# Featherstone Wood Primary School

# Newsletter

27th February, 2015

Dear Parents and Carers.

It was nice to see so many parents attend the session on 'Supporting your Child's Relationships in School' which was held on Wednesday this week. We hope you found the topic useful and helped you in supporting your child. In the near future we will be putting together a helpful leaflet for parents.

#### 'Mathletics'

We would like to promote the use of 'Mathletics' to help the children practice their maths skills at home. 'Mathletics' is a service we are paying for and is a fantastic resource. All children should have their personal log-on and it is also available on i-pads and i-phones as an app.

## Parents of Featherstone Wood

Just a little reminder that the PofFW are holding a second hand book sale on Thursday, 5th March, which is also World Book Day. They would still welcome any donations of unwanted books.

#### Marie Curie Cancer Care

During March daffodil badges will be on sale for Marie Curie Cancer Care. Year 6 School Council members will be bringing the daffodils round to classes if your child would like to purchase



one. They may also be purchased from the office.

The School Council would also welcome any donations for the Easter Raffle which they will be holding.

#### Star Learners

This week's Star Learners are:-

Reception - Benjamin Erivona

Year 1 - Jayden Cullen

Year 2 - Jessica Hossain

Year 3 - Jayden Champkins

Year 4 - Jack Virtue Year 5 - Whole Class

Year 6 - Luke Woolnough

#### Attendance Award

What a brilliant achievement for Year 1 who are the winners of this week's Attendance trophy with 100%. Well done everyone!

#### Mystery Attendance Week

This week is our first Mystery Attendance week and I am pleased to say that over 120 children have been in school every single day. All their names were put into a hat and the following children were awarded a prize in assembly this morning:-

Melissa Brunsden Jessica Hossain Chloe Driver Holly White Morgan Camp Emily Bingham

Who will the winners be when we hold our next Mystery Attendance Week?

# Word of the Week

This week's word of the week is 'Honourable'. All entries can be placed in the white box in the interactive area.

Last week's winners were Daijon Selby-Straker, Abigail Howard and Chloe Gregory.

## Dates for your Diary

5<sup>th</sup> March - World book day

\*6th March - Mediation Session

25th March - SENCO surgery from 1.30

1st April - Exhibition Day

2<sup>nd</sup> April - Term ends normal time

20th April - Inset Day

21st April - Children back

10th May - SAT's Week

18<sup>th</sup> May - Year 4, 5 & 6 visit to St Albans Abbey for Magna Carta workshops

19<sup>th</sup> May - Year 1 & 2 and Rec visit to St Albans Abbey for Magna Carta workshops

20<sup>th</sup> May - Year 3 visit to St Albans Abbey for Magna Carta workshops 1st June - Inset Day

 $14^{th}$  June - Phonics check week for KS1

3<sup>rd</sup> July - Sports Day & Proms

9<sup>th</sup> July - Transition Day/Meet the Teacher

11th July - Summer Fair

14th July - Cinema Trip

21st July - Term ends 2.00 p.m.

22<sup>nd</sup> July - Occasional Day

\*New Dates

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