding language Kodu. They were taught how to code in this language by 16 of Bishop Luffa's Digital Leaders. Our children will, in turn, teach the rest of the class how to do this.

Today we have been celebrating the King's Coronation, children have participate in a big draw during the day and decorated biscuits in red, white and blue. We hope everyone enjoys the weekend of celebrations!



## Important Dates Coming Up

Monday 8th May - Coronation Bank Holiday - school closed to all pupils  
 Tuesday 9th - Friday 12 May - Key Stage 2 SATs  
 Wednesday 17th May - Friday 19th May - Y5 Camp at Goodwood  
 Monday 5th June - INSET Day (School shut to pupils)  
 Wednesday 21st June pm - Sports Day (details to follow)  
 Wednesday 28th June - Friday 30th June - Y6 Camp at Cobnor  
 Wednesday 5th July- Transition Day  
 Thursday 6th July KS1 (15:15 - 16:00) & KS2 (16:15 - 17:30) discos  
 Saturday 8th July - Summer Fair 14:00 - 16:00  
 Thursday 13th July - Whole School Performance of Aladdin  
 Thursday July 20 - Last day of term

## House Points

Children earn house points for different things throughout the week, and here are the weekly results:



	This week	Total (Since Apr '23)	Total (Since Sept '22)
Ash	38	204	27
Birch	48	199	24
Maple	41	208	27
Oak	46	203	27