# JYS News

Newsletter: 28 ~ 7th June 2024

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## Sports Day

On Friday 21st June, our school will be holding its annual Sports Day. The morning session, from 9.15am to approximately 11.30am, will be for Key Stage 2 pupils only (Years 3 to 6). This will have a competitive element, with traditional track and field events taking place.

In the afternoon, **from 1.15pm to 3.15pm**, **the whole school** will take part in a round robin of sporting activities. Children will be split into house teams, with every child participating in all the events on offer.

Parents and carers are welcome to attend either the morning or afternoon session, or both if they wish. The back gate will be open for 15 minutes after the start time of each session to allow entry.

We encourage all pupils to get involved and demonstrate their sporting abilities and team spirit! We can't wait to see everyone getting stuck into sports day and celebrating an active, healthy school community. Please don't forget to send children in with sun hats, water bottles and apply plenty of sun cream.

#### **Summer Fair**

We are thrilled to invite you to our Summer Fair, which promises to be an afternoon full of fun, laughter, and a touch of medieval magic! Mark your calendars for June 15th, and join us between 2 and 4pm for an unforgettable afternoon. There will be plenty to see and do, including archery, face painting, raffle, games, and crafts. It's the perfect way to spend a summer afternoon with family and friends.





#### **This Week**

The first week back after the half term break has certainly been a busy one! Year 6 were visited by Carrie Cort from Sussex Green Living for a special session all about recycling and being more eco-friendly. During the session, Carrie Cort likely covered topics like waste prevention, recycling, and interactive activities to engage the students.

This week, the school assemblies commemorated the 80th anniversary of the D-Day landings during World War II. Children learned about the immense bravery and sacrifice of the Allied troops who stormed the beaches of Normandy on June 6, 1944. The assemblies paid tribute to this pivotal moment in history that helped turn the tide of the war and ultimately led to the defeat of Nazi Germany. Through videos, stories and discussions, the children gained a deeper appreciation for the courage displayed on D-Day and the importance of honouring those who served.

#### **House Points**

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



|       | This week | Term Total<br>(Since Apr '24) | Year Total<br>(Since Sept '23) |
|-------|-----------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Ash   | 107       | 681                           | 2980                           |
| Beech | 88        | 574                           | 2791                           |
| Maple | 94        | 758                           | 3208                           |
| Oak   | 107       | 709                           | 2949                           |

### Important Dates Coming Up

Saturday 15th June - JYS Summer Fayre! 14:00 - 16:00 Monday 17th June - Wednesday 19th June - Y6 Residential Camp Friday June 21st - Sports Day (information to follow) Wednesday 3rd July - Transition Day Thursday 4th July - Summer Disco Monday 15th July - Summer Show @ 3.30pm Friday July 19th 2024 - Last day of term Monday 22nd and Tuesday 23rd July 2024 - INSET (school closed)

