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NEWSLETTER FOR PARENTS & CARERS: 28th MARCH 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

What a busy half term! Lots of lovely events and a great deal of hard work – both children and staff are definitely ready for the holidays.

I've included updates below and information about some of our activities in the last few weeks.

We have ended the half term with two excellent class assemblies – Mrs Dadswell's class (Year 2) and Mr Walsh's class (Year 4). Year 2 got us ready for the holidays with information from their recent 'Seaside' theme and Mr Walsh's class took us back to the Stone Age and shared the work they have completed this half term in a wide range of subjects. Two superb events and lovely to have lots of family members join us for these.

As always, please get in touch if you have any questions, concerns or require further information.

Wishing you all a very happy Easter,

Mrs Lavelle, Headteacher

EGG DECORATION COMPETITION

I seem to say the same every year but the standard of eggs in our competition this year was fabulous. Lots of creative designs and it was lovely to see the children's enthusiasm and enjoyment when working on these. Thanks to all of our families for your support with this. Here are a few examples from the different classes.



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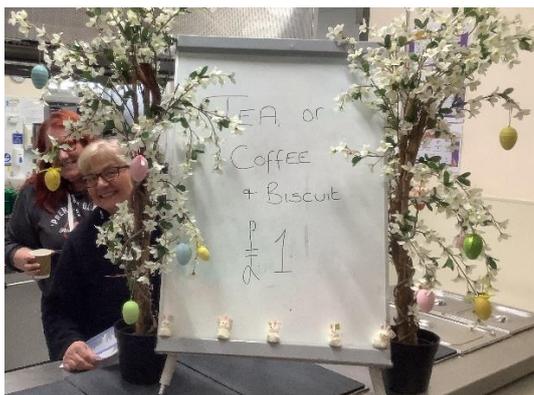


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EASTER COFFEE AFTERNOON



We enjoyed a number of Easter songs and dances at our Reception Parents/Carers Easter Coffee Afternoon this week, along with a raffle, Name the Bunny, Tombola and some lovely Easter cakes and biscuits. A big well done to children in Reception and the KS2 School Choir, plus to Year 6 pupils who helped out on the stalls.

Thank you also to staff members and volunteers who organised this event and to all parents/carers who were able to join us. We raised £180 for school funds.

THEATRE PRODUCTION



Years 1 to 6 had a brilliant afternoon this week with our hall being transformed into a theatre! They thoroughly enjoyed the story of 'The Secret Garden' and were an excellent audience. There was a lot of singing, clapping and cheering! We were really impressed with the company that provided this production and have already booked them in again for next year!

EASY FUNDRAISING

Please see the letter attached about this. All proceeds from this go into school funds and help pay for events such as the Theatre production mentioned above.



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PACKED LUNCHES

A reminder that packed lunches for school should not contain sweets and chocolates. We have noticed quite a few packed lunches with these included recently. Thank you for your support with this.

HEADLICE

Just another of our regular reminders about checking your child's hair for head-lice. This is a common problem, particularly in school children aged 4-11 and if you would like further information about detection and treatment the NHS website (www.nhs.uk/Conditions/Head-lice) gives very clear information.

Dates for the Diary

15th April: Back to school

17th April: Year 5 Residential Meeting for Parents/Carers at 5pm (see letter already sent out)

1st -3rd May: Year 5 Residential

6th May: School Closed, Bank holiday

13th May: Year 6 SATs week

24th May: Year 3 Class Assembly at 9.10am/Year 1 Class assembly at 2.30pm

24th May: End of Half Term



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