

# NUTLEY NEWSLETTER

**16TH MAY 2025**



Dear Parents, Carers and Friends,

Hurrah! SATs week is finally over! Our amazing Year 6s were brilliant! By the time that SATs week came round, they were ready for it, and they all gave it their very best. The whole school are so incredibly proud of them. Well done Year 6! I would also like to thank all of Year 5 who have been beavering away **SILENTLY** on their own very exciting science project, in the room just next door to one of the SATs test locations. They were so considerate in not disturbing their peers. Thanks also to the army of staff, governors and PFA volunteers who helped out to invigilate the tests spread out over three different rooms. It was quite a logistical challenge as administering SATS tests is a very serious business which has very strict requirements. Well done Team Nutley!

At the end of the week, we all enjoyed finding out about all the recent learning in Fox Class at their fabulous Fox Class Assembly. We were transported to North America and all the children contributed towards a hugely enjoyable and very informative presentation! I was very impressed by the lovely Spanish speaking and the lovely Mexican dance at the end of the show. Well done Fox Class! Thank you so much Miss Benjamin and all the foxes for all their hard work and for entertaining us so well.

Have a great weekend everyone!

Best wishes,  
Mrs Robinson.



# Class News

## Rabbits

This week we read 'Handa's Surprise'. We looked at the sequencing of the story and wrote about what happened at the beginning, middle and end. We have tasted some of the more exotic fruits from the story and had a go at some still life art designs. In phonics this week we have been looking at polysyllabic words and Rabbits have been working super hard on this! In maths, we have been learning more about 2d shapes and that we can rotate them to make patterns and models. We were SUPER happy that our class caterpillars finally arrived and the children have been observing them, as they have grown so much already! Billie the class bear will be coming home with a Rabbit today, to be returned next Thursday. Have a lovely, sunny weekend!



## Hedgehogs

This week has been a very hard working week! In our English learning we have been finding out about Freda Kahlo and writing about her life using 'time adverbials' in our writing. We also had a 'Virtual Tour' of the Freda Kahlo Museum, where we saw her home and many of her paintings which inspired us to write some expanded noun phrases with adjectives to make our writing more exciting. In Maths we have continued learning about money. This week we were working on equal values with different coins, as well as finding out the 'difference' between two values by using a blank number line. In PE we have been practising our athletics skills, as well as learning to take turns and try our best, building up to Sports day. We also loved our Music lesson this week – we listened to three different types of music from Mexico and chose our favourite – we couldn't stop ourselves from dancing, as they were such catchy tunes!



## Foxes

**FAB!** what a lovely way to end the busy week that we have had. Fox class did incredibly in their assembly. Everyone had worked so hard and performed fabulously. We have worked hard finishing our masks this week, decorating them with gems and painting them. In geography we learnt about climates and weather. In English we have been exploring poetry and have been writing both free-verse and nonsense poems about rainforest animals which were excellent! In maths we have been learning about time which has been tricky but Foxes have been persevering through the tricky questions. In RE we watched different portrayals of the Pentecost and thought about which was our favourite. In science we have been investigating magnets and exploring which magnet is the strongest and can hold the most paperclips. Well done foxes!

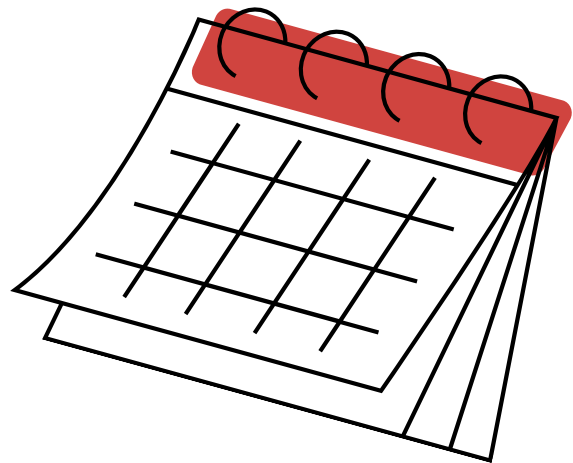


## Badgers

**Blimey,** what a week! Year 6 have completely smashed their SATs papers and I am so proud of how hard they all worked. If I wrote a reasoning question about how many kilograms of pancakes and waffles we got through during SATs breakfast, we'd probably be here for quite some time working it out – and don't even get me started on the golden syrup! I also need to give a huge thank you to my lovely Year 5s and Mrs Shearer. It's not easy being quiet all morning but they managed it so we could revise and take the tests. They also spent the week working incredibly hard on a special project, which Mrs Shearer has been very complimentary about. Forest School was the perfect way to unwind, although maybe not for myself, as I was chosen as the "volunteer" to test the bridges they made across the streams. Fortunately, I am still here, so maybe we have some future engineers in the group. On top of all that excitement, we have also done the auditions for the school play. Many solos were sung and roles will be handed out soon! Have a restful weekend!



# DATES FOR THE DIARY



## MAY 2025

Mon 19 <sup>th</sup>	EzeeBlox Club 3.20 – 4.15
Tues 20 <sup>th</sup>	Pioneer Football Tournament at Nutley
Wed 21 <sup>st</sup>	Multiskills Club 3.20 – 4.15
Fri 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Karate Demo in Collective Worship End Term 5



## JUNE 2025

Mon 2 <sup>nd</sup>	INSET Day – School closed
Mon 9 <sup>th</sup>	Rabbits/Hedgehogs Tennis
Mon 16 <sup>th</sup>	Rabbits/Hedgehogs Tennis
Thurs 12 <sup>th</sup>	Y6 Safety in Action – Bowles 9.30 – 11.30
Fri 13 <sup>th</sup>	Y5/6 Paddleboarding – Cuckmere
Thurs 19 <sup>th</sup>	Sports Day
Thurs 26 <sup>th</sup>	Y6 Diocese Leavers – Crowborough 1.15



## JULY 2025

Wed 9 <sup>th</sup>	Badger Class Play 5.30
Thurs 10 <sup>th</sup>	Badger Class Play 5.30
Thurs 17 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 Leavers Service Nutley Church 6.00 – 7.00
Mon 21 <sup>st</sup>	Final Collective Worship End Term 6



## SEPTEMBER 2025

Wed 3 <sup>rd</sup>	INSET Day – School closed
Thurs 4 <sup>th</sup>	INSET Day – School closed
Fri 5 <sup>th</sup>	INSET Day – School closed
Mon 8 <sup>th</sup>	Start Term 1





# STAR CERTIFICATES

Faye 200 Stars

## ACHIEVEMENT CERTIFICATES

Rabbits: Charlie

Hedgehogs: Albion & Jools

Foxes: Fraser & Mayson

Badgers: All Year 5 & All Year 6

### Years 4, 5 & 6

We need more volunteers for the Maypole dancing at the Nutley Village Fete! If your child would like to join in, please let us know.



Attendance this year to date: Whole School: **94.5%**

Rabbits: **96.3%**

Hedgehogs: **96.1%**

Foxes: **95.2%**

Badgers: **93.3%**

**Red** under 92%

**Amber** 92–96%

**Green** above 96%

# Nutley Church Of England Primary School



## Workshop

for parents/carers with



A helping hand with your mental health  
**me & my mind**  
East Sussex Mental Health Support Team

Come and find out how to Help and Support Your Child with  
**Tricky Mornings**

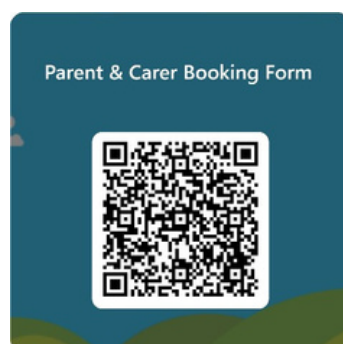
**Date: Wednesday 21st May 2025**

**TIME: 9am-11am**

**Place: Nutley Church of England Primary School**

(High Street, Nutley TN22 3NW)

*To book a place please scan the QR code below*



# READING WORKSHOP FOR PARENTS

Hedgehog Class  
Nutley CE Primary School

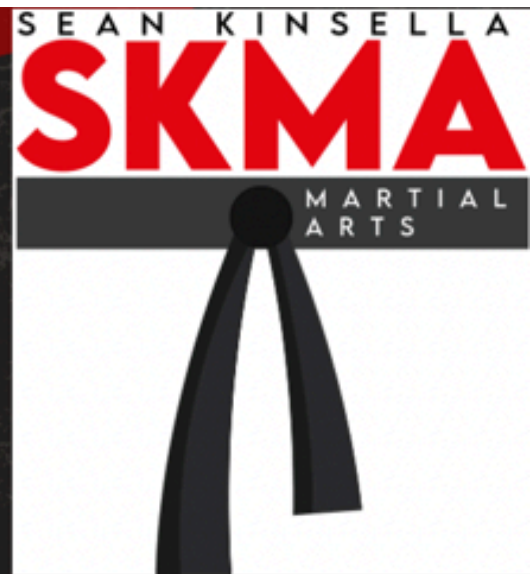


**Thursday, 22nd May**  
**3.20 - 4.00**

Help with reading strategies, reading for pleasure, library access, Boom Reader, or anything to help you as a parent!

★ Childcare will be available if you need to bring your child.

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📍 Nutley School

Thursday's 3:15pm-4:15pm  
First class free.





# Team Le Tennis May Half Term

MAY 2025 held at Maresfield Lawn Tennis Club

## Tennis Camp

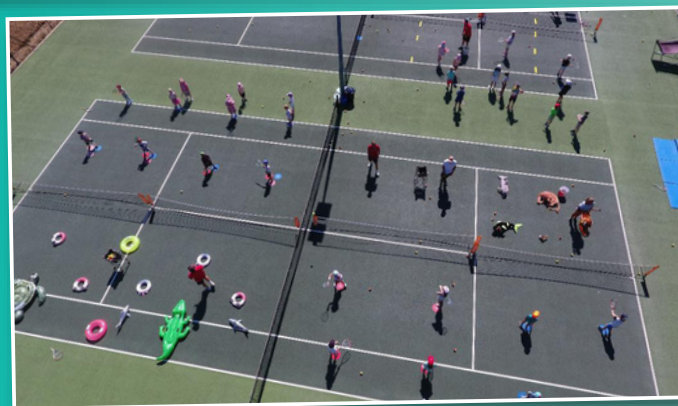
Thursday 29th May

9.30am - 1.30pm

4 - 12 years

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**(Payment will not be requested until 28th May)**