



# TATSFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

*Aim High, Achieve More*

**Our Vision:** Children, staff and parents working actively in partnership to enable all children to realise their full potential.

## Newsletter - June 2023



### MONTHLY ATTENDANCE

**Year 1: 93.69%** **Year 2: 97.12%**  
**Year 3: 98.07%** **Year 4: 96.4%**  
**Year 5: 97.67%** **Year 6: 96.14%**

The winner for June is:

**Wrens: 98.37%**



Please remember school attendance is mandatory.

Holidays should be planned for school holiday times to avoid missing school time.

If your child is absent, you must notify the school office every day **before 9.30 am at the latest** providing details of illness.

Dear Parents / Carers / Children

This month has seen lots of assessments taking place in classrooms and the results will be reported to families at the end of the school year.

On 20 & 21 June, our new Wrens and their families visited the school as part of their induction. These groups had the chance to visit their classroom, meet staff and enjoy a cup of tea with our PTA members.

We are looking forward to welcoming our new Wrens in September. We hope you've had chance to read the letter regarding staffing for 2023/24 which was emailed home recently. If you cannot locate it in your emails, please visit our website [Tatsfield Primary School - Letters to Parents/Carers \(tatsfieldtlit.co.uk\)](https://www.tatsfieldtlit.co.uk)

Thank you to those Year 5 parents who were able to attend the Sex Education Information Evening ahead of lessons starting in school as part of the science curriculum. We hope you found it useful.

Year 1 had a wonderful time at Beckenham Place Park. Thank you to all those who gave up their valuable time to help out on the day.

Break the Rules Day, today, has been a great success with lots of interesting hair colours on display and lots of puddings being eaten before dinners. Donations are currently being counted.

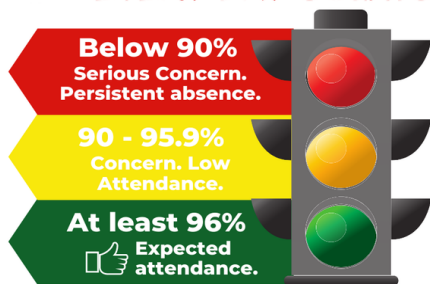
I'd like to remind our families about the INSET Days tomorrow (Friday 30 June) and Monday 3 July 2023 when no pupils are required in school.

Please see the list of dates for your diaries below in the last, very busy few weeks of the school year.

Mr K. Bellinger (Headteacher)



### ATTENDANCE EVERY DAY COUNTS!



**Expected attendance means having no more than seven days off this school year!**

### DATES OF INTEREST

- Saturday 1 July 2023—Tatsfield Singers Summer Concert 2023 at Tatsfield Village Hall at 7.30 pm
- Monday 3 July 2023—TRUST Training Day (no pupils in school)
- Thursday 6 July 2023—District Sports—Field
- Monday 10 July 2023—District Sports—Track
- Wednesday 12 July 2023—Sports Day (am: KS2 / pm: KS1) - further details to follow
- Thursday 13 July 2023— Year 6 Production at 7.00 pm
- Tuesday 18 July 2023—Meet the Teacher Day
- Thursday 20 July 2023— Year 6 Leavers Assembly at 9.00 am
- Friday 21 July 2023—Last day of term

2023 / 2024 are now available on our website: <https://www.tatsfieldtlit.co.uk/>

## YEAR 3 VISIT TO WAKEHURST PLACE

Woodpecker Class spent a fantastic day at Wakehurst on Tuesday 20th June.

First, we worked in groups to create some ephemeral art using natural materials.

Next, we focussed on the 'story of a sunflower', investigating the lifecycle of a sunflower to observe the differences. We used hand lenses to look closely and rulers to measure the length of roots and overall height. At this time, we also used powerful microscopes to look at different parts of flowering plants.

After lunch, we explored the stunning grounds, learning about different trees and plants and spotted pollinators.

Thank you to Mrs Crocker, Mr Henderson, Mrs Wheeldon, Mrs Ekoku and Mr Lucas who accompanied us. Mrs Knock (Woodpeckers)



## YEAR 6 VISIT TO LULLINGSTONE COUNTRY PARK

Eagles class had a wonderful day out at Lullingstone Country Park on Thursday 15 June where they completed a river study. They measured the width, depth and flow of the river which has enhanced their geography topic on rivers. They also enjoyed a walk

exploring the local area.

Mrs Pascal (Eagles)



## CELEBRATING SURREY HEALTHY SCHOOLS

We are very pleased to announce that we have secured the Surrey Healthy School award again this year!

These awards are not easy to achieve, or retain, and require a lot of effort and hard work to meet all of the requirements but it is so good when we get them as it makes us the good school that we are.

Well done to everyone for helping us to achieve this award and a particular thanks must go to Mrs Knock for her work in securing it.

If you'd like to read more please click on the link below.

[Celebrating Surrey Healthy Schools | Healthy Surrey](#)

Mr Bellinger (Headteacher)