

# Newsletter

## DIARY DATES

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May – Reception Tamworth Castle Trip

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May – Year 4 & 5 Production – 2-3pm

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May – Year 4 & 5 Production – 6pm

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May – Year 1 Sea Life Centre Trip

Dear Parents,

‘Enjoyment is not a goal, it is a feeling that accompanies important ongoing activity’ Paul Goodman

We have had a really enjoyable week here in Finham, the Year 4 and 5 play sounds wonderful and we are looking forward to seeing the final production next week.

The staff in school are busy preparing for our Jubilee celebration next Friday. We are hoping the weather will be kind to us and stay dry.

The weather has been really mixed so far this term. Please ensure you apply sun protection to your child before they arrive in school but also ensure that they have a coat with them in case it rains.

Over the weekend please can you ensure all uniform is named as we are building up a large collection of unnamed items in lost property.

Have a fabulous weekend.

Sarah Bracken  
Head Teacher

It's been another busy couple of weeks in the lower phase. In Year 2, the children have made a start on their KS1 SATs. Although they still have a couple more tests to complete, myself and Miss Merklebach are so proud of all the children and their hard work. The children's values have been on show all week and they have tackled every test with positivity, determination and enthusiasm. Well done Year 2!

Yesterday, the school took part in 'Outdoor Learning Day' We were very lucky to have beautiful weather and the children enjoyed having the opportunity to take their learning outside. In Year 1, the children had to use their teamwork skills to make flower pot men for their outdoor area. Year 2 took part in a mini beast hunt and thought about what they could do to encourage more wildlife into the school grounds. Year 3 have started working on their new text 'How to train your dragon' so they went on a senses trail to gather ideas for a dragon's habitat. It was great to see everyone making full use of the school grounds and I'm sure there will be a lot more lessons taking place outside this term.

Miss Beale  
Lower phase leader

## **TROUSERS, LEGGINGS AND SHORTS**

Reception and Nursery have run out of spare trousers, leggings and shorts. If anyone has items labelled 'Finham Spare', please can they be returned. If your child has grown out of any aged 4-5, 5-6 or 6-7, we would greatly appreciate them!

## **DRIVING OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL**

Please could we ask that you drive slowly and safely by the school to ensure we keep our children safe.

## **PTA UPDATE**

Summer Fair & Jubilee Celebrations – Event for all the family/community please come along and support. Look out for the flyer Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> June 11am – 3pm. Volunteers required to help please.

We still have sunflower packs available for our competition please make sure you send in £1 in a named envelope with sunflower comp written on envelope.

Tombola Donations URGENTLY required over the next week if anyone has anything suitable for a tombola stall at the fair please could they be brought to school with your child. DEADLINE Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May.

## **FINHAM LIBRARY SPRING FAIR- Finham Green Rd, Coventry, CV3 6FP**

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> May – starting from 10.30am until 1pm. Big plant sale, crafts stall, tombola stall and children books.

## **PE DAYS**

### **MONDAY**

Year 1 - Athletics

Year 2 – Games

Year 5 – Striking/Fielding Games skills

### **TUESDAY**

Nursery - Fundamentals + Dance

Year 3 – Athletics

Year 6 – Net/Wall game skills

### **WEDNESDAYS**

Reception-Athletics

Year 1 – Games

Year 4 - Striking/Fielding Skills

Year 6 - Striking/Fielding Games Skills

### **THURSDAYS**

Nursery - Fundamentals + Dance

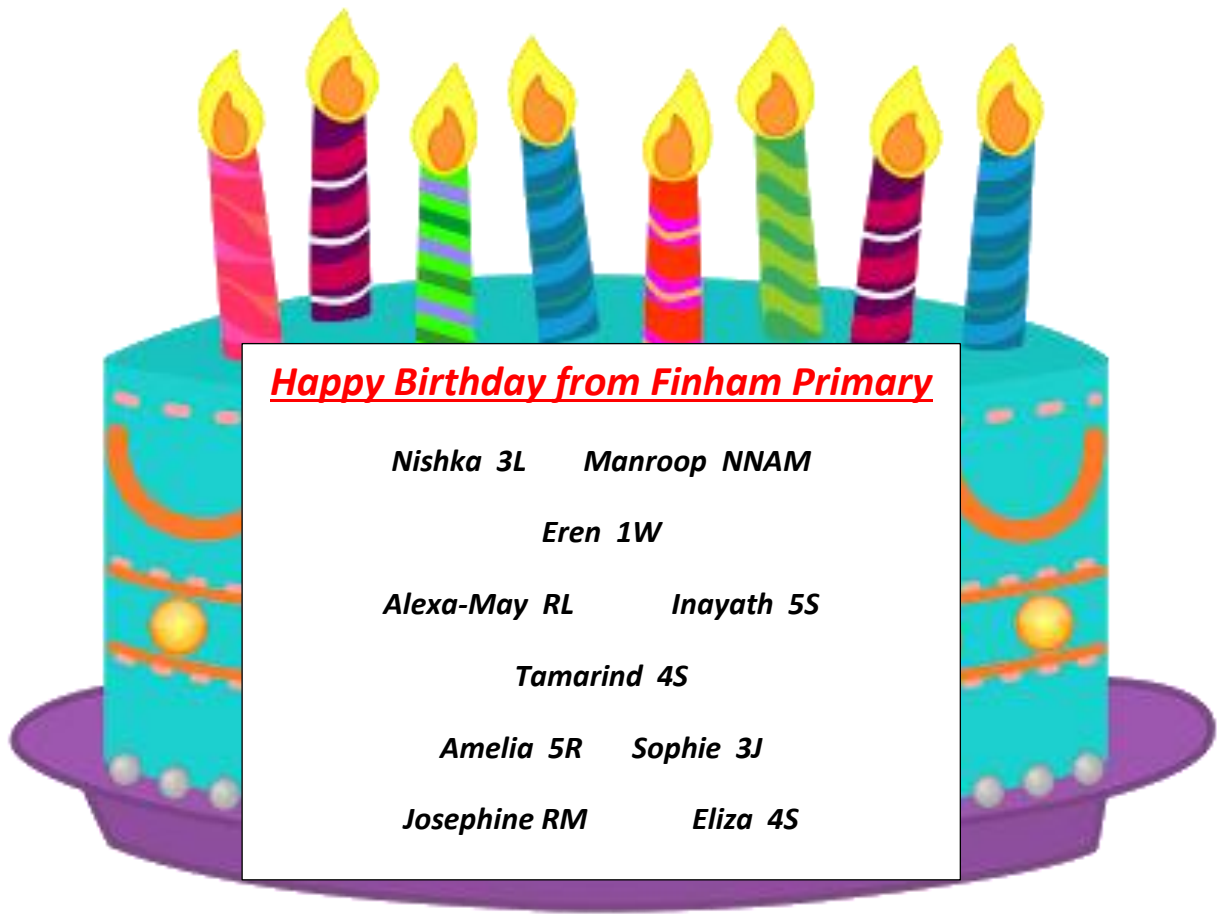
Year 2 – Athletics

Year 4 – Athletics

Year 5 – Net/Wall Games Skills

### **FRIDAYS**

Year 3 – Striking/Fielding Game skills



**Happy Birthday from Finham Primary**

***Nishka 3L    Manroop NNAM***

***Eren 1W***

***Alexa-May RL    Inayath 5S***

***Tamarind 4S***

***Amelia 5R    Sophie 3J***

***Josephine RM    Eliza 4S***