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It's British Science Week and the theme this year is 'Time.' Mr Osborn, our Science lead has launched a Science competition. South Hill pupils have been asked to design a spacecraft that could be used by astronauts for the

BRITISH SCIENCE WEEK long distance voyage to Mars!

The design can be drawn or made as a prototype. It could be labelled or come with a written description.
This is a Home Learning project with prizes! The deadline is March 22nd. Please bring entries in to school and they will be collected and judged by Mr Osborn.

## Ramadan Mubarak

As the holy month of Ramadan begins may you be blessed with strength, patience and wisdom.


## Coffee Morning/Afternoon-25.03.24

Our next targeted coffee morning will be hosted on Monday 25 March at 9-10am. This will be for Parents/Carers of siblings. If you have more than one child, come along and
 have a chat and a cuppa with similar parents/carers. We are looking forward to seeing you.

## Summer Term Clubs

The Clubs timetable is now live. All clubs run by the school can be booked and paid for online via the
 School Gateway app. External clubs must be booked direct with them, (unless you are in receipt of benefit related Free School Meals, you would need to see Mrs Coombs in the school office to make the application for you).

Don't leave signing up to external clubs until after the Easter holidays as we run the risk of losing them due to lack of interest. Don't delay, sign up today!

## Grammar Corner-Sycamore

Year Six has been learning about determiners this week. A determiner is a word that is placed ahead of a noun to specify some details about it. This word clarifies what the noun refers to. They could be articles, possessives, demonstratives or quantifiers:-
I went to the woods.
These flowers are beautiful.
My homework is finished.
He would like some pancakes.


## Class News-Kingfishers

This week we have been enjoying learning about the craft of writing fairytales and have been inspired by both Michael Rosen and Roald Dahl. We are excited to be able to write our own traditional tales. In maths we have been subtracting 2 digit numbers, it gets pretty
 tricky when you have to cross a ten but by using the base 10 apparatus and drawing pictures we can do it. We are learning about Easter in RE and tasted hot cross buns this week - yummy! It has been great to find out about Florence Nightingale and her legacy in history and we are
very grateful for the improvements in hospitals. We also had a great time in Forest school with Mrs Evans and enjoyed making moving pictures in DT.

## Y6 Creative Workshop-Abbots Hill School

Abbot's Hill very kindly invited year six to attend a fun day of activities on Tuesday. They experienced lacrosse, food technology, adventurous activities, water polo, trampolining, and art. The children were extremely well behaved and represented our school excellently. They
 particularly liked the delicious food in the canteen and the chocolate biscuit at break time!

## Eco Warriors

Eco warriors and friends are busy on school grounds. The Great Big School Clean 15-31 March 2024 has just started and this will enable us to keep the school grounds nice and tidy. Bruno said "this is more like a treasure hunt because we found two balls, a
 toy cube, a ring and a hoola hoop".

## Bikeability

This week some of our Y5 students have been taking part in the Bikeability course. This course has taught our children how to look after their bicycle, and to safely ride
 upon the road. Well done to all that have taken part.

## Forest School

Year 2 Owls created some amazing 3D natural art using filling and layering techniques.


## Rocksteady Concert

On Wednesday afternoon the Rocksteady pupils performed to us! Wow! they were amazing. Parents enjoyed the concert and year 2 and 3 were a great audience. Here are some of our South Hill
 Rockstars in action.

## Girls Football-Monday 11.03.24

South Hill girls played their last football group match on Monday against Greenway school. In a very competitive match both teams played at a very fast pace. South Hill scored first with an excellent pass from Violet to Billie. After some great saves from our goalkeeper Niamh, we scored a great goal
 from a corner taken by Violet. The score stayed at 2-1 to South Hill at full time, and our player of the match was Daisy. Well done girls.

Yours sincerely
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