

DOWNSEND PRE-PREP TIMES



Epsom



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Message from the Head Teacher

It has been another busy and fun filled week as we draw near to the end of the summer term.

As part of our topic on journeys we were delighted to have a visit from Matrix Theatre to do a History of Flight workshop for the whole school. The children learnt about different things that fly such as birds, kites, balloons, rockets and planes. Our Year 1 children also learnt about the history of the hot air balloon and planes that were used in World War II. They sang songs, listened to music and acted out various flying scenarios.

Thank you to our Rising Reception Parents for coming along to observe their child's sports lessons on Monday and see them in action. All the chil-

dren have been practising and getting ready for Sports Day. We look forward to welcoming families to our whole school sports morning and family picnic on Tuesday 26th June. Please refer to the Schoolcomms letter sent home for timings. Parents are invited to stay until 1.15pm to share a picnic, but please note you will need to provide your own picnic. If you would still like us to provide a picnic lunch for your child, please let Mrs Tucker know by Monday so that the kitchen can plan accordingly.

DEPA and our staff have been working hard with the Summer Fayre preparations for tomorrow, we hope to see you there!

Mrs Vanessa Conlan

DEPA news

Summer Fayre: Saturday @ 11.30am

Only one more sleep until the Summer Fayre – it's so exciting! Thanks to the parents who already pre ordered their tickets and for those who prefer to pay on the day, we look forward to seeing you! Don't forget the event starts at 11.30am with Mr Thorpe and the Year 1 School Council opening the Fayre and then we have an exciting programme of activities planned. The children, Class Reps and teachers have worked so hard to bring our theme, All Around the World – and we are looking forward to seeing the fruits of their labour. Separate to this newsletter, you will have received a school comm that outlines some of the key details. Let your Class Reps or the DEPA Summer Fayre team know if you have any questions: epsomDEPA@gmail.com. See you there!

Sports Day DEPA Drinks and Ice Lolly stand: Tuesday 26 June

Last year's sports day was scorchio, and this year we are ready for any eventuality! DEPA are on point to ensure everyone is well hydrated and will host a soft drinks and ice lolly stand at the Sports Day on Tuesday 26 June! Please bear us in mind as you pack up your picnic baskets for post sports picnic. If anyone fancies helping to man the stand, we would also be very grateful for any volunteers!

[Matrix Theatre—History of Flight workshop](#)





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Celebration Board

Achievements in class work, good manners and excellent behaviour are celebrated in a special assembly every week.

We congratulated the following children this week:

First Steps

Jack
Rupert
Ethan

RR SB/RP

Eve

RRCC

Evelyn

Badgers

Dominic
Emily

Owls

Max

Well Done!

Inspiring young minds



Events Week Commencing Monday 25th June

Lunch Menu week 1

Mon	3.30 - 4.30	Spanish club
	3.30-4.00 an	Poptastic dance
	4.00- 4.30	
Tues	9.15 -12:15	Sports morning—refer to letter for timings for your child's class
	12.15 - 1.15	Family picnic for all (no swimming lessons Reception & Year 1)
	3.30 - 4.30	Ready Steady Go Kids
Wed	Afternoon	Year 1 activity afternoon at main site
	3.30 - 4.30	Forest club
Thurs	3.30 - 4.30	Science club
Fri	3.30 - 4.30	Last Cookery club for Summer term