



### “Shazam! Comics” hit the press

Finally, the wait is over for comic book fans across the country, as Willow Class have published issue 1 of *Shazam! Comics*. The first issue has 17 stories that the children have lovingly written and illustrated, both at home and in school. There are Victorian pirates, cake eating dinosaurs, super heroes, flying dogs, spies, gorillas and unicorns just to name a few of the many delights our comic contains. What more could you want from a book!

### Open Day

We had a really successful open morning on 8<sup>th</sup> June. Thank you to Nadine, Ursula and Sam, Megan, Nancy and Rosie for your help. It was very well attended and has resulted in some new registrations for September. Great job team!

### Sycamore Class guest storytellers and Friday Gathering

Sycamore class have been enjoying different parents and grandparents into their class to read their favourite stories. It has been a lovely way for parents to get involved and for children to hear stories from different adults. Thank you to everyone who has taken part. On Friday Sycamore Class led the whole school gathering giving clues to their favourite book character before revealing their paintings. They were all amazing – here is Coralie’s “The Tiger who came to Tea”.



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### Oak Trees Forest School – Elderflower Fritters

Making Elder flower fritters at Forest school is a joy. Everyone works together to prepare the mixture, light the fire and of course enjoy!



### Science lessons have never been so much fun!

As part of their science project, Willow class learnt about different parts of the body, and about the digestive system in particular. To get a practical understanding of how our digestive systems work they made a working model. They took a breakfast of toast, fruit and a cup of tea and chopped it all up in a bowl representing the mouth. The mixture was then put into a 'stomach' where acid was added, and more mashing happened, before the pulp was passed into the small intestines (made from tights). The children then squeezed the pulp through the long length of tights, removing the water until they made a 'poo' come out the end!



### Kindergarten visit to Ditchling Museum of Art and Craft

Kindergarten had a wonderful morning at Ditchling Museum of Art and Craft. They went on a treasure hunt around the museum looking for specific patterns, shapes and print. They looked at a printing press that was more than two hundred years old before having a go at printing into clay and printing with paint on to paper. Thank you to the parents who accompanied them on this outing.



### School Class Photographs – Monday, 17<sup>th</sup> June – 9.15am

Poppy Lewis from Penguin Photography will be coming in to take Class/Whole School photographs on Monday. Please make sure you are wearing clothes you want to be photographed in. If your child doesn't normally attend kindergarten on a Monday, you can bring them in for the photo.

### Sports Day - Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2pm

Don't miss Sports day this Monday at 2pm. Please try to arrive by 1.45pm. The Friends will provide fruit for the children taking part and they will have a supply of local ice cream in pots for £2 each so please bring some change. Please park in playground before filling up the car park. No minibus running pm.

#### Timetable for w/c 17.06.19

##### Monday:

Class/Whole School Photos – 9.15am  
Lunch: Dahl  
Sports Day 2pm

##### Tuesday:

Lunch: Pizza  
Kinderplay 10.00-11.30am

##### Wednesday:

Patina Make

##### Thursday:

EYFS Parents Talk – 9.20am

##### Friday:

Transition Morning (Year 2-6) – 9.15 to 11.00am  
Transition Afternoon (Kindergarten – Year 1) – 2.30 to 3.30pm

#### EYFS Literacy - Parent Talk New Date - Thurs 20<sup>th</sup> June, 9.20am

Rescheduled date for parents in Kindergarten and Sycamore classes. We really hope that as many parents as possible will be able to attend this meeting. We will meet in the hall.

#### Annan Dog Show - Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 1.30pm

There will be tea, coffee and sandwiches available. £1 for each class that a dog enters. This includes waggiest tail, fancy dress and best trick. More details for dog owners in the office. Please bring a cake with you and some £1 coins.

#### Strawberry Tea Party - Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June

Our annual Strawberry Tea Party is on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June at 3.30pm. There will be teas, cakes, scones, sandwiches, juice, elderflower cordial and bowls of strawberries to purchase. The children will be performing some Maypole Dancing and we will be finishing at 4.30pm. Requests for specific help eg cake making will go home next week.