

Dear all,

There has been a real buzz around school this week. The week began on a high with our 'Journey Around the World' launch assembly. The children fastened their seatbelts, watched the flight safety video and then eagerly received their suitcases full of clues about their destination. Throughout the week they have completed a wide range of activities including art, music appreciation, dance, food tasting plus much more. I know the children are looking forward to sharing their learning with parents during the presentations on Monday.

This week Miss Ward's class and Miss Whitney's class were also excited to be joined by Mrs. Robertson an English consultant who worked with each of the classes. Mrs. Robertson was blown away by the engagement level of the children and the high level of work they produced. Well done to all involved. Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs. Karen Wild

Welcome to the Broadoak Team

Next week, we are welcoming two new staff to the Broadoak Team. Mrs. Sarah Hunting has been appointed to work within the Y4 team and Mrs. Hayley Smith within the Y1 team. Both staff are looking forward to becoming part of the Broadoak team and getting to know the children.

Journey Around the World - Reminder

On Mon 12th Feb, the children will deliver a presentation to parents. The times for these are as follows:

- 9:00am - LKS2 Presentation (KS2 hall)
- 2:30pm - KS1 Presentation (KS1 hall)
- 3:00pm - UKS2 Presentation (KS2 hall)

The children can come into school dressed in an outfit reflective of their country or in clothes representative of the colours from the flag.

Friday 9th February



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Additional letters sent out this week:

- Girls Football Competition
- Y3 Outdoor Learning Event - 15.02.18
- Man Utd Foundation Tournament (Y2/Y3)
- Spring 2 Clubs Overview

These have been emailed out and can be viewed from the letters section of the website.

PTA Meeting

We will be holding a PTA meeting on **Thu 1st March at 6pm**. During the meeting we will be making arrangements for the KS2 discos due to be held on 7th Mar and the Easter Bingo planned in for 28th Mar.

Today's VIP Visitor

Today the Broadoak drive in developing a love of reading in all children was catapulted forward with the visit of a high profile VIP. Today KS2 received a visit from the comedian and children's author David Walliams. David delivered an engaging assembly where he answered questions from the children and read out extracts from two of his best sellers. The children (and staff!) were enthusiastic, if not a little star struck. Thank you to Kimi from Waterstones who recommended our school and Louisa from Harper Collins who coordinated the visit. Most of all thank you to David himself for visiting the school and sharing his stories, helping to inspire our children to become avid readers with the potential to become authors of the future.

Dates for your Diary



12 th Feb	Curriculum Enhancement Parent Event
12 th Feb	Y6 Crucial Crew Visit (am)
13 th Feb	Girls Football Tournament (Y4/Y5)
14 th Feb	Man Utd Tournament (Y2/Y3)
15 th Feb	Y3 Outdoor Learning Event (6pm-8pm)
16 th Feb	School Closes for Half Term
26 th Feb	School Re-opens
1 st Mar	World Book Day - Dress Up (details in next weeks newsletter)
27 th Feb- 1 st Mar	Book Fair (3:30pm - 4:00pm)

School Lunch Provision

As mentioned in last weeks newsletter, myself and the cooks have met to review some of the menu choices for our Fun Food Friday choices. The review has taken place following feedback from parents, with the aim to ensure that we are delivering high quality food that is enjoyed by the children. We have now agreed the following menu choices up until the Easter holidays:

Fri 16th Feb	Chinese Lunch Box	Please note vegetarian options are always available
Fri 2nd Mar	Chicken Fajita	
Fri 9th Mar	Homemade Burgers	
Fri 16th Mar	Baguette Pizza	
Fri 23th Mar	Meatball Sub	

To gain pupil feedback on the menu and ensure we are including menu choices that appeal to the children, we will be completing a 'thumbs up/thumbs down' evaluation each week. The outcome of the evaluation will be shared with parents on our weekly newsletter and reflect in future menu choices. Today's meal evaluation was as follows:

Bacon Butties			
	Infants 60%		Juniors 81%