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Dear Parents / Carers and Children,

I am pleased to let you know that our year 6 children have been stars during their week of tests. They had faultless behaviour during the tests and have been very supportive of each other and the adults working with them. They are a credit to themselves and to their families!

Next week Year 6 and an assortment of staff are off to the Isle of Wight . I hope that they have a wonderful time and that good weather smiles upon them. We have been running this field trip for many years now and know that it is enjoyed by all, as well as providing great learning opportunities.

I have a small wager with Mr Miller: If we have more than 200 returns I am honour bound to buy him a slap up curry. If there are less than 200 he has to collate the information from the questionnaires unaided. I gather, from my spies that he has formulated cunning plans with the Children's Council to win the bet and that bribery may be involved. Watch this space!

Kind regards *Sue Dutt*



On Wednesday the whole of the Foundation Stage spent an enjoyable and informative day at Hayes Hill Farm. 89 children aged 5 and below, 33 adult helpers!, pigs, goats, sheep, chickens and cows, along with ominous overcast weather may sound potentially a little chaotic, but all except the animals behaved impeccably and had a fantastic time exploring a real working farm. Highlights included: feeding the animals, riding the tractors, seeing a dairy in action and of course the alfresco lunch. They had an 'udderly fantastic time and memorable first school trip. Many thanks to all adults who helped during the day.

The Foundation Stage Team



Lacrosse Antics

To cut loose from the pressures of tests, on Thursday Year 6 took to the field to play a lacrosse tournament. Traditionally quite a rough and sometimes even violent game, Miss Russell and Mr Scarisbrick managed to curb their pent up frustration and all of Year 6 left the field with all limbs intact! On a more serious note, Year 6 have truly shown maturity and all tried very hard, during what is a difficult week. Well done to all of them. Whether next year's Year 6 will face the same remains to be seen???



We Need Your



Questionnaire!

We know how much fun you must have had this week completing your Morgans questionnaire – and it's free!

Please return these as soon as you can. The Morgans Childrens' Council will be checking each morning after the half term holiday, and Year 5 will be circulating the playground with 'The Mobile Morgans Mailbox' from next week.

Catch them if you can with your child. It will be good fun! You might even feature here next week!

Cameron, Mason, Max, Holly, Sarah and Sophie look forward to meeting you before school. As you can see, they mean business!!! There is no escape...

Morgans Pupils Help East Herts Triumph



East Herts emerged victorious overall in last Sunday's Hertfordshire Youth Games. Morgans pupils as mentioned in previous editions featured in several teams and made telling contributions:

Ben Davis and Stanley Voss were in the Tag Rugby Team and won their tournament.

Erin Carter, Maddy Coupe and Issiah Corellini were in the winning Sports Hall Athletics Team.

Lucy Sende, Kitty Voss and Alice Crawford were in the Football Team and came second in their tournament.

A superb all round effort and very well done to everybody involved.

Car Boot Sale Booted Its Touch...



Unfortunately due to lack of uptake the FOMs have had to cancel this Sunday's car boot sale.

Earn double leaves throughout May!



Of our 46,010 'leaf' target Morgans has now earned 16,891 'leaves', meaning we are 37% of the way there!

There are double leaves available for every green activity you complete throughout May. Please encourage your child to visit the site via our 'Links' tab on the school website.

<http://www.generationgreen.co.uk/>