

# SANDBROOK PRIMARY SCHOOL

## **Weekly News**

Summer Term 2 Week 2

#### 14th June 2019

#### Special Points of Interest

- Morning opening times
- After School
  Clubs
- Summer Play
  Schemes
- Swimming

#### **Dates for your diary**

Yrs 2/3/4/5 Parents Invited Ukelele Performance 26th June at 2.30pm

Family Support 1:1 appointments Wednesdays 9am–10am

Stay and Play 0-4yrs Wednesdays 9.30am–12noon Entrance via side of reception ALL WELCOME

Parent Coffee Morning Thursdays 9am Entrance via side of reception ALL WELCOME

## Foundation Stage



This half term our Living World topic began with a very special visitor. Speedy the African land snail joined foundation stage to help the children learn about gastropods. While having the opportunity to hold Speedy the children learnt lots of interesting facts:

"He's covered in mucus to help him move around."-Sofia "His shell is made out of the same stuff as our nails."-Mason "I can see his eyes. They're on stalks so he can look all around."- Patrick "His foot is covered in boggies so he can stick to walls and MY HAND!"-Annie-May After carrying out some of their own research, the children discovered that Speedy likes to eat fruit and vegetables. The children decided that they would bring some food in for Speedy. With a little help from Mrs Blakemoore-Irving, the children made snail soup. (No snails included) to paint the inside of Speedy's tank. This enabled the children to see Speedy's mouth in action as he ate his very special treat. As well as learning about gastropods the children will also be learning about insects, beetles, arachnids and annelids.



Meet Speedy the African Land Snail



Soup, mmmmmm

yummy

Our classroom currently looks like a scene from the story Jack and the Beanstalk. Before half term the children were investigating and planting seeds. They have now shot up! In the coming weeks, the children will be helping to plant out our peas, pumpkin, strawberry and potato plants in the quad. When the time comes to harvest our food, we will be giving it to Julie in our school kitchen who will prep it ready for eating. This will give all the children at Sandbrook Primary the opportunity to taste our home grown food. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Serren and Levelle's dad who has given us some pumpkin plants.

#### Swimming

Unfortunately, Calday Pool have had to cancel the swimming sessions due to take place for class 4/5 from Monday 17th June. They have been be re-arranged for the next academic year.

#### Morning drop-off

Please do not drop children off early at the office as we cannot guarantee supervision prior to 08:45.

#### **Ukelele Performance**

Parents/carers of children in Years 2, 3, 4, and 5 are invited to their end of term performance at 2.30pm on 26th June.

#### Build a Burger Day

During lunch time on Friday 21st June, children will be able to build their own burger.

#### **After School Clubs**

There are still places available for the clubs listed below. Please ask your child's class teacher for a sign-up letter or call into the office.

Tuesday	5	Tutoring	6 weeks (4.6.19 – 9.7.19)
			4.30 finish
Thursday	FS2 1	Reading Club	6 weeks (6.6.19 - 11.7.19)
	23456	Eco warriors	6 weeks (6.6.19 - 11.7.19)(£1 per week)

#### Wirral Play Council Summer Holidays 2019 : 6 to 13 year olds

**Free open access** play schemes **including lunch** to each child in a variety of locations. Please see our website 'External Events' page for more details.

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