



Morgans Mail

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Dear Parents / Carers and Children,

What a week! Following several short weeks due to various bank holidays, we are now back into the swing of the term with a vengeance. I hope you all enjoyed your street parties or whatever other entertainments you had planned. The weather was suitably glorious.

The children in Years 1 and Reception thoroughly enjoyed their visits to Bekonscot Model Village and to Shepreth Animal Park respectively. Everyone had a fantastic time and the children were, as usual a great credit to you, themselves and the school.

I am sure you must be slightly bewildered by the number of staff taking maternity leave. To keep you up to date, Miss Russell has given birth to a daughter during the Easter break, and Mrs Sales will start her maternity leave at the end of the summer term. Congratulations to them both.

Finally, as you must be aware by now, we will be welcoming an Ofsted Inspection Team of four inspectors into school next Monday 9th and Tuesday 10th May. Please remember to complete your parent questionnaires by first thing Monday morning as the team have a very tight turn around time to collate your responses.

The inspection arrangements will not affect our arrangements for our Year 6 SATs, which will go ahead as usual, including the offer of breakfast for the children on Monday to Thursday mornings at 8am. Please ensure your child comes to school well rested and punctually each morning to fully do themselves justice.

Enjoy your week ends and very best wishes to all our Year 6 children next week. I have great confidence in you all and in our staff team, so I am looking forward to a happy outcome at the end of the week.

Kind regards

Sue Dutt

Nursery Admissions...

Some parents have reported difficulties accepting their offered Nursery place online. Advice from County asks that you check your screen for banner 'pop up blocker.' If you see this please click and select 'temporarily allow pop ups.' This should solve the problem and allow you access to the box to complete the acceptance process. If you still are experiencing difficulty, please contact Mrs Gunn and she will help you through the process.

Parent Council Corner...

The Morgans Parent Council would like to canvas your opinions once more, this time around the interview for the new Headteacher position.

Their question to you: If you could interview for the new Headteacher position, what questions would you ask?

Please email responses through to the Parent Council at:
parentcouncil@morgans.herts.sch.uk

Messages From FOMs

Morgans Mile Details...

The Morgans Mile is on Thursday 19th May. A letter providing details and race times for those parents wishing to spectate will be going out this week. The JustGiving site details will also feature, should you wish to post a good luck message of support to our young intrepid athletes. It is after all, one of the highlights of the year!!!

Manic Ceramics...

Manic ceramics reminder: 3.30 on Monday 23rd May - this is a chance for the children to paint ceramics for Fathers Day or another relative. Letters providing details for this will go out next week.

Royal Community Celebrations

The children have been thinking carefully about their role in the community in assemblies this week and how they can contribute to improving things for others. We were very impressed at the quality and thoughtfulness of their responses. Two of our governors and several children and parents from our school community look to have had a fantastic time during the Royal Wedding celebrations creating the masterpiece below. The message of the related assembly: by working together co-operatively and under guidance great things can be achieved. One square on its own would not make any sense, though together the great things can be achieved.



St Trinians

One of our pupils, Jasmine Mitchell, is playing a part in this forthcoming production at Hertford Theatre. We know she will be great! If you wish to see the performance, details follow:

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ST TRINIAN'S

by David Barrett

Director Darren Jones
Musical Director Andy Merrifield • Choreographer Alison Latchford

WEDNESDAY 18 - SATURDAY 21 MAY 2011
at **HERTFORD THEATRE**
The Wash, Hertford, SG14 1PS
Tickets: 01992 531500 or www.hertfordtheatre.com

Bekonscot Model Village

On Wednesday Year 1 went to visit this wonderful model village set in the 1930's as we have been learning about old and new homes. We had a great time and the sun shone on us. The behaviour was brilliant and made Morgans proud! Many thanks to the parents that helped on the trip. A quote from Emma 'This is like the bestest place ever!' and from Mia 'I want to go back again'. You can't say more than that really...!

