

Weekly Newsletter



15th February 2019

It is hard to believe that we are at the end of this half term - time certainly has flown by. The children are ready for a break and I am sure they will return to school refreshed!

Thank you to the parents of Sycamore Class for their understanding yesterday regarding the postponement of the class assembly until the 28th February. Mrs Piper was not at all well.

The children were looking forward to seeing who had been nominated for the Headteacher's Awards – it causes great interest when the frames come down from the wall to be changed. Congratulations to all those who received certificates and rosettes.

The children in Year 5 wrote some very interesting letters of application to become astronauts earlier in the week – I certainly learnt about the skills some of them have that could be useful! In Year 2 they have become more confident in spotting homophones and thinking carefully about which spelling they should be using. What busy writers I saw in Year 1 earlier in the week – they were writing descriptive sentences to put on certificates for the 'Best Egg'; they really have enjoyed working on the book 'The Odd Egg'.

Have an enjoyable half term and we look forward to seeing everyone back on Monday 25th February.

Reception News

In English this week we have been making a class book about a character called 'Cod Benson' who is very shy, like the character from our book 'Halibut Jackson'. We wrote a story based along the same theme as Halibut Jackson just changing parts of the story to make it our own. The children were great at thinking of new ideas and helping illustrate the book. They also worked hard at trying to segment and blend words to create sentences.

In Maths we have been looking at 2D and 3D shapes. We have been 'Shape Spies' inside and outside and also trying hard to describe shapes and find similarities and differences between them. We all had lots of fun drawing shapes in the flour and making shape monsters.

In phonics we have continued to revise and assess phonics knowledge and been busy practising forming our letters correctly whilst writing tricky words.

Remember over the half term if you have time keep sharing books and encouraging your child to read as the more they practice the more confident.

Date Changes

Please note that the summer term assembly dates for Hazel and Maple classes have changed.

Maple 4th July

Hazel 27th June

PTA NEWS

The PTA have been busy organising some up and coming events. We would like to introduce 'Tuck Shop Friday'. Ice pop Friday was so popular that we would also like to offer something during these colder months. This will be held after school in the same way as Ice Pop Friday. The first one will be held Friday 1st March 2019. We will update you regarding the following weeks on the newsletter.

We all know that sometimes we get Christmas gifts we can't make use of, such as unwanted smellies, gift sets etc. We would like to invite people to donate their unwanted or surplus Christmas gifts. These donations will be welcomed and used in future PTA events.

A letter will be coming out soon regarding Mother's Day Gifting which will need to be via Parentmail. The event will take place on 28th March. Mums, please make sure you pass this information to your partners for this one!! You deserve to be treated.

We also have our first disco of 2019 on Friday 26th April. Please look out for the letter that will be coming to you via Parentmail soon.

Any questions or queries please email us: kingsfieldpta@gmail.com

A reminder that parents should not be parking/turning on school grounds due to Health and Safety Reasons. Parents will however be allowed in to collect a poorly child.

Whole School Attendance

This week's winner of the attendance cup is:

1st place: Holly
2nd place: Hawthorne
3rd place: Juniper

Whole school attendance is 92.4%

Diary Dates

Date	Event
18 – 22 Feb	Half term
w/b 4 Mar	Book Week
28 Feb 10.25am	Sycamore Class Assembly
7 Mar 10.25am	Maple Class Assembly
14 Mar 10.25 am	Hazel Class Assembly
w/b 18 Mar	STEM Week
21 Mar 10.25am	Elm Class Assembly
26 Mar 3.15 – 6.30	Parents Evening
27 Mar 3.15 – 7.00	Parents Evening
28 Mar 10.25am	Chestnut Class Assembly
2 Apr 2pm	Year 3 and 4 Production Pre School New Intake Parents Information Evening
3 Apr 6pm	Year 3 and 4 Production
4 Apr 10.25am	Pine Class Assembly
5 Apr 2.30pm	Headteacher Awards End of Spring Term
24 Apr	Back to School
26 Apr	Easter Disco
May	Year 2 SATS
2 May 10.25 am	Willow Class Assembly
6 May	May Day ~ School Closed
9 May 10.25 am	Rowan Class Assembly
13 – 16 May	Year 6 SATS
16 May 10.25am	Juniper Class Assembly
23 May 10.25am	Cedar Class Assembly
24 May 2.30pm	Headteacher Awards
27 - 31 May	Half Term
6 Jun 10.25am	Birch Class Assembly
10 – 14 Jun	Year 1 Phonic Screening Test
13 Jun 10.25 am	Sycamore Class Assembly
20 Jun 10.25am	Poplar Class Assembly
27 Jun 10.25am	Hazel Class Assembly
1 Jul	Pre School New Intake Parents Information Evening
4 Jul 10.25am	Maple Class Assembly
11 Jul 10.25 am	Year 2 Graduation Assembly
15 Jul	Healthy Week
16 Jul	Sports Day
17 Jul 2pm	Year 5 and 6 Production
18 Jul 6.30 pm	Year 5 and 6 Production
19 Jul 2.30pm	Headteacher Awards
24 Jul 9.15am	Leavers Assembly End of Term ~ Happy Holidays 😊

Dates in red are a change or amended