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Headteacher's Message

Thankyou to all of you who found the odd socks and have donated to our online system for Red Nose Day today. As a school we thought long and hard about our Red Nose Day, and didn't want to add any burdens to your spending y asking for anything else other than the odd socks, especially considering the fabulous efforts everybody made for World Book Day only a couple of weeks ago.

Our new School Money system goes live on April 1st 2023. If you're at all confused or need a hand, please come to the School Money session on Thursday 30th March either at 08:45am or 2:30pm to our school hall and have coffee, tea and cake.

We hope you all enjoy this Sunday as its Mothers' Day – please look in book bags to see if there are any surprises or even in the newspaper!! We wish all our wonderful women in our community a fabulous day. Don't panic, we will be celebrating Fathers' Day too later in the year!

Safeguarding

Please ensure mobile telephones are charged overnight away from your child's bedroom. Some of our Year 6 pupils at the moment, seem to be messaging one another very, very, late. All children need sleep to grow!

Thrive fun to try at home with your child/children

Relax with these easy to make calming jars - Take a clean empty jar/bottle and make a mixture of water, glitter, food colouring, washing up liquid, beads — anything you fancy. Put the lid on tightly, shake and enjoy watching the swirls and patterns as it settles.



Sheldrick – Habibe
Johnson – Kobi
Potter – Teddy
Rashford – Louis
Anning – Rahim
Parks – Alex
Attenborough – Joseph
Shackleton – Daisy
Thunberg – Finlay
Sheeran – Theo
Owens – Ollie S
Bowie – Leonard

Well done all!

Week commencing 20 March is Menu 3

Attendance: This week =

Attendance Trophies

Years R – 2 Winners Years 3 - 4 Winners

Years 5 - 6 Winners

Watch out for Pascal making his return next week! The Black Panther is back!

Dates for diaries:

Community Litter Pick with the Community Wardens on Thursday 23rd March.

How do I help my child to read and to learn phonics? Parents, carers and families of pupils in Reception – come and learn and also have cake for free!

Wednesday 29th March 2:30pm in the school hall.

School Money – our new online system – parents and carers sessions. What do I do? How do I do it? Thursday 30th March – 8:45am and 2:30pm in the school hall. Tea, coffee and cake provided.

Last day of Term **Friday 31**st **March.**

Summer term begins for pupils in Rec-Y6 on Tuesday 18th April. Nursery re-opens on Thursday 19th April.

How do I help my child in Writing in Reception? Parents and carers session 2:30pm on Wednesday 26th April. Come for free cake in the main hall if your child is in Reception.



Great lego building from Charlie H in Year 6. Well done Charlie!