



## What's been happening?

### Author Visit at SBL

On Thursday morning children from Years 3, 4 and 5 walked to Sir Bernard Lovell Secondary School to meet the author **Cressida Cowell** who wrote 'How to Train Your Dragon' and 'The Wizard at Once'. The children listened to her talk about her childhood and what it is like to be an author.



Those who went found Cressida inspiring to listen to. Children and adults alike were impressed with the morning and thoroughly enjoyed the opportunity. It was lovely to see the entire children spill out of school with their signed copies of her books.

*'The best bit was when she told us about her life, she makes me want to be an author!'*

*Ellis Year 3*

*'I loved it!'*

*Sean Year 4*

*'It was great; she was very funny and had a great imagination.'*

*Stanley Year 4*

### Open Classrooms

On **Wednesday** after school the classrooms were open for family and friends to come in a look that their child's work. It was great to wander around and see so many children talk enthusiastically about what they been up to in class.



Thank you all for coming along.

### Enjoying the Sunshine

With the warmer weather comes the opportunity to open all of the play zones at lunchtime including the stage (with dressing up) and the play shed. The children have been making the most of the resources available to them and have been having a great time!



Even the older boys could not resist joining in!!

## Word of the Week

Hazel	seedling	identity
Pine	cautiously	exoskeleton
Willow	source	reflection
Beech	decompose	environmental
Maple	conservation	biodegradable
Oak	perplexity	pessimistic

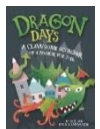
## For your Information

### Bags2School

This was a huge success again with your kind donations raising **£120.00** for the school. **Thank you** to everyone who filled a bag and brought it in.

### Dragon Days - Y3 & Y4

Performance for parents: **Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> May @ 2pm**  
We hope to see you there!



### Maple Class Swimming

Maple Class will be starting their block of swimming sessions on **14<sup>th</sup> June 2018**.



The children will leave school at 2pm and travel to the leisure centre by coach. They will return to school by the end of the school day. Don't forget your swimming kits!

### HELP!! Garden Help Needed

Hazel Class' beans and Pine Class' pumpkin seeds are now sprouting!



We desperately need some parent help to clear the raised beds in the garden ready for planting over the next couple of weeks. If you are able to help please speak with Mrs Sheppard or call in at the school office to register your interest.

## Congratulations!



## Dates for your diary!

DATE	EVENT
Mon 7 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>BANK HOLIDAY</b>
Tues 8 <sup>th</sup> May	Let's Sing! - Willow Class
Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> May	Edgelets - 9.00 - 11.30am
Mon 14 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>KS2 SATS Week (Mon-Thurs)</b>
Wed 16 <sup>th</sup> May	Holly Class Cake Sale (after school)
Fri 18 <sup>th</sup> May	Friends sponsored event (pm)
Mon 21 <sup>st</sup> May	<b>Year 6 CAMP WEEK (Mon - Fri)</b>
	Walking challenge (info to follow)
Thurs 24 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Dragon Days @2pm Y3 &amp; Y4</b>
Fri 25 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Last Day of TERM 5</b>
Mon 4 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>First day of TERM 6</b>