

15th February2019

<u>Virtue of the week</u>— Thankfulness



HEAD OF SCHOOL UPDATE

Year 5 have been busy this week building models of Pudding Lane as part of their topic; 'The Great Fire of London'. Once completed, the children will assemble their minuture version of Pudding Lane before watching it go up in flames at Tolvaddon fire station in a re-enactment of The Great Fire of London.



The second cycle of after school clubs will start the week beginning 25th February, further details have been sent, via text message, to parents/carers this week.

A reminder of the parent consultations taking place on Tuesday 26th February and Wednesday 4ht April. Appointments are now booked for parents/carers to meet with the teachers of all children.



National Book Tokens have been sent home with all children this week. These tokens are valid from 28th February until the 31st March 2019. Each token entitles the holder to one free £1 World Book Day book or £1 off a book or audiobook worth £2.99 or more in all participating bookshops.

As part of our World Book Day celebrations on 7th March, children are invited to come to school dressed as a book character in exchange for a £1 donation, payable via parentpay. All proceeds will go towards new books for the school library.

Children are asked to bring their favourite book to share with their class on World Book Day, 7th March. We would like to suggest children write their name inside their book to avoid any confusion if more than one copy of each book is brought into school.



During the week beginning 4th of March our kitchen will be producing two special menus. On Tuesday 5th March the options will be traditional steak pasty or cheese and onion pasty followed by hevva cake. Jacket potatoes will be available on this date on request.



The second special menu will take place on Thursday 7th March. Snow White and the Hunter's chicken burger with chips or Cloudy with a chance of Quorn Meatballs with The Twits spaghetti served with The Hungry Caterpillar's salad and Princess and the peas followed by Bruce Bogtrotter's chocolate fudge cake or The Jungle Book fruit salad with yoghurt dippers.

Those parents/carers who follow our Facebook page may have seen a post we shared this week by the Ronnie Richards Memorial Charity. The post was celebrating the installation of the defibrillator to the front of the school building. Take a look at their page to see some of the amazing work they do for local communities. We would like to say how proud we are to be able to support our local community in this way.

We would like to wish all our families a lovely half term break and look forward to welcoming you all back on Monday 25th February.

Mrs Eddy

ATTENDANCE

Our school target for attendance is 96%.

1st Place	Year 6	97 %
2nd Place	Year 1	96.8 %
3rd Place	Year 4	96.7 %



SHINE AWARDS

Our next Shine Assembly is on **Friday 1st March**, at 2.40pm. Parents of the children below are warmly invited to attend.



Please come along to main reception no earlier than 2.35pm. A special well done to:

Reception	Jenson	For making fantastic progress in all areas of his learning, particularly in phonics. Jenson is a conscientious, resilient learner and an outstanding role model to his peers.	
Year 1	Chester	For increased enthusiasm and effort in all areas of writing. Chester is writing with full punctuated sentences and always tries hard with his spellings.	
Year 2	Navarre	For excellent behaviour for learning and writing progress.	
Year 3	Malakie	For excellent progress using independence skills answering reading comprehension.	
Year 4	Leo B	For an outstanding performance in his dance routine taking on the part of Inspector Dew from the story of Dr Crippen.	
Year 5	Malakai	For the effort he took to use the text to improve his answers during reading comprehension.	
Year 6	Esme	For the outstanding effort she puts into her learning every day. Esme always gives 100%.	
Writer of the week	Oscar Year 4	For writing a brilliant plan for the opening and build up of an invention of a story.	
YR & K\$1 Reader of the week	William Year 1	For showing excellent skills and understanding of the text when answering reading comprehension questions in full sentences.	
KS2 Reader of the week	Lacey Year 6	For making some fantastic and thoughtful contributions during our reading comprehension sessions this week.	
Mathematician of the week	Jack Year 3	For his brilliant work explaining his answers to dividing a 2 digit by a 1 digit using place value.	
Performer of the week	Lewis Year 5	For his gritty running performance at the Hayle Academy cross country. He kept battling despite a long course and a big hill.	
Citizen of the week	Isla Year R	For regularly going above and beyond expectations to perform random acts of kindness. Isla always tries her best to support those around her and make them smile.	