



Newsletter

No.7 - 21st October 2016

Science and Technology Week

We all had a fantastic time participating in a wide variety of activities during our Science and Technology Week. Highlights included the Lego Workshop which saw all the children having the opportunity to collaborate and cooperate to build a Lego town.



And the Science workshops which involved making bath bombs, bubble bath and slime!

The children also made fruit kebabs and picture frames.

School Fund

All of these activities have been paid for from our School Fund. Very many thanks for all of your contributions this term. If you have not yet donated we would be very grateful if you could do so as soon as possible to enable us to plan and book future events. We have already booked a Christmas pantomime and are all very much looking forward to this along with our special Christmas making morning, Christmas party and the Grandparents' tea party all of which will be paid for from our School Fund.

Our New Parent Governors

We are delighted to welcome Dr Welti and Mr Butler to our Governing Body. They have been appointed as Parent Governor following our recent election.

Love In A Box

Your children will be bringing home a leaflet about 'Love in a Box'. If you would like to participate please fill the shoebox as instructed and return to school by Friday 4th November. 'Recycled items' are perfectly acceptable as long as they are in very good condition.

Can You Help?

As you may know, with your help, we have raised money for War Child, Water Aid and the David Sheldrick elephant charity. We have had presentations from the charities to help the children to understand why they are fund raising.

We would like to ask the children to help us chose our charities for 2017 and will talk about this at circle time and in assembly before having a vote. It would be very helpful if you could talk with your child about the sorts of charities we might raise money for to help them have some ideas. One example is that they may enjoy taking part in Red Nose Day next March. This has been very popular in the past.

Year 1 and 2 Nasal Flu Immunisation - reminder

If you have not done so already please return your complete nasal flu consent form to the School Office by Wednesday 2nd November.

Meet the Teacher sessions on Monday 7th November

Our next meet the teacher sessions will be held on Monday 7th November.

The Rabbit Class session will take place from 2 pm – 2:30 pm, the topic will be the Tapestry assessment tool, followed by refreshments in our Library from 2:30 pm – 3 pm.

The Squirrel Class session will take place from 2:30 pm – 3 pm and the topic will be children reading at home. The Badger Class session will also take place from 2:30 pm – 3 pm and the topic will be addition and subtraction.

If you have a topic you would like to discuss please complete the slip below and return it to the School Office by Wednesday 2nd November.

Our Open Afternoon will then take place from 3 pm – 4 pm on the same day to give you the opportunity to come in and look at your child's work.

Badger Class Assembly

Well done to Badger Class for the super presentation about the work they have been doing this term.



News from the Friends' Committee

Apologies to anyone who has had problems with placing their Christmas card orders with Arts Projects for Schools. Hopefully they have now remedied their technical problems and you will be able to place your orders before the 2nd November deadline. Thank you for your patience with this. I will post any further updates about this on the Friends Facebook page so please join this group if you have not already done so. Please return your designs and attached forms to the box outside the School Office.

Look out for a paper plate in book bags today, ready to be filled with cakes or biscuits and brought to school for the cake sale on the morning of Wednesday 2nd November. Please also remember to send your child to school with £1 in a named envelope for them to spend at the toy sale. Thank you in advance for all your contributions.

Enjoy half-term and look out for lots of news about the Christmas Fair coming after the break!

Forthcoming Dates Reminder

Half Term Week 24th - 28th October

Monday 31st October	Story fun at lunchtime for Year 1 and 2 children 3 – 4pm Multi Sports Netball Club
Tuesday 1st November	Judo Club 3 – 3.45 p.m. Tennis Club
Wednesday 2nd November	3pm White Elephant Toy and Cake Sale in our School Hall
Thursday 3rd November	Forest School during the school day for Year 1 3 - 4pm Craft Club
Friday 4th November	3 - 4.00 p.m. Musical Theatre Club
Monday 7th November	Story fun at lunchtime for Year 1 and 2 children 2 pm – 2:30 pm Reception Class meet the teacher 2:30 pm – 3 pm Year 1 and 2 meet the teacher 3 pm – 4 pm Open Afternoon NO MULTI SPORTS NETBALL CLUB
Tuesday 8th November	Judo Club 3 – 3.45 p.m. Tennis Club
Wednesday 9th November	Parents' Evening from 3:10 pm – 8:30 pm in our School Hall
Thursday 10th November	Forest School during the school day for Year 2 3 - 4pm Craft Club
Friday 11th November	Perform Workshops during the school day for the children 3 - 4.00 p.m. Musical Theatre Club



Meet the Teacher Session Topic Request

Child's Name :..... Child's Class:

I would like to discuss the following topic(s)

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Signed:..... Date:.....

Print Name:.....