Friday 16th February



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Broadoak Backpack Character Value of the Fortnight: *Ambition*

Forest School Sessions - Y1

After half-term, our Y1 children will be taking part in Forest School sessions. The sessions will run as follows:

- Monday Afternoon 1R
- Friday Afternoon 1M

The sessions will begin w/c 26th Feb. Children should come in 'Forest School' clothing on the days that they are taking part in the sessions. Please see the Forest School section of the website for guidance on appropriate clothing.

Fast First Aid—Mini Paediatric First Aid Course

Fast First Aid offer a 2 hour mini paediatric First Aid session for parents and carers which will be hosted at school. As discussed at our Parent Voice Group, we thought this may be something our families may wish to take advantage of. The course is £20 (usually £100) with £5 from each place purchased going to the school PTA. The session is for a maximum of 25 people, should we have a lot of people wishing to complete this course, we can then book further sessions. To book on to the Mini Paediatric First Aid Course, which will take place on Tuesday 12th March. please click on the link below to confirm your booking. https://www.tickettailor.com/events/firstaidsafetytraining/1161047#

Key Stage One PTA Disco

The PTA will be holding a children's Key Stage One (Y1 and Y2) disco on Tuesday 5th March. The disco will run from 5pm to 6:15pm. Tickets, at a cost of £4, will be available on ParentPay from 4pm this evening. Included in the price, will be a drink and chocolate treat—we have opted not to run a tuck shop due to the age of the children.

Autumn Term Parents' Evening

We will be holding Spring Term parents' evening for all children on the dates outlined below:

| Mon 18th Mar | 4pm - 6pm | Nur |
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| Mon 18th Mar | 4pm - 7pm | Rec - Y6 (Excluding 6CG) |
| Tue 19th Mar | 4pm - 5pm | Nur - Y6 (Excluding 6CG) |
| Wed 20th Mar | 3pm - 7pm | 6CG |

These sessions will be remote video meetings and will be facilitated by our usual parent evening booking system -School Cloud. Parents/ carers will need to book a time slot. Parents will be required to log in punctually to school cloud online system as if they are late for the session, time will be lost. Parents/carers can add a comment/query for the teacher when booking the appointment through the system. This feature is aimed to ensure that time is used effectively and that parents queries are addressed. Details regarding how to book appointments, will be sent out after the holiday alongside the newsletter. Bookings will be open from Friday 1st March from 6pm until Friday 15th March at 12 noon. In addition, for parents of children from Nur Y6, there will be the opportunity to look at the children's books between 3:35pm and 5pm in their child's classrooms on Monday 11th March.

PE / Swimming Timetable

There will be no changes to the PE or swimming timetable next half term.

| Dates for your Diary | | | |
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| 26 th Feb | School Re-opens | | |
| 28 th Feb | Y6 Crucial Crew visit | | |
| 29th Feb | Y4 Greek Day | | |
| 4 th Mar | Aspirations Week | | |
| 7 th Mar | World Book Day - children can dress up as a book character | | |
| 11 th Mar | Y1 - Y6 Parent Book Look - 3:35pm to 4:30pm | | |
| 15 th Mar | Wear Red - Comic Relief Charity Day - Voluntary Donation (ParentPay) | | |
| 18 th Mar | Wear Different Colours - Neurodiversity Celebration Week | | |
| 18 th Mar & 19 th Mar | Parents' Evening - Mon - 4pm to 7pm (Nur— 6D) Parents' Evening - Tue - 4pm to 5pm (Nur— 6D) | | |
| 19 th - 21 st Mar | Scholastic Book Fair - KS2 Hall | | |
| 20 th Mar | Parents' Evening - Mon - 3pm to 7pm (6CG) | | |
| 21 st Mar | Wear Mismatching Socks - World Down Syndrome Day | | |
| 22 nd Mar | Parent Voice Group Meeting - 9am | | |
| 25 th Mar | Wear Green - National Cerebral Palsy Awareness Day | | |
| 28 th Mar | School Closes for Easter Break | | |
| 15 th Apr | School Re-opens | | |

School Council World Book Day Competition

Friendly reminder: Entries for the World Book Day competition being organised by the School Council should be brought into school on March 7th. For ideas, please see the attachment sent out with last week's newsletter.

Children's Mental Health Week

Last week, we celebrated children's mental health week. As part of the week, we had a charity day for Place2Be and as a school, raised £515. Thank you so much for your generosity.