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Friday Flier



PTFA Sponsored Bounce

I would like to say a huge thank you to Lorraine, chair of the PTFA for organising this very successful and fun event. The children had an amazing time and we raised much needed money which will go towards the enhancement of the Year R outside learning environment. Thank you so much for your generous sponsorship donations. Please remember that if you still have any sponsorship forms or money at home, please can these be sent in to school by Friday 08 March.

Collection of Wonky Bars: Wednesday 06 March

We have checked the weather forecast but we are still hopeful that it will not be raining after school next Wednesday. The plan will therefore be that you are able to choose your pre-paid Wonky bars from the playground. Each year group will have its own table where you can select your chocolate bar with the chance of winning a "golden ticket". There will be a prize table outside for the lucky winners. **Regrettably no orders can be taken after today.**

Polite request

We are hoping to source the following items in order to enhance the provision for a number of our interventions and groups. These are run across the school. If you have any of these unwanted belongings and are willing to donate, we'd be extremely grateful. Please deliver via the main office for Mrs Bailey.

Items being requested

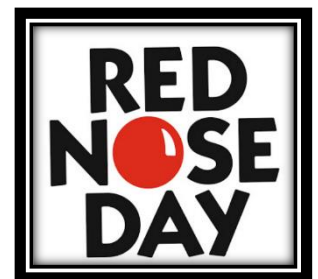
Building blocks · Lego · Duplo · bed sheets (any size/condition) · marble runs · guttering · large foam building bricks · car runs · animal figures · physical or interactive games such as Twister · fidget toys · sieves, colanders, ladles · puzzles · board games · children's DVDs (rated U or PG). Thank you to those of you who have previously donated.

Whole School Trip to Marwell

A reminder that we require all consent forms and money by Monday 11 March. Thank you to everyone who has offered to help on this trip and we now have more parents than spaces on the coaches. Priority will be given to those parents who regularly help out in school. We will confirm if we need you to come on the trip by Wednesday 13 March. If you do not hear from us by this time, please assume that we do not need your help on this occasion but we thank you for your offer of help.

Reminder: Red Nose Day: Friday 15 March

We will once again be supporting this worthwhile charity. We are asking that the children come to school dressed in something red, crazy hair or any comic relief merchandise. We do not want you to spend your money purchasing something for your child to wear, anything that you have at home is acceptable. We would rather that this money was donated to the charity instead. All that we ask is that it is something that is suitable for school, that they are able to go to the toilet unaided (no back fastenings) and that they wear shoes suitable for the playground.



Parental Consultations

Information will be sent out the week commencing Monday 11 March which will enable you to go online and book your child's parental consultations. Please can you make sure that you are booking with the correct teacher and make the booking under your **child's name, not your name.**

Year R Math Meetings

Thank you to Mr Stray for two very successful maths meetings. Mrs Craig has already sent out a copy of presentation via Seesaw if you were unable to attend in person.

Reminder: Book Day: Dress up Day – Friday 08 March

Further information about this event was sent out yesterday. Please click on the following link to access a copy of the letter. [World Book Day Letter](#)

Busy Bees

These children received their Busy Bee Stamp this week and this was celebrated in a year group assembly:

Year R: Kobi Bell, Rory Dillon and Theo Pankhurst. **Year 1:** Lilly-mae Stewart. **Year 2:** Sofia Atkins, Sienna Cook and Ava Dalgleish.

This child finished their busy bee certificate and has received a Busy Bee Motif which can be sewed onto their jumpers/cardigans: Noah Strange

Class Reading Challenge: Raffle Winners

I am delighted to let you know that the class winners of this week's raffle were:

- Kingfishers' Class
- Woodpeckers' Class
- Owls' Class

Reporting Absence

A reminder that as well as telephoning the school, you can also report your child's absence via a company called **Studybugs** which enables you to go online via a phone or computer to report your child's absence securely. To get the free Studybugs app, or register on their website go to (<https://studybugs.com/about/parents>). If your child is unwell it is your responsibility to inform the school of this.

Forest School Sessions:

Timetable for this half term has already been sent out. Paper copies are on the notice boards by the North Door and the South Door. You are also able to check the timetable by clicking the following link: [Spring B Timetable](#)

Lunch Menu

Next week's menu will be: Week 1. Please click on the following links to access the menus online: [hot menu](#) or [Jacket Potato Menu](#) Paper copies are on the notice boards by the North Door and the South Door and in Wagtails' Class window.

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Reminder of INSET Days for this academic year

- 28 March 2024
- 03 June 2024

Yours sincerely



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Headteacher