HEADMASTER'S WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents

I trust you all enjoyed the holiday and the chance to spend some time together as a family. In conversation with the children, it is clear that they made the most of the break and while the hunting of Easter eggs was a common theme, (as was the eating of the eggs), there was also a wide variety of activities that were undertaken as well. The end result was a wonderful buzz around the playground on Tuesday morning which has remained throughout the course of the first week.

As seems to be the tradition, the rhythm of school life took no time to get up and running, with the School fully back in session by 9am on Tuesday morning, with the usual array of exciting lessons and activities forming a significant part of the first week.

The Nursery welcomed saxophonist and parent Dr Jouvel into school, something that went down a real treat with the children, while Year 4 spent the day as Vikings on Thursday, where they learnt all about what life was like for people living as Vikings, including dressing up in traditional clothes, learning to shoot bows, creating pottery bowls and mugs amongst many things.

This afternoon we waved goodbye to our Year 6 ASA (Adventure Skills Academy) members, as they headed off for their weekend of activities at Hautbois activity centre, including an overnight stay tonight. It will be a wonderful way for them to put in to practice all the skills that they have learnt over the course of the last two terms.

As we look forward to next week, I would like to wish our F24 team all the very best for their race on Monday at Mallory Park and look forward to hearing how they get on. I also hope to see many of you within the Prep Department for Tea and Cake on the Front Lawn on Monday afternoon, from 3.45pm.

Whatever the weekend holds for you, I hope you all manage to get some rest and recuperation after a busy first week back, and I hope that all of you celebrating Eid this weekend enjoy the festivities.

With best wishes