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## Dates for your diary

Monday 4th June - Teacher Training Day

Tuesday 5th June - Pupils return for Summer 2

Friday 8th June—Y2 Trip to Batsford Arboretum

Thursday 14th June—Class photographs

Monday 18th June—Whole school photograph

Monday 18th June 18:30—New Intake Evening

Monday 2nd July—Reports to parents

Tuesday 3rd July—Transfer day

Thursday 5th July—School Discos

Monday 9th July—Healthy Living Week

Tuesday 10th July—R/KSI Sports Day

Wednesday 11th July 18:30—Year 5 Production 'Treachery at Traitors' Quay'

Thursday 12th July—KS2 Sports Day

Monday 16th July 18:30—Year 2 Production

Tuesday 17th July—Round Robin Sports Day

Thursday 19th July 14:30—Leavers' Assembly

Friday 20th July—Last Day of Summer Term

For a full list of upcoming events, check our website. You can now sync to your phone calendar using our mobile app.

## Thank you

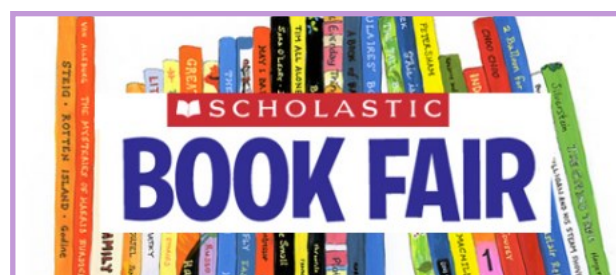
As a school we would like to thank you for dealing with all of our recent requests to fill in so many forms. As new data protection laws come into effect today, it has been essential to ensure we make these provisions. We thank you for your understanding and cooperation. If you have not returned them yet please do so as soon as possible.

## Mobile App



Our mobile app has undergone a slight change. In order to keep it updated, you must download an app called 'School Jotter' (its logo is shown in the picture). Then you must search for our school and you will then be able to use the app exactly as you did before. Your app should prompt you to do this when you access it. School Jotter can be found in both the Apple and Android stores.

## Scholastic Book Fair



We are pleased to announce that the Scholastic Book Fair will be visiting the school after half term. The book fair will be open straight after school from Wednesday 12th June to Monday 18th June. We invite you and your child to browse through the books which we will have on sale. The books on offer will be suitable for all ages of children, and of course they will also make ideal gifts. They will also keep the children busy over the summer holidays. We look forward to seeing you then.

Mr Batts

## Year 5 Careers Day

At Swan Lane we are always proud to create and maintain excellent links with parents, carers and other members of the local community in order to provide positive role models for our children. On Friday 4th May we were fortunate to be able to invite various members



of the local community into school to be 'quizzed' by our Year 5 children regarding their profession. The children were most inquisitive and discovered a great deal about what it

takes to work in vital public sector roles, cyber security and even forensics! A special 'thank you' must go to the parents and carers who gave up their free time to be part of the event.



*Mr. Kent*

## Year 4 Cathedral Visit

Year 4 visited Worcester Cathedral to reinforce the learning we have been undertaking in RE lessons. We were given a tour of the cathedral, and looked at the different features and religious symbols. During the tour we looked down in the crypt, admired the tomb of King John, saw the famous pink giraffe and learned the differences between a cathedral and a



church.

After lunch by the river, we had two workshops. The first workshop focused on re-enacting the stories of three famous saints; St. Cadoc, St. Andrew and St Paul. The second workshop was about the parable of The Prodigal Son. The children heard the story and then used it to discuss how they would feel in certain situations. The children enjoyed the tour, learned a great deal and were very well behaved.

*Mr Warren & Mr Morgan.*

## Planting Day

On Tuesday, the children of Swan Lane donned their gardening gloves to plant the summer bedding for the school. Many visitors report to us that our grounds



always look stunning; we feel that an inviting school is extremely important. Last year, Swan Lane's efforts were rewarded as we won a 'Gold Certification' from the Evesham Schools in Bloom Committee and we would hope to match that this year. The children thoroughly enjoyed their planting, helping to make the environment a vibrant place to learn. Thank you, of course, to Mr Importante, who has helped prepare many of the beds. Thank you also



to the parents and carers, who helped to clear some of the beds this year; their assistance was greatly appreciated. I am sure that

everyone's efforts will be rewarded over the coming months.

*Mr Batts*