



# Upland Primary School Newsletter

Week 34: 16th June 2017

## Important dates

- 23rd June—Ladybirds class assembly 9am. Parents/carers welcome.
- 24th June—Summer fair 12—3pm
- 30th June—Caterpillars class assembly 9am. Parents/carers welcome.
- 3rd –7th July—Outdoor week.
- 7th July—Sports day whole school.
- 7th July—Year 4 adventure sleepover.
- 9th July—Last day for Year 6 parents to register for 11+
- 12th July—Reserve Sports day.
- 21st July—last day of term. School finishes at 1.30pm.

Reminder:

Could you please return your Outdoor week permission slip as soon as possible.

## Grenfell disaster

Our hearts go out to all those families that have been affected by the above disaster and with this in mind we would like to invite anyone who would like to donate to the disaster fund, there are several links online including one set up by a local school <https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/familiesofgrenfelltower>

## E Safety



The NSPCC have launched a new campaign to make more young people Shareaware. Their website is full of ideas to encourage discussion about what people choose to post or share online and gives helpful hints on how to start these discussion in the home. Their website address is <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-childrensafe/share-aware/>

## Uniform

There has recently been a slip in the correct uniform being worn. We appreciate that it is coming up to the end of term, however, we would appreciate if all children could wear the correct uniform. Thank you.



*The award for the best attendance this week goes to*

**Class Mars**

*Well done!*

## Horton Kirby visit

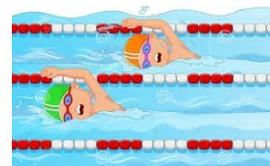


Year 4 enjoyed themselves immensely, at Horton Kirby Environmental Centre, where they donned their welly boots and

got their feet wet in the River Darent. We were extremely lucky to have a sunny day, as we carried out a river investigation into water flow using rubber ducks. Back at the centre, we investigated permeability of rocks and built our own river system out of mud.



## Swimming gala



On Monday, 45 competitors from years 5 and 6 took part in the annual swimming gala. The

rest of years 5 and 6 came to spectate and cheer Upland on. The halfway results were announced and we were in 3rd place. The children swam their fastest and the spectators gave great support. At the end it was announced that there was only 1 point between 1st and 2nd place. We waited nervously and then erupted in cheers as it was announced that we had won! Well done to all the competitors for contributing towards the final score and the spectators for giving such encouragement.

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