Otterham C P School

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Dear Parents

As we approach the end of yet another very busy half term, I thought a little reminder and an introduction to, some upcoming events may be useful.

Firstly, though, I would just like to congratulate our Y6 cohort of children who have just completed their KS2 SATs. Whilst not being life changing, they still certainly add a certain amount of anxiety, as children are keen to perform to the best of their abilities. Each and every child approached the tests with maturity and determination; Mrs Hart, Mrs Arnott, Mr Warren and I couldn't be prouder!

DATES

16/05 – Children's Yoga with Aly Chatterjea (Class 1 & 2)

20/05 – Visiting Author, Cate Merrin

Cate visited Otterham 3 years ago with her book 'Captain Seasick and The Angry Seagull' and enthralled the children with her reading of the book. The children also benefitted from talking to Cate about her journey to become an author.

Cate will be sharing her new book 'Captain Seasick and The Royal Appointment', which will be available for the children to purchase for £6.99 on the day. I am presuming that cash or a pre-written cheque to Cate Merrin will be fine. A text reminder will be sent the day before.



SCIENCE WEEK

23/05 – Mark's Ark Animal Encounters

Each class will be having a 45-minute session discussing adaptations and habitats, focussing on the different animals Mark brings along to school.

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25/05 – Space Odyssey, Science Dome.

Each class will be experiencing a 40-minute 'Earth and Moon in Space' presentation in a planetarium environment.

26/05 – Sponsored Walk to Boscastle – please help support the final push to raise funds for the play structures to be ordered imminently.

27/05

Miss Hocking (SJS) to visit the Y6 children.

Class 3 swim

JUBILEE PARTY LUNCH – Further details to follow.

As you can see, it is a full-on end of term. Please help us to ensure things go smoothly by responding as promptly as possible to any requests for permission etc.

As always, any questions, please ask.

Kind regards

Helen Ward

