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Headteacher's news:

It has been a very busy week of sport...

On Monday, the U11 football team and a select group of Y6 children were out of school at events (see below). On Thursday, some Y5 children spent the day at Leeds Beckett University taking part in an event called 'This Girl Can'. Also on Thursday, the whole of Y4 spent the morning at Armley Leisure Centre competing at a Skipping Festival. I am pleased to say that Rufford Park Primary won the festival—well done to all who took part—photos to follow. It is brilliant to be able to attend these competitions - especially after the children have missed out on so much over the last 2 years - and I would like to thank all the staff and parents for the part they have played in making these experiences happen.

In other news, I have been busy with teacher recruitment today and yesterday (more staffing news to follow in the coming weeks) and the whole school enjoyed 'Make the Rules' day today as the FORP continue to raise funds.

On Monday the U11 football team represented Guiseley Community Foundation at a tournament in York. Click here to read more.

Sporting events from earlier this week. Skipping and This Girl Can photos to feature next week!



On Monday afternoon, we took 12 Y6 children to John Smeaton Academy to take part in the Brownlee Triathlon event. This event last took place in 2019 so it was good to be back participating again.

Click below to see what has been happening in your child's class this week

Nursery Reception Y1 Pear Y1/2 Lime Y2 Cherry

<u>Y3 Willow</u> <u>Y3/4 Cedar</u> <u>Y4 Beech</u>

Y5 Oak Y5/6 Ash Y6 Maple

I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

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This week in assembly... we had a visit from Reverend Richard from St. John's Church. On Wednesday, Miss Tidey discussed the updated Behaviour & Anti-Bullying Policy

Leeds CAMHS Crisis Call: Are you a parent worried about your child? Do you know a young person struggling to cope? Are you unsure about how to help them and need some guidance and advice? The NHS in Leeds operates a Freephone helpline for under 18s between 8am and 8pm every day. They offer young people and their families or carers advice, support, someone to listen, or signposting as appropriate, regardless of the circumstance.



Platinum Jubilee - in addition to dressing up in red, white and blue (or in princess costumes), there will be a themed lunch and the children will be working off normal timetable on a variety of different activities related to this significant event.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Fri 27 May: Platinum Jubilee celebrations in school - see above Fri 27 May: school closes for half term. Click here to see swimming activities on offer from Active Leeds Mon 6 June: Summer Term 2 starts