



Spalding Parish Church of England Day School

28th April 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

Coronation of King Charles III – 6th May 2023

As you will no doubt be aware the Coronation of King Charles III is due to take place on 6th May 2023 with a range of events planned nationally to mark this historic occasion. You will remember that we have shared previously that Monday May 8th has been allocated as a Bank Holiday as part of the Coronation events. Spalding Parish will therefore be closed on that day, reopening at the usual time on Tuesday 9th May.

At Spalding Parish we intend to mark such an historic occasion and celebrations are planned for Friday 5th May, ahead of the Coronation weekend. In the lead up to the Coronation, children in school will be learning more about the monarchy, King Charles and the line of succession and we will then celebrate this as a whole school on the Friday, children are asked to wear red, white and blue.

A range of activities are planned for the day including making our own 'Coronation Crowns' and bunting to decorate school. Classes are also discussing which items they would place into a time capsule to represent this period in our history. Our intention is to place 23 items into the capsule, representative of the current year, with different members of the school community contributing to this. Each class will contribute totalling 19 items, the staff team will also discuss and identify an item, as will our school Governors. We have also asked the Trust for an idea as part of our school community and as such would also ask for an idea from a member of the parent body so all members of the community are represented. The time capsule will be buried on Friday as part of the day's events. If any parents/carers do have any suggestions, please email via feedback@spaldingparish.laat.co.uk and we can then choose one of the suggestions and ensure it is included in the time capsule next week.

At the end of the day on Friday we would also like to invite parents/carers to join our celebrations – see attached invitation. You are more than welcome to bring a small picnic if you would like to as part of this event. The hope is, weather permitting, that we will all be able to celebrate together on the school field. Alternative arrangements will be made if required so please keep an eye on ParentPay for any further updates. We look forward to seeing many of you next week as we acknowledge and celebrate such an important period in the history of the country within school. If you do have any questions, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Kind Regards,

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