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A message from Mrs Bone, Deputy Headteacher

Thank you for celebrating reading week and World Book Day with us. The children have been immersed in a whole school text and have used this as a stimulus for art, drama and writing. I have really enjoyed popping into lessons this week to chat to the children about what they have learning and creating. I hope you have an opportunity to see the writing outcomes from the week if you were able to join us in school today. The children have also had the chance to pair up with another class and read together. This has been a wonderful experience which the children really enjoyed and we intend to repeat later in the year. So, we would like to offer you, as parents, more opportunities to come into school and read with your child, so look out for more information on this!

Thank you for the amazing wooden spoons and potatoes – it has been a joy to see such creativity in school. I hope you enjoy the pictures of these on the newsletter.

Next week we will be sharing details of the launch of our Parent Forum. Invitations are for one parent representative per year group so if you are interested please do get in touch with us once you have the information.

In the meantime, I hope you have a wonderful weekend with precious family time. As we are expecting a cold snap next week, please ensure that your child has a coat in school. We will look forward to welcoming you back to school on Monday.

School News

LPPA (Leading Parent Partnership Award)

Just to keep you updated on our progress, the Change Team, a selection of staff, members of the local community, Governors and soon to be School Council, met on Thursday this week to discuss ways in which we can improve and interact more with our parent community.

As you are aware we have Parent Consultations shortly. A great opportunity for you to meet with your child's Class Teacher and discuss any concerns or indeed any good news or how proud you are of their achievements. It's always lovely to see the positivity shining from both children and parents after their appointment.

We also have Mother's day for our Year R mums to come along and work creatively with your children. Always a lovely event, and a special time to build happy memories.

Finally, as mentioned by Mrs Bone above, we will be sharing details shortly about the launch of our Parent Forum.

We look forward to working with you.

Things to Remember

Year 6 – It will be PE block week next week (06.03.23 - 10.03.23). The children will be doing tennis outdoors. Please ensure your child brings their outdoor PE kit to school every day.

Dates for the Diary

- 31.03.23 Non-school uniform day
- 31.03.23 End of Term finish at 13.30

ACHIEVEMENTS

Learning Award

RB Freya H, RCG Alexis W, 1A Florence F, 1M Penny R, 2H Charlotte E, 2S Lottie W, 3G Thea H, 3S Jemima F, 4K Freddie S, 4M Evan L, 5F Jack B, 5R Jack B, 6C Maisie W, 6N Ikem U

Value Award

RB Harry S, RCG Advik M, 1A Jagger T, 1M Grace S, 2H Fawaz A, 2S Florence G, 3G Earlene W, 3S Lottie H, 4K Harry W, 4M Bradley W, 5F Madison B, 5R Maisie R, 6C Riamh B, 6N the whole class



4M Best Fiction / Non-Fiction Split

House Points

| Beckett | 2619 |
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| Dickens | 2717 |
| Churchill | 2708 |
| Harvey | 2351 |
| Holmes | 2609 |
| Shakespeare | 2615 |

Due to World Book Day celebrations house points will be added onto next week's total.

Year R Learning

Year R worked in teams to build houses for the 3 little pigs, comparing the materials, straw, logs/sticks and bricks.







WORLD BOOK DAY



Here are some of the wonderful wooden spoons and potatoes the children have created across the school.





























On Thursday, children were invited to read to other classes to share books with them.













