



Celebrating our Week!

Dear Parents and children,

Here is our 'Celebrating the Week' newsletter for Friday 9th February.

Stars of the Week

Class 1:

Primrose C – you were a little bit nervous about holding a tarantula to begin with but you did it, well done!

Scarlett H – you were a little bit nervous about holding a giant centipede to begin with but you did it, well done!

Class 2:

Due to Forest School lessons, Class 2 will receive their certificates next week.

Class 3:

Myla A – you have worked very hard in our Maths lessons this week and have challenged yourself, well done!

Jessica R – you have worked very hard in our topic lessons and produced some fantastic work on the Great Fire of London, well done!

Class 4:

Scarlett P-B – for excellent measuring with a ruler in order to find the perimeter of 2D shapes, well done!

Freya L – for a super scientific report of your investigation into the size of shadows, well done!

Class 5:

Simon W – for fantastic story writing, what a brilliant idea!

Harriet O – for writing a really interesting and unusual story – beautifully done!

Diary Dates – Next Week:

Thursday 15th February – There are NO swimming lessons next week for Class 4.

Friday 16th February – Forest School Class 3 and Class 4. End of Term 3

Term 4 begins on **Monday 26th February.**

Happy Birthday to:

31st January

Rose H – 10 years!

2nd February

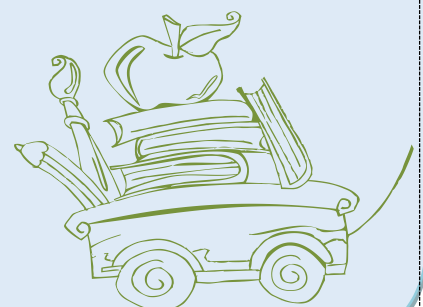
Thea N – 8 years!

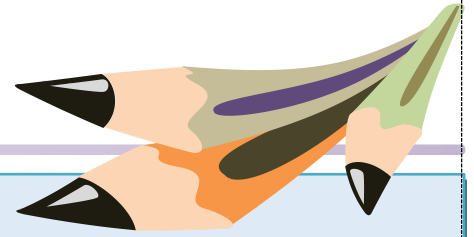
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Harry A – 5 years!

5th February

Jack M – 11 years!





What have we been doing this week? Class Highlights:

Class 1 have been doing recount writing about our recent farm visit, finding pairs of numbers up to a total of five. In Forest School lessons this week, Mrs Dewhirst has been helping the children to find 'escaped' soft toys in the woods and we had a fantastic 'mystery visitor' to Class 1; Mr Hubball who kindly brought in some visitors to show us - guinea pigs, a tree frog, a tranutula, snake, giant centipede and a gecko lizard!

Class 2 have been learning about the Great Fire of London and done some fantastic work on measure.

Class 3 have also been learning about the Great Fire of London and created an information Booklet, they have also been learning a song – the lyrics are being sent home today!

Class 4 have been investigating shadows and measuring the 'actual size' of animals in Maths.

Class 5 have completed their '500 word stories' for the BBC competition. They have done some fantastic work!

FOLS:

There will be a Valentines Cake Sale next **Friday 16th February** after school – please send in donations of cakes to school next week!

Our next school disco will be after Easter – date to be advised.

Do you have any Mice?

If you have any unwanted USB computer mice at home, please send them into school.

Sports News

Well done to our Basketball team who came 3rd (out of 6 teams) in the Basketball finals last Wednesday and to our Sportshall Athletics team who came 6th (out of 10 teams) in the athletics finals on Wednesday.

Careers Provision

We would like to give our children the opportunity to learn about the great variety of career options that will be eventually available to them and to begin stimulate their minds and give them ideas to aspire too. Therefore, if any parents would be willing to come into school to talk about their line of work either in the classroom or in an assembly, please contact Mrs Maycock.

World Book day

Thursday 1st March (the first Thursday after half term) is World Book Day. Children are welcome to come to school dressed as their favourite character from a book! There will also be a sponsored read – more details to follow.

E-Safety

Thank you to everyone who attended our Parents E-Safety Evening. It is always good to be one step ahead in order to keep our children safe whilst on line. If you weren't able to make the meeting but would like the information that was shared, please contact the school office. Alternatively you can purchase the Usborne Book 'Staying Safe on line' - £6. Again, please contact the school office if you would like to see or buy a copy.

