



March Newsletter 2

Friday 24th March 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,

Last week we were visited by a number of talented singers and musicians from Ex Cathedra. They worked with all the children over the two days and encouraged the children to take part in whole school singing and to continue this into the playground. We have now appointed some children to lead the singing around school, as they develop their skills we look forward to an increase in all children singing both indoors and outdoors!

Also last week Year 5 were treated to a performance of 'Hairspray' from Swanshurst School
"It was great to see the dancing, they all danced in time with each other" said Sean
"The acting and singing was good and it was so loud we could hear everything!" exclaimed Lily 5B.

Class 3F worked really hard on their assembly and encouraged us to always try our best and never give up, they particularly showed us how to do this when facing a few technical problems themselves! Well done 3F.

Thank you to Class 3C for their assembly this week on liberty, we were reminded about the importance of freedom and choice, the children in 3C are now very familiar with the rights of a child that we are working on through the Rights Respecting School Award.

The School Council took a trip to the Sea Life Centre this week to investigate the idea of having an aquarium at school. The children have asked for a school pet but finding the space and care for a pet, and one which is accessible to all, has proved a little difficult so now the Council are researching the idea of keeping fish. Look out for more news on this subject!

The children supported Comic Relief really well by coming to school in their red noses and accessories, we will let you know shortly how much money has been raised. Thank you for your support for our fund raising activities.

Have a great weekend.

Attendance News

For the week 6th-10th March the following classes achieved our 97% target: RD, RLD, RP, 1B, 1HT, 2HM, 3C, 3W, 4F, 4M, 6N, 6S. The winning classes were 6N and 6S with 100% well done. Our overall attendance was 96.8%. The classes with no lates were 6N and 6S.

For the week 13th-17th March the following classes achieved our 97% target: RD, 1HT, 2HL, 2HM, 2J, 3C, 3F, 3W, 4F, 4M, 6M, 6S. The winning class was 6M with 99.7% well done. Our overall attendance was 96%. The class with no lates was 6S.

Remember to check out our website www.wheelerslane-pri.bham.sch.uk

Dates for your Diary

<u>March</u>	<u>June</u>
Tuesday 28 th 3F and 3C to Lapworth Museum	Monday 5 th Children return to school
Wednesday 29 th 3W to Lapworth Museum	Monday 5 th -Fri 9 th Healthy Living Week
Friday 31 st at 8.55 1B Class Assembly	Wednesday 7 th School Photographer (groups)
Friday 31 st Year 4 parent workshop	Friday 16 th at 8.55am RLD Class Assembly
<u>April</u>	Monday 19 th Year 6 Inspire workshop
Monday 3 rd Year 4 to Think Tank	Monday 19 th 5S to All Saints Church
Monday 3 rd Wheelies cake competition and cake sale	Tuesday 20 th Year 4 Timezone in school-Saxons
Monday 3 rd 5S to Coast to Coast	Tuesday 20 th 5A to All Saints Church
Tuesday 4 th 5A to Coast to Coast	Wednesday 21 st Year 3 Timezone in school –Stone Age
Wednesday 5 th 5B to Coast to Coast	Wednesday 21 st 5B to All Saints Church Thursday 22 nd YR2 Twycross Zoo Friday 23 rd KS2 Talent Show Friday 30 th Wheelies Summer Fair 4.00pm
Wednesday 5 th Year 3 Inspire Wednesday 5 th KS2 cake sale	<u>July</u>
Friday 7 th at 8.55am Class 1H assembly	Friday 7 th Year 5 to Severn Valley Railway
Friday 7 th break up for Easter Holidays	Friday 7 th pm Year 2 Inspire Friday 7 th 10.15 Signing Concert at Camp Hill
Monday 24 th Children return to school	Wednesday 12 th Leavers Production at 7.00pm
Thursday 27 th RP to Pizza Express	Thursday 13 th Leavers Production at 7.00pm
Thursday 27 th 4K to Kings Heath Cricket Club Friday 28 th YR2 Inspire workshop 2.00pm	Friday 14 th Reports to parents
<u>May</u>	
Monday 1 st May Day Bank Holiday – school closed	Monday 17 th Open Afternoon
Tuesday 2 nd Inflatable planetarium Year 5 Friday 5 th KS1 Talent Show	Friday 21 st at 9am Leavers Assembly
Monday 8 th – Friday 12 th Year 6 SATs	Friday 21 st Whole school picnic and break up for holiday
Friday 12 th at 8.55am 1HT Class Assembly	Monday 24 th Training Day
Thursday 18 th 5B to Kings Heath cricket club	Tuesday 25 th Training Day
Friday 19 th RD Class Assembly Friday 19 th YR6 Acocks Green Bowling	<u>September</u>
Friday 26 th at 8.55am RP Class Assembly	Monday 4 th Training Day
Friday 26 th break up for half term	Tuesday 5 th Children return to school



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