

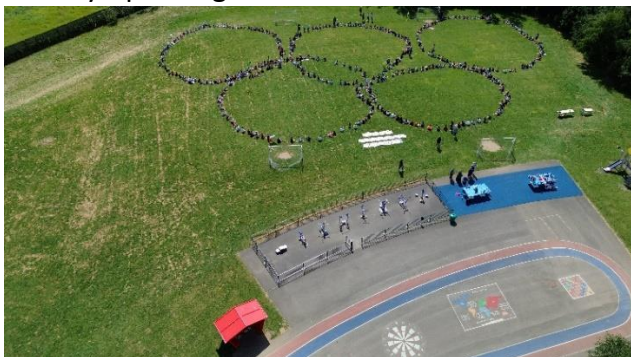


## Newsletter July 2024

We are now at our final newsletter of this academic year. We have had an amazing half term at Ingleby Mill, the weather was kind to us for Health and Fitness Week and the children have all spent a day with their new teachers.

### Health and Fitness Week

A fantastic week was had by all, from Sports Days to Teddy Bear Toddles to the scooter and bike challenges. It was wonderful to see the children out of their classrooms enjoying learning about the importance of keeping fit and healthy. We finished the week off with an Olympic parade and recreated the Olympic Rings in human form.



### Summer Fair

Thank you so much for all of your kind donations for our Summer Fair. We raised a massive £2091.00 that will be used to support enrichment activities and visits across the school year.

### Timings of the School Day

Don't forget from September 2024 all year groups will finish at 3:15pm. This is to ensure we meet our statutory requirement to provide 32.5 hours schooling. This does not affect Nursery.

### Exciting Developments

We have some very exciting work taking place over the summer holidays. Our Early Years outdoor area will undergo a complete refurbishment. We have been working with a company since February to create a learning environment to support our youngest children. We can't wait for September to see it all completed.



### New Arrivals

We have successfully appointed a new School Business Manager. Mrs Collins will commence her position at the start of September, she is looking forward to getting to know you all.

The Ingleby Mill family welcomed three tiny new arrivals this term. Mrs Thomas is now the proud mum to beautiful twins and Mrs Simmonds welcomed a gorgeous baby daughter.

### Fond Farewells

At the end of this term we say a fond farewell to three longstanding members of staff. Mrs Coverdale, Mrs Measor and Mrs Dutton. Each leaves a legacy that will never be forgotten and we wish them well in their new adventures.

### Forward Planning

School finishes for the summer on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July and the children return to school on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September. School will be open for staff training days on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> and Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September for you to get in touch. Please note training is ongoing throughout for all staff, particularly on the morning of Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September, please leave a message and we will get back to you.

This has been such a busy year for Ingleby Mill but the time has come for us all to take our summer break. We are however setting you one last summer challenge, the details are attached.

On behalf of the whole team here at Ingleby Mill we would like to say a huge thank you for all of your support this year – we really do appreciate it. Stay safe and have a fantastic summer, we can't wait to see you all rested and refreshed on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September for another exciting year.

Mrs Williams



## Summer Reading Challenge



We know how much our children love to read, so this summer as a change we would like to set you all a holiday challenge.



Over the holidays how many different places can you read a book. This could be at the park, a café, the airport, a destination around the world, or simply taking it easy in your garden (my favourite place to read).

Take a photo of yourself reading and be ready to send it into school via Seesaw when we return in September. Then we will create a display of all the interesting places and books you have been reading this summer. The staff team will also be taking part, so look out for their photos too. I wonder who will have the most unusual place to read?

Happy Reading  
Mrs Williams

