

# Benger Bulletin

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## Strive, Believe, Succeed with... 'Thankfulness'

This term our School Value is '**Thankfulness**'.

A discussion with your child might be 'What does it mean to 'count our blessings'?'

### 'Headlines'...

Welcome back to our new School Year! A particular warm welcome to our new Reception children as well as new children to the other classes. We also welcome Mrs Rayner – teaching in Peace Class and hope that all of them enjoy their time at Sutton Benger School.

During the holidays the main children's toilets have been increased in number and re-decorated, meaning that the children have far more space and a pleasant environment. The staff have all moved teaching space and adjusting to new year groups and timetables and are also beginning to remember which classroom they should be in!

Staff from Sutton Benger and Oaksey School held a joint Training Day at the beginning of term where all the staff received updated Safeguarding Training, This is a very important area of school life and one of the areas discussed was Online Safety for our children. Parent workshops will take place later on in the term, to help parents understand the risks for their children and Mr Richards will be visiting each class regularly throughout the year to help children understand the risks to themselves. Keep an eye out for these dates – it is a very important session to attend if possible.

Some children are coming to school with very large rucksacks. Unfortunately we do not have room on classroom pegs for these bags, plus coats and PE bags. Please can the children only bring to school on a daily basis their book bag, lunch box and snack box. Their PE kit needs to be in a drawstring bag, or similar and needs to stay on their pegs for the term. Although PE is generally on a set day, quite often staff will have an extra session where the children need to change and therefore the PE kit needs to be in school at all times. A number of children are also wearing earrings – these must be a small, round silver or gold ball (no jewels) for safety reasons and the children need to be able to take them out for PE lessons.

We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible at our whole school Welcome Service at All Saints Church, Sutton Benger on next Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> September at 9.20am, where the new Reception Class children will be introducing themselves. Hopefully, the warmer weather will continue for a few more weeks so we can all continue to benefit from being outside as much as possible!

Ursula Scott

## Super Learning Power Certificates

Congratulations to the following children!

7<sup>th</sup> September

14<sup>th</sup> September

Red SuperSolver		
Yellow SuperGlue	George Lewis, Rupert Hazeldine, George Sandell	Edward Humphrey, Lucas Larmour, Amber Wrathall, Milarose Hopkins-Witts
Blue SuperHelper	Adrians Fjodorous, Pheonix Hastings	
Purple SuperThinker	Willow Smollens, Willow Hastings, Hettie Crome,	Harry Hirst, Alice Collier-Marsh, Noah Jane
Green SuperBud	Sophie Marchant, Danny Broomfield	Lauren Littleford
Orange SuperStar	Charlie Strange, Brody Jenkins	

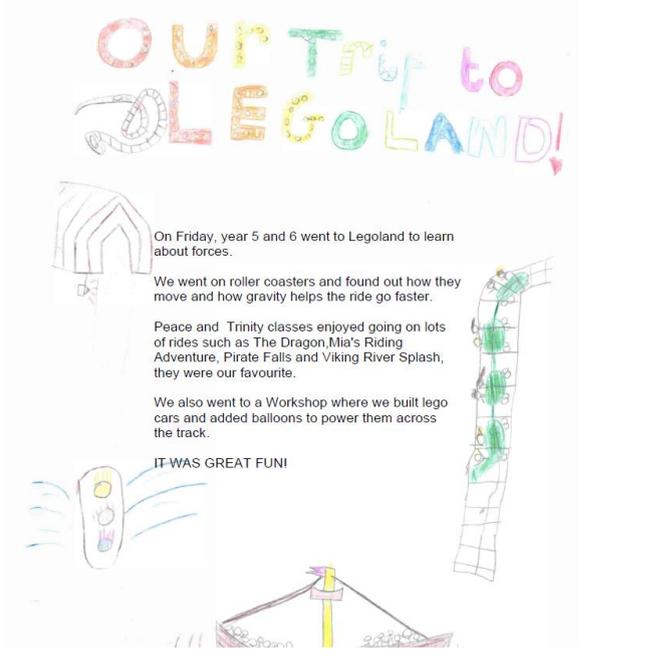
## Year 5 and 6 Trip to Legoland

On Friday we all boarded the coach and before we knew it we were away to Legoland! We arrived in record time and soon were trying to decide which ride to go on first. Trinity class chose the Scarab Bounce and enjoyed (?) being dropped from a height. It seemed that each time the ride raised you up you were sitting on nothing!

Soon it was our turn to go to the workshop. Here we had to build a car out of Lego. We had to attach a balloon to the car in order to power it and overcome friction. Once we had built our cars we tested them out on a track and found that the choice of wheels and how much mass there was on the car had a big effect!

After lunch we went on the big rides! Mia's Riding School, The Dragon and Pirate Falls were all firm favourites! All of a sudden it was time to go! As we made our way to the coach a lady tapped me on the arm and told me how well behaved all of our children had been. The icing on the cake to a fantastic day!

Mr Lawrence



**OUR Trip to LEGOLAND!**

On Friday, year 5 and 6 went to Legoland to learn about forces.

We went on roller coasters and found out how they move and how gravity helps the ride go faster.

Peace and Trinity classes enjoyed going on lots of rides such as The Dragon, Mia's Riding Adventure, Pirate Falls and Viking River Splash, they were our favourite.

We also went to a Workshop where we built lego cars and added balloons to power them across the track.

**IT WAS GREAT FUN!**

Written and designed by Year 5



## Calendar

Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> September	Peace Class meet the teacher	2.45pm – 3.10pm
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> September	Hope Class meet the teacher	2.45pm – 3.10pm
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> October	Year 5 and 6 Tag Rugby	3.45pm – 6pm
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> October	FOSBS Welcome Event	3.30pm – 5pm

Don't forget to keep checking the school website [www.suttonbenger.org](http://www.suttonbenger.org) for more information on upcoming events!