

Newsletter

22.03.24



COMIC RELIEF

Our RED NOSE DAY activities raised almost £200! We will confirm our final amount in next week's newsletter.

The fire engine arrived at school last Thursday, however the firefighters were called out before they made it in to school to talk with Year 2 and Year 6. We are hoping to see them this week!



Thanks for your contributions both to Wednesday's cake sale to raise money for the Y5/Y6 residential AND to buy different items for World

Down Syndrome Day which was last Thursday!

Again we will confirm the total amount of money raised for both these good causes in next week's newsletter.



This week, all governors have completed specific safeguarding training for governors.

Keeping children safe is everyone's responsibility



Dates for your diary

Monday 25th March

Team Rubicon
Skateboard training for Y1 to Y6

Tuesday 26th March

Library open after school

Wednesday 25th March

Pm. EYFS Sponsored
Easter Bunny Hop for
Pendle Hospice

Thursday 28th March

Celebration Assembly
School & Nursery finish at
3.30pm for the Easter
Holidays

Monday 15th April

School & Nursery re-open
for the summer term



School Dinners

This is the menu for school lunches next week. We are unable to provide alternative meals.

Monday

Sandwiches (cheese, tuna, ham, egg) in class as hall in use for skateboarding sessions

Tuesday

Sausage & mash or Jacket potato with filling

Wednesday

Curry & rice or Tomato pasta

Thursday

Pizza or fish

The cost of school dinners is:

£2.40 per day

OR

£12.00 per week

Parents who pay for their child's school dinners should pay directly to the office staff. Payments can be made either by cash or cheque.



Colne Junior Council play area poster competition



Congratulations to Millie in Y6 who is one of the winners of Colne Junior Council's play area poster competition. Her design will be printed on a sign that will be displayed in the play area near school.

REMINDER

Cost of school dinners

The cost of school dinners will increase after the Easter holidays to

£2.50 per day/£12.50 per week.

This is an increase of 10p per day/50p per week to reflect increasing food costs.



Absence Procedure

When you know your child is off school ill please call and leave us a message. Then we know why your child is not in school.

When your child is not in school, the office staff will:

- send a text message to remind parents that school needs to know why your child is absent.
- make a phone call when they have not yet heard back from you.
- ask Mrs. Peake to make a home visit.

When you receive a text from school you can either reply to the text we have sent you OR just give us a ring.



Contacting School

The school office is open from 8.30am.

Please leave a message on the answer phone before 8.30am. A member of staff will phone you back when

Mammals

- Are **warm**-blooded.
- Live on land and in water.
- Have hair or fur.
- Have skeletons on the inside of their bodies.
- Give birth to live babies which drink their mother's milk.

Birds

- Are **warm**-blooded.
- Live on land and water.
- Have feathers (unique to birds), wings and a beak.
- Have skeletons on the inside of their bodies.
- Lay eggs.

Amphibians

- Are **cold**-blooded.
- Live on land and in water.
- Have moist skin and webbed feet.
- Have skeletons on the inside of their bodies.
- Lay eggs.

Year 1 are animal experts!

Y1 asked Rufus (and Miss Watson) to visit them as part of their Science learning about animal groups. Miss Watson was very impressed by the children's knowledge about mammals, reptiles, amphibians, fish, birds and insects. Rufus was more impressed by the children giving him treats and strokes!



Well done everybody in Y1!

Reptiles

- Are **cold**-blooded.
- Live on land and in water.
- Have scales, ear holes and dry skin.
- Have skeletons on the inside of their bodies (but tortoises have one on the outside, too!)
- Lay eggs.

Insects

- Are **cold**-blooded, though their blood (actually called haemolymph) is not like ours as it does not carry oxygen or carbon dioxide.
- Live on land and in water.
- Have bodies in 3 parts and most insects have 2 pairs of wings.
- Have skeletons on the outside of their bodies.
- Hatch from eggs and often change their bodies (for example, a caterpillar changes into a butterfly).

Fish

- Are **cold**-blooded.
- Live in water.
- Have fins to move and gills to breathe underwater.
- Have skeletons inside their bodies.
- Lay eggs (in water).



SportsCool would like to present a

FREE

EASTER HOLIDAY CLUB



FREE to all children aged 4-11 years on Free School Meal Benefits and those who require SEN provision, thanks to the government backed HAF programme. Lunch will be provided to any child attending.

PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL - BB8 0QJ

Dates: 2nd - 5th April
FSM: 8:30am - 12:30pm
SEN: 1:00pm - 4:00pm



Free for children eligible for Free School Meal benefits or requiring SEN provision

DODGEBALL

ULTIMATE FRISBEE

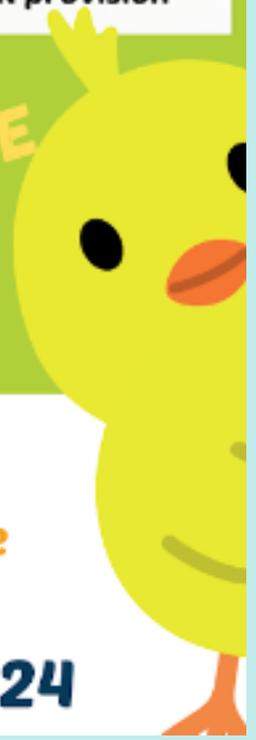
HANDBALL

DANCE

FOOTBALL

EASTER EGG HUNT

PLUS MORE



LIMITED PLACES AVAILABLE

Please book **NOW** to guarantee your place
via the online form below

<https://bit.ly/parkeasterHAF2024>

A massive well done and congratulations to our learners and readers of the week!!

GREAT JOB - You have earned 10 Dojo points!

THANK YOU to all those parents who joined us for this morning's Celebration Assembly to see your child receive an award.



Readers of the Week

- Year R** **Ethan** for working really hard reading and writing words and tricky words in phonics
- Year 1** **Jensen** for becoming more confident reading and
- Year 2** **Jaxson A** for persevering when completing his reading challenge
- Year 3** **Lochlan** for his incredible reading test score and always giving 100%
- Year 4** **Nicola** for her increased confidence reading aloud during lessons
- Year 5** **Jakub** for being so engaged with our class book
- Year 6** **Hussain** for being so enthusiastic when reading to the class

Learners of the Week

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| Year R Cleo for her positive attitude in class | Hooria for making good progress in all areas of her learning |
| Year 1 Gus for using excellent tinkering skills when using the bee-bots | Esmae for being a super scientist when learning about animals |
| Year 2 Cersei for being very independent when making a birdfeeder | Ivy for writing an amazing set of instructions about how to make a birdfeeder |
| Year 3 Ruby for her wonderful attitude to work and for being more focused on her | EVERYONE for their fantastic attitude to tests and all giving 100% |
| Year 4 Marley-Sue for her positive attitude to learning and keeping focused | Amelia for being an excellent role model and always choosing to do the right thing |
| Year 5 Theo K for having a more positive attitude in lessons and around school | Alessa P for working more independently |
| Year 6 Adam N for confidently reading his spy gadget work aloud to the class | Phoebe for being so amazing in Maths and for attempting tricky problems |

