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It was great to meet members of our parent community at the Coffee Morning on Wednesday and talk over school matters. We may look at running one again in Term 6, although in terms of feedback from parents about the school, our Meet the Governor sessions with Catherine Farmer have proved more successful in letting us know about your current thoughts and ideas regarding the school. We have then been able to action many of these because of this feedback.

Thanks to everyone who has made our new office assistant, Katie Payne, welcome this week. She has been busy getting to grips with all the different tasks that our office staff have had to address in the course of a school week.

Our sponsor forms are almost ready to go out for our 'Leigh's Olympic Run to Paris'. Once the final details have been added on Monday, we will send them home with the children.

Finally, next week is Year 6 SATs week and the children are feeling well-prepared. They are all invited in for a SATs breakfast each day, but if you would rather bring them at the usual time, then please can you make sure you arrive on time as tests begin quite soon after the start of the school day.

Mr Turull



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News from the Classrooms



We have continued to talk about our natural world this week in Robin Class and the children have learned ways that we can help the planet. They enjoyed scooping the plastic out of the water tray to clean the oceans for the animals. The children have also created pictures using flowers as paint brushes.





There was much excitement this week when we discovered that our bird box was home to 4 newly hatched Robin chicks.





We had an amazing assembly with Gary from Carymoor yesterday telling us all how to reduce, reuse, recycle our waste. We then worked with the Kingfisher class looking at composting and food waste bins. We each used some compostable food waste to plant some cress seeds.





Goldfinches went back in time this week and created beautiful Egyptian headdresses. They used a range of craft materials to create them. We had a whole class of Pharaohs!





We have loved our sculpture lessons in Art - this week was focusing on using wire to create intriguing 3D pieces of work!



Diary Dates

May

Saturday 11th FOLS Plant Sale 10 - 12 midday at Memorial Hall (poster below) Mon 13th - Thurs 16th Key Stage 2 SATS week for Year 6 pupils Kingfisher Class and Starling Class Trip to Carymoor Friday 17th

Swallows Parent Drop in session at 2.45pm Monday 20th Starlings Parent Drop in session at 2.45pm Tuesday 21st Wednesday 22nd Goldfinch Parent Drop in session at 2.45pm Thursday 23rd Kingfisher Parent Drop in session at 2.45pm

Friday 24th End of Term 5