

Weekly Newsletter – Friday, 29th January 2016



Birthdays



Happy Birthday to the following children who celebrate their birthday in February.

Joshua	Class 6
Lewis	Class 3
Rupert	Class 3
Adam	Class 6
Layla	Class 3
Lucy	Class 1
Oscar	Class 1
Rowen	Class 3
Nève	Class 1
Grace	Class 1
Sophie	Class 1
Eva	Class 2
Jessica	Class 2
Benjamin	Class 2
Sophie	Class 6
Stephanie	Class 6
Isla	Class 4
Rupert	Class 2

PTFA Thank you!

Film Night raised £140! Thank you to all who supported the event by purchasing tickets and especially to our volunteer helpers.

Mrs Vivienne Verren

Message from the Headteacher

Several large boxes of brand new reading books arrived this week – some 150 books in total. These are to supplement the reading collections in some of our Key Stage 2 classes. The children had great fun sourcing their chosen authors, the PTFA agreed to fund these purchases and Mrs Wallis, English Subject Leader, was very shrewd in her shopping! Authors chosen by the children include Enid Blyton, Michael Morpurgo, Anthony Horowitz, Roald Dahl, Bear Grylls, Simon Cheshire and Catherine Wilkins. Collections by all of these have been bought as well as some history reference books for the library.

Mrs Wallis has further plans to update the library collections, other Key Stage 2 classes and the Oxford Reading Tree books. Reading with your child at home is one of the single most important things as a parent you can do to support them with their learning and we thank you for your continued support with this.

Class 2 wowed us with facts about famous palaeontologist Mary Anning in assembly this morning – see

http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/primaryhistory/famouspeople/mary_anning/ for more information, as well as a picture of the children on our school facebook page.

I have received communication from one of our near neighbours this week about Chapel Lane. He has raised concerns about adults and children walking in the middle of the road and being verbally abusive to car drivers using the road. If either of these are the case, please can I ask that parent/carers and children keep close to the side of the road and be prepared to walk in single file if necessary. I thank you in advance for your help with this and thank you also for continuing to use Chapel Lane as an access point as doing so reduces traffic movement outside the main gates.

Ms Helen Comfort

Attendance!

Week ending 29th January 2016

Class R	–97.6%
Class 1	–98.3%
Class 2	–94.7%
Class 3	–96.3%
Class 4	–96.2%
Class 5	–98.6%
Class 6	–98.5%



Star Awards

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Due to the Class 2 Family Assembly this morning Star Awards will be given out early next week. Names will appear in next week's newsletter.

The Week Ahead!

Week commencing 1st February 2016

Friday, 5th February – NSPCC Number Day – suggested donation of £1 from each child in Classes 1 to 6 to wear an item or items of clothing with a number on, e.g. football shirt, cap, netball shirt, etc.

Reception Class may dress up as a person who helps us or whatever they wish to be when they are grown up.

See letters for more information.