



# Middleton News



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Hello  
Sunshine!



Welcome back to the final half term of the academic year. We hope that all families enjoyed an extended half term break. It would appear that the sun is coming back to treat us for a few days (along with a splattering of rain!). Can we please remind families that your child will need a water bottle, sunhat and sun cream; all labelled with their name, when they attend school during hot weather.

## Fun this week

On Tuesday some pupils from Upper School visited St Lukes school for a sports experience day. They had a fabulous time taking part in a range of different activities. They also had their photo taken with Frank Bruno!



On Wednesday the lower school pupils visited Paradise Park with the Rotary Club. They enjoyed seeing the animals and having fun together!



## Upcoming Events

This is set to be a very busy half term with lots of fun events planned for our pupils. Next Friday (20<sup>th</sup>) we are being visited by a theatre company and all pupils will watch a production of The Jungle Book.

Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July we will be enjoying a whole school outing to the Three Lakes. Further information was shared in a separate letter.

## Year Six Residential

Most of our Year Six pupils spent time away from home on an action and adventure holiday just before half term. All of the pupils engaged fully in a range of activities and conducted themselves beautifully. A big thank you to the staff who supported our pupils on this trip.



## Tales From The Chalkface!

### Lower School

The pupils in Lower School have completed their work on the topic 'India'. They have made biscuits iced in the colours of the Indian flag.



Their new topic is 'the sea side' which they have begun work on in earnest this week. They have read the story 'Maisie goes to the seaside' and have started to make seaside collages.

They are also enjoying exploring the soft play equipment.





## Middle School

Middle School have finished their topic 'Body Beautiful'. They have named body parts and role played hospital visits!



The new Middle School Topic is 'Walk on the wild side'.

## Upper School

The children who remained in Upper School during the Year Six residential spent a week learning about Harry Potter. They designed their school ties and made potions!



Pupils in Upper School have started their new topic 'Sport and Leisure'.



Thank you to the families and staff members who attended our quiz night. This event raised £160 for our FOMS group. Get revising for the next one!

## Dates for the diary

**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> June** – Year

Four Transition Talk

**Weds 2<sup>nd</sup> July** – M/S assembly

**Thurs 3<sup>rd</sup> July** – INSET day- school closed to pupils

**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July** – Whole School Outing

**Monday 7<sup>th</sup> July** – L/S assembly

**Weds 9<sup>th</sup> July** – U/S assembly.

**Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> July** – Transition Day

**Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> July** – Family Picnic

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> July** – Sports Day

**Weds 16<sup>th</sup> July** – Open Evening

## Community News

We have been contacted by Welwyn Garden City Library with an upcoming event. The event is aimed at parents and carers to help them to advocate for their children. The author Cathy Reay will be present to talk about her book 'How to be proud and disabled'. The event is on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> June at 7pm

I hope that families can make the most of the light evenings as we head towards the longest day at the end of June and we

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look forward to meeting with you at the events scheduled for this half term.

Warm regards

*Debbie Hartley*

