

# Newsletter

Friday 26th June 2020



## Dear Parents / Carers,

I hope you and your families are all well and continue to be well. I am delighted to hear that the Governments' intention is to see school's open for all children in September. We will await further guidance from the government on what this may look like and as always will be in contact with you when we know more.



## The Summer Reading Challenge

The Summer Reading Challenge is going to be a bit different this year. The Challenge will run from 5th June to mid-September but Thurrock Libraries will be officially launching on the 11<sup>th</sup> July. For further information about how your child can join in with the challenge at home please visit: <https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/> <https://readingagency.org.uk/news/media/new-survey-from-the-reading-agencyreveals-childrens-top-reading-choices-and-who-influences-them.html>



Some of the library staff have also made a short fun video about how to get involved with the Summer Reading Challenge this year: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ypZHxnQ-izl>

They are also hosting a **very special launch event** with professional storyteller John Kirk. FREE TO LIBRARY MEMBERS! This is an interactive reading of Roald Dahl's *The Twits* on Zoom, on July 11th. See attached flyer for more details.

## Year 6 job applications

A reminder that applications from current Year 5's for their Year 6 jobs are due in by Friday 3rd July. You can type or hand write your letter and send via email, post or arrange to drop in at school.

## Bug Club Superstars

This weeks winners are : Luca, Toby and Lacie.

Well done to you all for all of your excellent reading!



## End of term date

Please be informed the last day of term will be Friday 17th July.

Please do take care and stay safe.



Miss Finch  
Headteacher

JOHN KIRK PRESENTS  
ROALD DAHL'S  
THE TWITS



Warning: this story contains twits being vile to each other. Some children may find this upsetting... but funny!

Saturday 11 July at 11am

Join professional storyteller  
**John Kirk** at 11am on Zoom as  
we launch the Silly Squad Summer  
Reading Challenge 2020 in  
Thurrock.

To book your FREE place email  
[access.services@thurrock.gov.uk](mailto:access.services@thurrock.gov.uk) with your Thurrock  
library card number by the 10<sup>th</sup> July.  
Places are limited so book now!

