

IT is a sad fact that 1 in 2 people will now get a cancer diagnosis. That is why we are so happy to support Cancer Research UK with our very own Race for Life. We are beyond proud of our children who ran, jogged and walked around the field to raise money for this very worthy cause. Thank you to everyone who sponsored our children. We all know somebody whose lives have been touched by cancer and this money helps to develop more and more treatments to eradicate this disease. Watch this space to see how much we raised.



Dates for the diary

- 4th July—Election
 Day SCHOOL
 CLOSED
- 4th July—District Sports
- 5th July—Year 4 trip to Kew Gardens
- 8th July—Oliver Twist Theatre Production
- 15th July—Year 6 Production 1.30pm
- 16th July—Year 6 Production 5.30pm
- 17th July—Open afternoon Infants
- 18th July Open afternoon Juniors
- 22nd July—Year 6 leavers service at St. Hilda's
- 23rd July END OF TERM SCHOOL CLOSES EARLY Reception—Y2 1.30pm and Years 3-6 1.40pm
- 24th July—3rd September SUMMER HOLIDAY SCHOOL CLOSED



Arts Week News

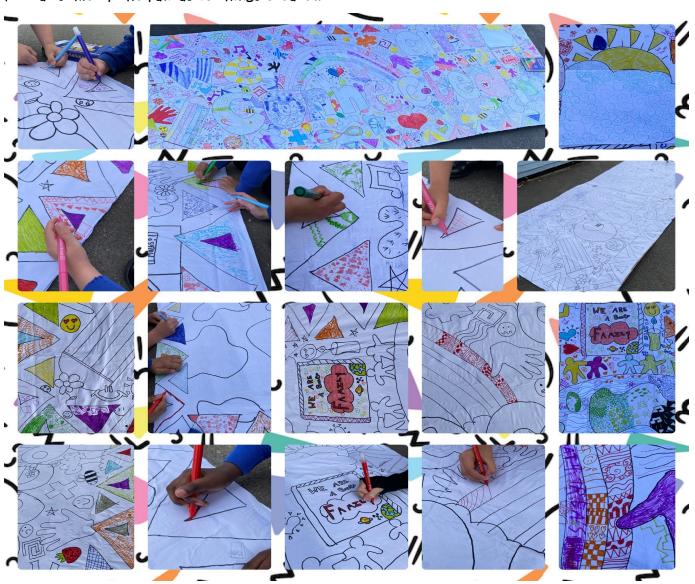
Last week, we held our annual Arts week in school. The Arts covers subject knowledge and skills linked to Art, Design, Drama, Music and Creativity.

Working in partnership with Sky Arts, the Children took part in online workshops from celebrities such as Connie Huq, author Oliver Jeffers and artist Mr Doodle. They even took part in question and answer sessions about future careers in the Arts.

The theme of this years Arts week was all about connection. This could be connection to things we love and feel passionate about; connection with our surroundings and landscapes and connection to movement and music.

Across the school, the Children have taken part in a wide variety of activities from landscape drawing, exploring pattern and doodles, music, storytelling and performance.

We also had a whole school collaborative 'connective' piece of doodle art. Every child in the school contributed and created this colourful and expressive outcome. Come and take a little look at some of the fantastic things created.



ACE Achievers



THIS week we have George from Elephant class who has recently become an Altar Server at his church. During mass he is at the front assisting the Priest. Well done George! We would love to feature lots of you in ACE's Highlights so why not show us what you can do. It doesn't have to be a trophy or a certificate. Perhaps you've made a cake or built something amazing from Lego or junk or

even grown some vegetables! Show us what you can do and let us celebrate it here!

School lunch from September

THE cost of a school lunch for Years 3-6 will be £2.80 per day from September.

If you qualify for free school meals please ensure your child takes the meal. If you send your child with a packed lunch on a day you have ordered a meal then the school will have to meet the cost and it is a waste of food.

Can you help?

DO you do your shopping in Tesco's at Ashford Hospital? If you do then you may have noticed the big wooden 'Tesco' as seen in the photo below. Inside each of those letters is a bug hotel and we would really like one of these for our school. We were hoping that there might be a parent or grandparent or carer who may be able to construct the letters ACE for us. If you are good with wood please contact the school office.



House Points: Winners this week— Lockington

AS you are aware our target for attendance is 96 %. As we approach the end of the school year we will be recognising the children who have reached this target during worship.

