

# Newsletter—May 2024



## News From The Office...

Dear Parents / Carers,

What a busy start to the Easter term! The children are busy in school working hard in all areas of the curriculum and there are many fun lessons happening in school. Below I have listed some of the exciting events that have happened or are happening in the coming weeks. Please do not hesitate to contact you child's class

teacher if you have any queries or questions at all. Thank you for your continued support

Yours sincerely  
Mrs Sian

### Special Points Of Interest:

- News From the Office
- School Council
- LTA School of the Year
- PSHE Parent Voice Feedback
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## School Council...

The children, along with School Council have been amazing in suggesting even more ways of rewarding positive behaviour in school. We aim for all children to feel happy and safe, so that they can learn effectively. This term has been extremely exciting because we now have Star of the Week, Stickers, Mathematician of the Week, Golden chairs, Marbles in the jar, messages on MarvellousMe (don't forget to download the App on your phone) and many more rewards, so please ask your children when they come home!

All classrooms have a smiley face, reflection card time and sad face, with clear expectations. Congratulations to all children who have received certificates or shown Dovetastic behaviour this term 😊

We will be launching the new attendance rewards on this week, so we'll update you in the next Newsletter!

## LTA School of the Year...

Congratulations to our children, who took part in Rackets Cubed and won the LTA School of the Year, Education Award!!! Well done!!! 🎉🎉🎉

Rackets Cubed is the programme we are involved in with the NTU, that provides tennis coaching, maths tutoring and a hot, healthy meal, after school weekly 🎾🍴





## PSHE Parent Voice Feedback

Thank you so much for contributing to the parent questionnaire. The feedback has been useful in supporting us with our development of PSHE at Dovecote. It was so lovely hearing the wonderful things that families were saying about our PSHE curriculum.

"Giving the right information at the right age is most important. I just loved the lessons that are needed for the kids as they grow up."

"Curriculum design for each year is brilliant, based on the child's understanding respective of their age"

"I don't think you could do anything better"



Full feedback can be found on the PSHE section of our website. Use this QR code to take you there directly.

**Requesting absence leave** – We encourage you not to take your children on holiday during term time. Any holidays taken in term time will be unauthorised and you will receive a letter that may result in a fine.

### **Dates For Your Diary....**

Bank Holiday: Monday 6th May 2024

Year 6 SATs week: Mon 13th to Thurs 16th May 2024

Reception—Visit to Stonebridge City Farm on Monday 20th May

