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WEEKLY BULLETIN

Friday 22nd March '24



MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD

Apologies for the absence of a bulletin last week. We have been interviewing for a Year 6 teacher for September so lots happening. As most of you are now aware, Mrs. Handley is retiring at May half term. Mrs. Jones will be back from maternity leave at the same time so she will be in Year 6 until the end of the year but moving back to Year 2 for September. Mrs Sherwood has kindly agreed to stay with us until the end of the academic year. I will keep you updated as things progress.

It is getting lighter and (hopefully) warmer. This means that we get a lot of families staying around after school in the playground. Orchards will be using the playground after school, so please vacate the premises before 3:30pm so they can go outside. I have also been told that children are climbing on the equipment both before and after school. Can I please remind you that the climbing frame is out of bounds.

The office have a couple of notices for you all this week. Photos are ready to order, the clubs grid has gone out for next term and milk is also available to order for Summer term. Also please remember to update your details if you have changed your address or telephone number.

There have been a number of sporting events this week including the Quick Sticks Hockey tournament, the Samuel Ryder tournaments for netball. Congratulations to all of the children who took part, with the Hockey players coming in fourth place and the netballers coming in third. The cross-country runners were also in action this week, and it was great to see the children all improving across the season—very well done!

Also this week, we had the Year 3 & 4 production of 'What's the crime, Mr Wolf'. The children were fantastic and it was a great evening. Well done to all of the children—it's great to see them

in front of a big audience. Many thanks to the teachers and support staff for all their hard work. It was also good to hear the Year 2 assembly went well on Friday. Well done to all of the children involved.

And finally, thank you for supporting World Downs Syndrome Day with your odd socks. You can find more information here: <https://www.worlddownsyndromeday.org/>
Have a lovely weekend!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Mon 25th Mar—Football Y5 friendly v Sir John Fisher (A)

Tue 26th Mar—Y4 trip to Verulamium Museum

Weds 27th Mar—Y1 trip to Cathedral

Weds 27th Mar—Parents Eve & orchestra choir assembly

Thurs 28th Mar—END OF TERM 1:30pm finish.

Tues 16th April—Children back to school

Elles by Kid Toussaint Recommended by Lois Y6



BOOK OF THE WEEK

"Elle is just another teenage girl...most of the time. Bubbly and good-natured, she wastes no time making friends on her first day at her new school. But **Elle** has a secret: she hasn't come alone... "

Thank you Aylett Nurseries

A Big thank you to Aylett Nurseries for donating seeds and a £150 voucher to help us build some new flower beds.



IT'S PARTY TIME AT THE NAT WEST!

You are invited to a special tea party event for all ages at Nat West bank, St Peter's Street.

Date: Wed 24th April Time: 4.45 to 6.00 pm

At the event there will be an exhibition and presentation on Neurobic exercises to show how you can keep your brain alive with unique, simple and stimulating brain exercises which help prevent memory loss and increase memory retention.

Effective and fun to attempt, the exercises at this event, provided by local mathematician Gareth Rowlands, will give your brain a workout and you can even challenge your brain with brain teasers, Neurobic exercises and colourful Neurobic designs using overlapping geometrical shapes using your non dominant hand.

Join us at this intergenerational workshop jam-packed with brain exercises which can be attempted individually, in pairs or better still in family groups to make the event a time to remember!

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