



## Headteacher's Monthly Update June 2017

### **Buildings**

All is still on time for the new Hall build. Work is underway now to repair the water leak under the corridor floor, following the safe removal of the asbestos pipe insulation. New furniture, carpets and lockers are on order for the Year 5/6 classroom.

The very patient Year 5 pupils were rewarded with an after-school bowling trip this week. Mrs Lester and I had great fun too! 'Star Bowler' was Jayden - despite his unusual style, he scored a superb 148 in his first game.

### **Monitoring**

We will be having a School Improvement Partner visit on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July, to carry-out our Summer Term local authority monitoring visit.

### **Curriculum**

I am currently working on Year 6 curriculum information for the website - this will be updated over the summer. Topic webs for the autumn term will be online as soon as possible. All other information remains relevant for your child/children's new year group/s.

### **Notice**

We are hosting our 2<sup>nd</sup> Cross-Country running event from 1pm on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July. Selected teams of year 3, 4 and 5 pupils will be competing against teams from 7 other schools. We will have additional vehicles parked in the school car park until 2.30pm. Whilst the event is underway, the gate to the car park will be closed for pupil safety. Please try to delay your arrival until after 2.45pm.

### **Staffing**

This week, we have had a Duchess' High School Year 12 work experience student in early Years. Many thanks to Lauren, who is an ex-pupil, on her very successful placement.

From next Thursday, Mrs Jenny Blyth (our newly appointed KS1 teacher) will be spending time with us each day until the end of term.

Many thanks,

Diane Lakey June 2017