

SANDRINGHAM NEWS

Nurture Enrich Inspire

Friday 10th February 2023



Message from Miss Randles

The sun has finally made an appearance this week, just in time for half term. We are hoping that this will continue and that Spring is finally on its way! The children have had the time of their lives for today's YES day. Thank you for your generous donations which we are putting towards some new sports equipment for use on the playground in the summer term.

Thank you to Owls parents for joining us last week for their children's class assembly. Owls shared some inciteful facts, sung lots of catchy songs and wowed us with their fantastic art work - well done!

As part of my new role in school and still missing my time in the classroom lots, I regularly visit the classes to see the children and find out what is going on by monitoring teaching and learning. The children are always so enthusiastic to invite me into their classrooms to share in the learning with them.

This week, the Nursery children have amazed me with their emerging phonics skills, listening carefully to sounds in their environment and noticing the difference between those that are loud and others that are much quieter. Reception have been 'flying round the world' learning about the cultures and traditions native to countries including France, Portugal and New Zealand. The staff of course embraced the topic with enthusiasm by dressing up every day!

Year 1 children have taken pride in becoming authors and writing their own version of the story, Dear Zoo. The slippery snake, stripy tiger and cheeky monkey were certainly not a good choice of pet!

And finally, in Year 2 the children have been learning to write a persuasive piece of text to encourage new families to choose Sandringham as the best local school. They shared their ideas for what they love about their school and I was delighted to overhear "the kind and smiley teachers... the adventurous and exciting pirate ship... the sparkly golden tea parties".

Please do refer to the next page for a list of our diary dates for Spring 2. **Red dates are amended or new.** These events take us up to Easter. I look forward to sharing our Summer term dates in my next newsletter.

Wishing you all a relaxing week and we look forward to seeing you after half term when school re-opens on Monday 20th February 2023.

Miss Randles

SEN Coffee Morning

We are hosting our first coffee morning for parents of children with Special Educational Needs on Tuesday 14th March. We hope this network meeting with our Inclusion Leader, Mrs Kelly will provide parents with advice, practical strategies and perhaps answers to questions within a familiar and supportive environment here at Sandringham. Please do come along if you can.

Parent Lunch

We look forward to welcoming Hedgehogs Parents for lunch with their child on Weds 22nd March. Please see letter sent home this week with details on how to pay and order your meal.

BANK HOLIDAYS

Monday 1st May
Monday 8th May

INSET DAY

Friday 21st July



SPRING TERM – DIARY DATES

Monday 20th February – Back to School and Nursery

Tuesday 21st February – Pancake Day

Tuesday 28th February – Ladybirds Book Day (book character dress up)

Wednesday 1st March – St. David's Day (club uniform can be worn today)

Thursday 2nd March – World Book Day (book character dress up)

Wednesday 8th March – Squirrels Parent Assembly at 9.15am

Thursday 9th March – Amazing Adventurers Day – in school event

Tuesday 14th March – SEN Coffee Morning – 9-10am

Wednesday 15th March – Mother's Day Celebrations – timings TBC

Friday 17th March – Comic Relief Day

Tuesday 21st March – Odd Socks Day

Wednesday 22nd March – Hedgehogs Parent Lunch at 12.30pm

Thursday 23rd March – Foxes Parent Assembly at 9.15am

Thursday 23rd March – Year 2 SATs Meeting for Parents – 5-6pm

Tuesday 28th March – Sponsored Bunny Hop (Ladybirds) – PTA event

Tuesday 28th March – Siblings Day Celebrations (Ladybirds + School)

Wednesday 29th March – iRock Concert to Parents (iRockers only)

Thursday 30th March – Sponsored Bunny Hop – PTA event

Thursday 30th March – Siblings Day Celebrations (Butterflies + School)

Friday 31st March – Break Up for Easter Holidays at 1.10pm



YES DAY!



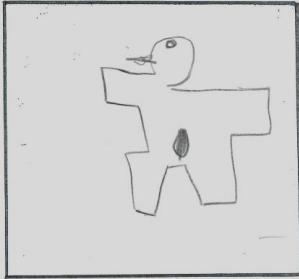
GOLDEN TEA PARTY



ALL AROUND THE WORLD!



OUR LEARNING THIS WEEK



It was too cold!
I sent him back



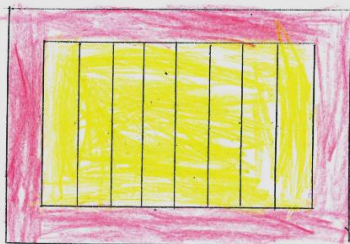
They sent
a giraffe.
He was too tall!
I sent him back.

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We are learning to write a persuasive text.

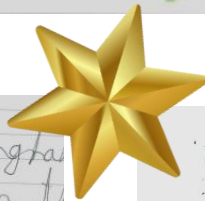
Did you know the best school
is Sandringham?
Did you know the school
has the best activities?
First we have a amazing
pirate ship.
Also we have a brilliant
teepee so amazing!
Super independent writing 😊



Dear Zoo



Did you know that Sandringham
school has the most amazing
exciting things ever?
Sandringham school has
the biggest playground ever!



Did you know that Sandringham
is the best school in the
universe? It has amazing
things to play with.
There's a pirate ship and
there's nothing to be afraid
of. We can guide you anywhere.
First we have a perfectly
new pirate ship. It has amazing
hiding spots. There's another
reason because there's a tree
trail where you can swing and
climb. You can think about if
you want to come. You don't

Dear Zoo



By Jessica Fisher.