

SANDRINGHAM NEWS

Nurture Enrich Inspire

Friday 18th March 2022



Message from Mrs Money

It is hard to believe that in the 9 school days since the last newsletter so much has happened! Year 2 have had a Victorian day in school where their classes were transformed and Mrs Hylton and Mrs Thomas were incredible in the role of Victorian teachers. This historical learning was consolidated in a trip to Milestones Museum in Basingstoke. The children and the teachers all agreed that they much prefer school life now as it is a lot more fun! Moles parents have enjoyed a roast lunch with their children...thank you again to the kitchen team for serving nearly 200 lunches in one hour! This week Year 1 'wowed' us with their Spring Celebration to parents. It was so wonderful to be able to welcome an audience into school again and the children made us feel so proud of them. Thank you to the Year 1 team for creating something so special in just 2 weeks. We all enjoyed a visit from Alan from First Class Falconry and his beautiful Owls and learnt lots of facts about them all. Today the children have enjoyed a wide range of activities for our 'Let's Get Physical' and Comic Relief day. A big thank you to Mrs Thomas for organising the day and to Mrs Hennessy and Mrs Adcock for giving up their time to teach the children (and staff!) Flamenco dancing and badminton skills.

Thank you to the parents who have helped run the book fair this week and to the Friends committee and staff for organising the Mother's Day gifts with your children. Frankie, Leah, Mia and Eden from Year 1 did an amazing job helping Mrs Green to unpack all of the things needed for the surprise creations. If you haven't already purchased your gift ahead of next week please do so via the PTA website.

Next week we are recognising Autism Awareness week, World Down Syndrome day and World Poetry day. We are celebrating that each and every one of us is different, unique and special in a variety of activities including writing poems about our own personal qualities.

Please can I remind you to ensure that your children have the correct uniform for school. This includes school jumpers, the correct coloured trousers, tights and socks and hair accessories in school colours only. Not only do the children look smart but this also promotes an important sense of belonging for the school community.

Finally, can I ask you all to check your children's hair for headlice this weekend. Headlice are unfortunately a common part of school life, particularly in infant schools as the children spend lots of time cuddled up together! Once your child has headlice it is frustratingly hard to get rid of them as only one egg missed very quickly hatches into a louse which can start laying eggs after just 6 days. Prevention is much better than cure and it is a most definitely a team effort in keeping outbreaks under control. Please take the time to read the Prevention of headlice leaflet included with this newsletter.

Wishing you all a sunny and relaxing weekend.

PLEASE REMEMBER

SCHOOL TIMINGS

8.50 am - 3.10pm
Gates open at 8.40am.
Please exit school via the one-way system along the front of the school building.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Please contact the office if you would like your child to join any of our after-school clubs.

Monday - Boogie pumps
Tuesday - Football
Wednesday - Gym
Thursday - Multisports
Friday - Active play

LOST PROPERTY

Please label **ALL** items of clothing and ask your child's teacher or at the office if you are missing anything.

INSET DAYS

Friday 27th May
Thursday 21st July
Friday 22nd July



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DIARY DATES

Monday 21st March - Autism Awareness week, World Down Syndrome Day and World Poetry Day

Wednesday 23rd March - Hedgehogs parent lunch

Friday 25th March - Mother's Day assemblies - Year 1&2 - 9.15am
Nursery and Reception - 10.15am

Monday 28th March - 'Golden Egg' Week

Tuesday 29th March - Internet Safety presentation for children, staff and parents - more details to follow shortly

Wednesday 30th March - Rabbits parent assembly - 9.15am

Thursday 31st March - National Siblings day celebrations

Friday 1st April - Sponsored Bunny Hop

END OF SPRING TERM - 1.30PM

Tuesday 19th April - First Day of the Summer term

VICTORIAN DAY & MILESTONES



RECEPTION



We have been learning about the story of 'Jack and the Beanstalk' which has inspired our writing, imagining what we might see at the top of a beanstalk. We have planted our own beans which we are excited to watch grow!



YEAR 1 SPRING CELEBRATION



OWL WORKSHOP



SPORTS RELIEF & LET'S GET PHYSICAL

