



Year 5 to RHS Garden Bridgewater

As part of Year 5's science and investigation theme, this week they visited the RHS (Royal Horticultural Society) garden at Worsley. This is a spectacular 154-acre garden, set within the historic grounds of Worsley New Hall in Salford. With fantastic facilities including a bespoke Learning Studio, Peel Learning Garden and Woodland Play area it was an ideal environment for the children to explore and carry out a closer examination of the lifecycle of plants. They investigated the fascinating ways that plants make and disperse seeds to reproduce, and explored the garden to discover real life examples, investigated seed dispersal through role-play and observation as well as the entire lifecycle from seed to flower to fruit.

A great time was had by all and the weather was more than suitable for exploring the gardens.

Crowning Our Lady



This tradition is often associated with "May Crowning," a practice prevalent in the month of May, which is dedicated to Mary in the Catholic faith. May is the height of Spring, gardens everywhere are alive with blooming flowers and trees are filling their branches with leaves. This new beginning and new birth in nature reminds us of the life Mary gave to Jesus. Without Mary giving birth to Jesus, all events that followed: Jesus' life, death and resurrection would not have happened.

Last Friday as a school, we all came together in the glorious sunshine to celebrate Mary and her month, by holding a special service in the garden with Father Haworth, followed by the children laying flowers at Mary's feet as well as crowning her with a wreath of flowers.



On 8 May 1945, people in Britain and across the world celebrated Victory in Europe, now known as VE Day. This marked the unconditional surrender of Germany and meant an end to nearly six years of a war. This year we will be celebrating the 80th anniversary of this historic event. In school we celebrated this important day in our countries history by wearing our own clothes in a red, white and blue based theme, discussing in class the importance of this day, designing a medal competition and decorating the school with bunting and flags; it was, and should be a day to be remembered.

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Rec	Roya	Rec	Jet
Year 1	Nadia	Year 1	Poorvajeetsii
Year 2	Sahas	Year 2	Hiba
Year 3	Ashley	Year 3	Eliane
Year 4	Kuba	Year 4	Harry
Year 5	Libby	Year 5	Arthur
Year 6	Dhanvi	Year 6	Izza

SATs Week All week

9.00-12.00

Football @ Ladybridge Year 6 3.00-5.30pm

Year 5 swimming at Bolton One 1.30-2.15pm

Year 5 Freshwater Theatre in hall 9.00-12.00

Year 5&6 Mastery Maths at St Bede's

Mon 12th May

Thurs 15th May

Mon 19th May

Tues 20th May

Year 6 football



Well done to our Year 5 & 6 football team who over the last few months have been participating in a football league with other schools in the Bolton area. On Thursday evening in their final two games in this league, the team unfortunately lost both of their games, and have finished in a creditable mid table position. The team have played well in all of their games and their total dedication cannot be faulted.

> Well done to you all you are all superstars!!



Weekly attendance

Well done to Year 6 who are this weeks attendance superstars with 100%

Year 3 are our most punctual class.

Well done everyone!!



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