



9th February 2024

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It is hard to believe we are already at the end of half term — and what a lot has happened.

World Book Day

On Thursday 7th March, we will be celebrating World Book Day. Children are welcome to come dressed as a book character.

There will be no charge for dressing up!

Red Nose Day

On Thursday 14th March, we will be raising funds for Comic Relief. Unfortunately, we will not have red noses for sale this year, but we will be holding a non-uniform day. Wear something red or funny for a suggested donation of £1. All proceeds will go to Comic Relief.

Easter Service

On Wednesday 20th March, we will be holding our Easter Service in Church. The service will start at 2.00pm and you will be able to take your child home with you once the service has finished.

Spotlight on Learning

Children have been learning about different faiths as part of World Religions Day; and staying safe on line for Internet Safety Day.

Class 4 have learned about similarities and differences between a Buddhist festival, Diwali and Christmas and the children recognise that '3 which links to the trinity' is significant in each other religion and in relation to Candlemas. They compared



orally how light is significant in all the faiths they have studied. Class 3 have completed work on Islam surrounding the Prophet Muhammad and his first revelation. In music, children have been learning toots with Mrs Lawrance and recorders with Mrs Blades.

Rainbow Room and Entrance Revamp

Our Rainbow Room and entrance are looking brighter with thanks to donations from the Parish Council and our CoG Anna.

Congratulations

Well done to Asha, Emily and Jocelyn who have made it to the Cross Country Finals which will take place on the 19th March. Good luck girls! We will all be rooting for you.

Parents Evening

Parents evening will take place week commencing 26/2/2024. A separate letter has been sent

home, please complete and return your slips to school by Tuesday 20/2/2024.

Wishing everyone a lovely half term.

Kind regards,

Mrs K Rawes

Dates for your diary

New items are in red

Forest School Year 2

26/2 and 27/2 Parent Consultation Evening

1/3 Easter Raffle Donations PTA

7/3 World Book Day

8/3 Bags 2 School

14/3 Red Nose Day non-uniform £1

19/3 Cross Country Finals

20/3 Easter Service in Church 2pm

30/4/2024 Height & Weight YR and Y6

Attendance to date: 95.3 %
Unauthorised absences: 1.26 %
Authorised absences: 3.44 %



Reminders

- ✓ Return parents evening slips
- ✓ Have a happy half term!

