## Cavalry Newsletter 09.05.2022





Educational visits for Year 5: Last Tuesday, Class 12 had an amazing day visit to the Fitzwilliam Museum in Cambridge. We had a talk and tour of the Ancient Egypt gallery with one of the museum's teachers, and also explored some of the other famous exhibits in the museum. The children were fascinated by seeing the beautiful artefacts, including examples of Egyptian objects which were 5,000 years old. Class 11 are enjoying the same experience this week.

Grounds working party: On Saturday 14th May a group of staff and parents will be meeting at school from 10.00 to 12.30 to tackle the next stage of renovating the wildlife area around our pond. We have lots of baby brambles growing where the vegetation was cleared in February, so need to dig them out before they have chance to take over again. Please come and help if you can! Bring your spade and gardening gloves if you can - but we will have spares too!



In last week's Eco Council meeting we have been thinking of ways to help save energy around school. We have come up with some top tips to be displayed in each class and have used Google Slides to make some informative posters. We have also designed a Journey to School questionnaire which we have shared with all classes. We will be looking at the results of this survey in our next session.

## **Our Top Tips:**

- -Switch off computers and other electronics when not in use
- -Use natural light, rather than classroom lights, wherever possible
- -Turn off the lights in empty rooms



## **Dates for your Diary:**

Wednesday 11th May - school photographer visits for class photos Thursday 12th May - Year 1 visit to Church Farm 16th to 20th May 2022 - Walk to School Week

Monday 23rd May at 2.15 p.m. - Sports Day for Nursery & Reception Tuesday 24th May at 2.00 p.m. - Sports Day for KS2 Wednesday 25th May at 2.15 p.m. - Sports Day for KS1 Thursday 26th May - last day of school/nursery - Jubilee Celebration

Friday 27th May to Monday 6th June inclusive - school and nursery closed for half term

Tuesday 7th June - school and nursery re-open July 6th/ 7th/ 8th - Year 3 residential visit to Burwell House Friday 22nd July - last day of term

All term dates for 2021/22 and 2022/23 are available on the school website. Please remember that holidays in term time are not authorised unless there are very exceptional circumstances and you may receive a penalty notice if your child misses school.