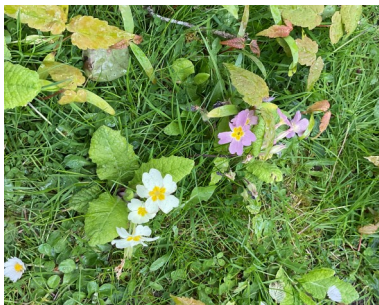
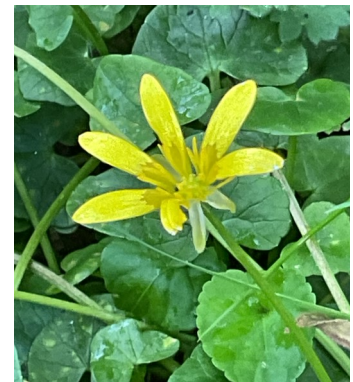
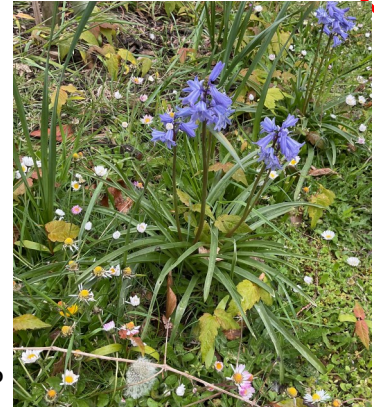


Message from Mrs. Mole

As the weather warms (a little) why not enjoy the walk to school spotting plants that are changing, coming into bud or flowering. It is a way to get ready for the day ahead, filling your lungs with air, moving your body, having a conversation and polluting less. If you have to drive why not park a little further away and walk. Not only will this be better for our environment and the children but it may reduce the stress of parking on Howard Road! I took a short walk down the school path and up Howard Road and these are a few of the things that I spotted. What will you see?



Rebecca Mole, Headteacher



Star of the Week

Rabbits: Calista

Squirrels: Kenny

Badgers: Savannah



Star of Week

Rabbits: **Rafael** for doing super listening in phonics and writing his very own super sentence!

Squirrels: **Poppy** for working hard to write sentences using the days of the week.

Badgers: **Asher** for amazing singing and dancing at the singing festival!

Values Star of the week: .

Rabbits: **Bailey** for being such a caring friend to all of Rabbits.

Squirrels: **Sophie** for being 'curious' about caves in guided reading.

Badgers: **Felix** for being courageous and singing beautifully at the singing festival!



Forest School Star of the Week

Rabbits: **Katie** for showing your creativity, exploring different materials to make art.

Squirrels: **Tabitha** for showing resilience by participating in all our nature craft activities.

Badgers: **Heidi** for explaining the moral of the story so well to the group.



Book Recommendation of the week by Seren in Year 1

'Find Me a Tiger' by Lynley Dodd

"I would recommend this book because it's a lovely rhyming book with camouflaged animals. I like the page where the moth is on the rock. It is really hard to find. I also like it because it's written by the same person as Hairy Maclary."



Library Volunteer

We have the most wonderful library that our children love to visit, browse the books and take them home. To help the children get even more from the library we would love a parent/carer volunteer to open it up for small groups of children at specific times of the day.

If you are interested in volunteering please see Ms. Mole. Ideally we are looking for someone who can volunteer on a regular basis, we can train you in using the systems and following our safeguarding policy we would carry out a Disclosure and Baring Service check. We know from experience that children love seeing their parents/carers in school and volunteering is shown to have a positive impact on wellbeing!

Message from the Friends

New Easy Way To Help Us Win A Share of £6000

Greenredeem - Rethink Waste is a local initiative encouraging us all to waste less, recycle more, discover money-saving tips and earn rewards for living a greener lifestyle.

Each week there are 3 activities (a short 2 minute video to watch, a very short quiz on the weekly topic and a pledge to make a difference). For each of these you earn points.

Over the next 50 days, they are running a Surrey Schools Donation campaign, the more points we finish with, the bigger the share of £6000 we get.

At the start of this week we were 9th on the list, **please sign up**, collect your weekly points and donate to our school here: <https://rethinkwaste.co.uk/register>

The video and quiz are informative and engaging and you could even get your children involved.

Any funding we receive will go towards litter pickers and our Solar Panel project.

Encourage family members to sign up too and let's get our school up that leader board!

Furzeffield Primary School	26,570 points donated
Northmead Junior School	23,685 points donated
St Paul's C of E Primary School	5,480 points donated
Bagshot Infant School	4,860 points donated
The Hythe Community Primary School	4,590 points donated
Horley Infant School	2,480 points donated
Manby Lodge Infant School	1,680 points donated
Bell Farm Primary School	1,325 points donated
Polesden Lacey Infant School	1,130 points donated
Clandon CE Primary School	985 points donated
St Clement's Catholic Primary School	950 points donated
Hawkedale Primary School	900 points donated
Merrow Junior School	850 points donated
Eastwick Schools	550 points donated
Reigate Parish Church Primary School	425 points donated

Dates

6th May—May Day Bank Holiday—school closed

8th May—Year 1 Trip to Wisley

9th May—Year 2 Trip to The British Wildlife Centre

20th—24th May—Art Week—various art activities will take place during the week

20th—24th May—Walk to School Week

20th May—Class photos (am)

21st May—Perform Workshops—all classes

27th May—31st May Half term

3rd June—Inset Day school closed for training

4th June all children return to school

5th June—Year 2 Trip to Woking Mosque (am only)

17th June—Year 2 Singing Picnic at Yehudi Menuhin School (am) More details to follow

26th June Sports Day followed by family picnic after school

2nd July—Reception Trip to Nower Wood—More details to follow

2nd July—Year 2 children visit their new schools (Surrey wide transition day)

19th July—Year 2 Leavers Assembly (am) more details to follow

23rd July Last day of term - school closes at 1pm

Friends Events for your diary:

Thursday 2nd May - Second Hand Uniform Sale after school

Friday 10th May - School Gardening afternoon

Thursday 23rd May - Sponsored Bounce & After School Picnic

Thursday 6th June - Making Morning for Bookham Village Day Parade

Sunday 14th July – Summer Fair 12 - 3pm

