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Island Exhibition



Thank you to all the parents and carers that were able to attend the exhibition on the Island. We have focussed this week on art and writing outcomes using a range of genres and materials to really study the book in depth. It has been wonderful to hear

the children discussing what they think it is about and their interpretation of it, at lunchtimes and during learning time. The public displays will be updated using this work and you can see this when it is completed.

The Lodge



You may have seen the new building on the edge of the playground rapidly expanding! This will be used for group space, meeting areas, quiet zones at break and lunchtime and as a space for the local

community. Whilst funding has come from school funds, we have also had considerable donations from the PTA and ShareGift, for which we are incredibly grateful. We are still seeking further funding if you know of any business or organisation that might like to get involved. The inside needs to be completed but we will then invite you in for the grand tour!

The Monstrous Child



Children in Maple class travelled up to London for another visit to the Royal Opera House. This time they were treated to a new opera based on the Nordic Gods. Whilst it was an interesting production, the view from the children was that they preferred Carmen!

Tate Modern Workshop

Year 6 along with Mr Ledger and Miss Thomas went to the Tate Modern in London for a workshop with a professional artist. After exploring the gallery and having lunch, they were able to participate with a range of different art techniques and had a fantastic time.



Great British Spring Clean



Ten children from Maple joined Swanley Village residents for the Great British Spring Clean along Swanley Village. We were also joined by employees from Swanley Council and managed to clear a huge amount of rubbish away!

Football: FA Cup Quarter Final



Our boy's football team have made it through to the Semi Finals of the Schools FA Cup after defeating Bean Primary 3-2 away. It was a close game with goals two goals from Louie and a winner from Ben.

Sevenoaks Outreach Science Fair

Year 4 travelled to Sevenoaks for the Sevenoaks School Science Fair. They had a wonderful time learning about the science of water and music! Thanks to Mrs Keech and Mrs Franklin for accompanying them on the trip.



Headteacher Hot Chocolate



Mr Hulme will be enjoying hot chocolate with somebody who has gone above and beyond during the week. This week it went to Hanna for a brilliant persuasive letter to Theresa May about ocean pollution!

Celebration Assembly

Class	Values Champion	Writer of the Week	Mathlete of the Week
Birch	Leo F	Henry	Taylah
Oak	Joshua	Caleb	
Beech	Mia	Lilly	Rajeev
Maple	Owain	Alfie	

Attendance

Whole School Attendance: 96%		
Class	Attendance %	Minutes Late
Birch	99.3%	0
Oak	95.9%	5
Beech	96%	2
Maple	95%	0

Letters sent this week

Term 4 Key Dates
School Fund
St. Paul's v. Downsvie Football
Parent Consultations
Handball Competition Y5/6

Events

07.03.2019	World Book Day
15.03.2019	Maple French Trip
19.03.2019	Headteacher Drop-in
26.03.2019	Parent Consultations
27.03.2019	Parent Consultations
28.03.2019	Parent Consultations
05.03.2019	End of Term 5

Value of the Term: Honesty

'Life in all its fullness' John (10:10)