



SKYLARKS This week we have been looking at the 5 Oceans of the world in Geography. In R.E we made a video to help others to learn the Creation Story. We have enjoyed learning to sing using a score in Music and playing lots of games with our voices by adjusting the tempo and dynamics of the songs. In Art we have been looking at complimentary colours and making colour wheel collages. We ended the week with a Coronation craft afternoon on Friday. **Mrs Carroll**

MALLARDS On Tuesday, Mallards completed their Bikeability level 1. They were so sensible and learned lots about staying safe on the road - a huge well done to all. In art this week, we have created collages in the style of Piet Mondrian. they look wonderful. We have enjoyed exploring pollination in Science. In Maths we have been looking at co-ordinates. Can the children explain to someone at home, what translation means in maths? The children have started writing their quest stories. I look forward to seeing how they develop tension as their stories progress. **Mrs Munro**

SWANS The four days of this week have flown by. This week in geography we have been looking at the physical features of the UK, including mountains, rivers, lochs and the coastline. In music we have learnt the song freedom which was inspired by events in South Africa. This week we have also been composing and improvising with the glockenspiels to the song. To go with our coronation crafts on Friday afternoon we have made a wonderful wall hanging to commemorate this special occasion in British history. **Mrs Sherwood**

Y6 PUPILS

To all our lovely Y6s, please do enjoy a restful weekend. You are more than ready to complete your SATs next week. You have worked really hard, and we know you will try your best. Remember, SATs are only one tiny measure of success. We are immensely proud of the fantastic young people you are with the many ways that you truly shine!

ATTENDANCE Many thanks for your support with attendance. This week our whole school attendance figure is **97.62%**.

With **Mallards** winning our Attendance Teddy with their class attendance of **100%**.



Congratulations

TO THIS WEEKS WINNERS:

KINGFISHER WINGS READING - MALLARDS

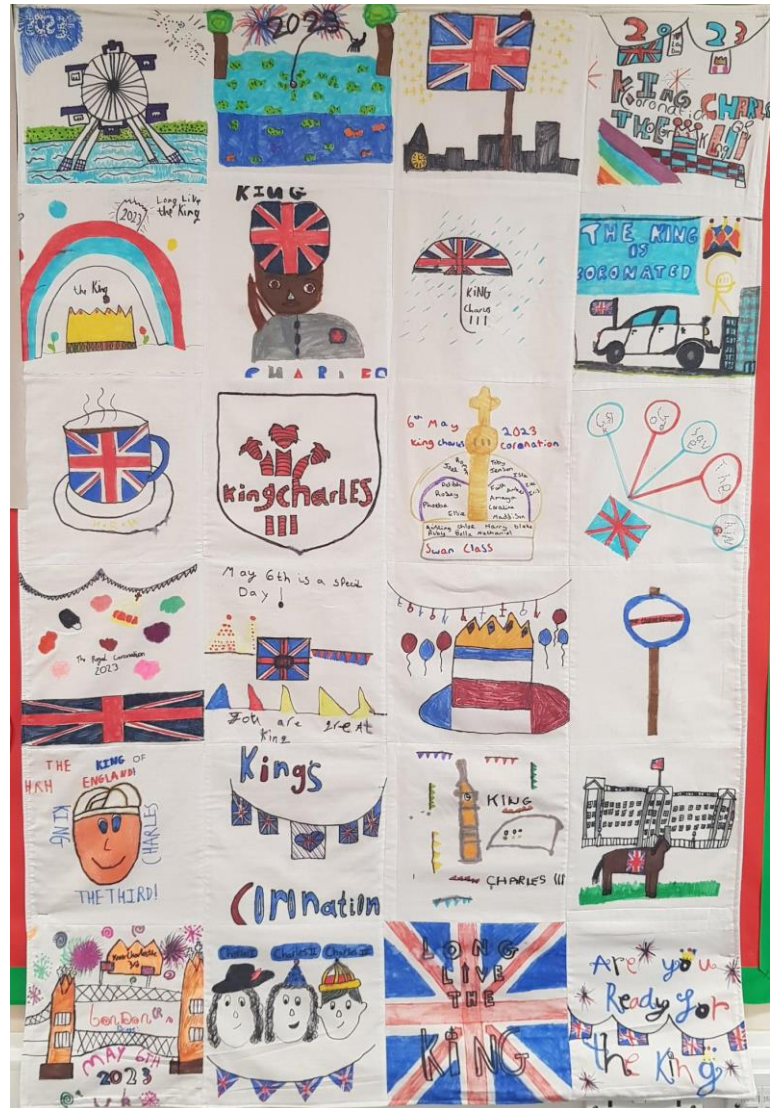
TIMES TABLE ROCKSTARS - MALLARDS



*Sing for the King! St Marys Church, Bungay Sunday 7th May at 6pm (singers to arrive at 5.15pm) Looking forward to seeing as many KS2 children as possible joining in with the community event. They have sounded fabulous in practices! Thank you to Mrs Land for giving up her time to help with this. **Mrs Brand***



ENJOY YOUR LONG KINGS CORONATION WEEKEND!



Dear God,
 We thank you for your teaching and example
 through Jesus,
 We pray for the King as he prepares for his
 Coronation.
 May you help him to be a peacemaker, pure in
 heart, merciful and hungry for righteousness,
 We pray that you will help us to shine brightly in the
 world around us and 'be' who you have called us to
 be as we all work together for a hopeful future in
 which all creation can flourish.
 Amen

DATES FOR THE DIARY:

May:

- 8: **Bank Holiday for His Majesty's Coronation.**
- 9: Y6 SATs Week (Tues 9 to Fri 12).
- 23: Y6 to Crucial Crew at The Space, Norwich.
- 26: Skylarks to Time & Tide Museum, GY.
- 26: **Last Day of Summer Term 1!**
- 31: Horstead full payment deadline.

June:

- 5: **First Day of Summer Term 2!**
- 5&6: Mallards on Ringsfield Residential.
- 14: Y6 Safe Travel Transition Prep with Sarah.

July:

- 3-5: Swan Class on Horstead Residential.
- 7: Y6 Leavers to Pleasurewood Hills.
- 21: **Last Day of School Year!**

All future dates can be viewed on our school calendar via
 our website: <http://www.gillingham.dneat.org/calendar/>