Featherstone Wood Primary School



Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

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I thought you might like an up-date on the progress of our fundraising for our charity this year - Bliss.

So far our school has raised a total of £480.30 by holding a balloon race, Christmas sale and wearing our Christmas jumpers to school. This Sunday Mrs Hoare's daughter, Stephanie, is doing a tandem parachute jump and has so far raised over £500. We would like to wish her all the best and hope that the weather is kind to her - she is petrified!



Including all donations which have been made on the 'just giving' page by friends, family and anonymous donations, a total of £1,575.10 has been raised - which is well on the way to the target of £2,000 which was set.

We shall be holding more fundraising events over the next few months and Mrs Hoare and her family would like to thank you all for your continued support.

Parents of Featherstone Wood

On Thursday, 5^{th} March, the Parents of Featherstone Wood held a book sale. The sum of £41.30 was raised. Thank you to all who came along.

Star Learners

This week's Star Learners are:-

Reception - Shaheeda Begum

Year 1 - Irfan Ahmed

Year 2 - Leila Handel

Vear 3 - Konstantina Konstantinidi

Year 5 - Chloe Driver

Year 6 - Oliver Gore

Well done everyone we are very proud of you.

<u>Attendance</u>

The winners of this week's Attendance Trophy are Year 6 with 98.2%.



Well done everyone.

Word of the Week

Last week's winners of the Word of the Week (Honourable) are Jack V, Connor, Kurtis, Chanoi, Courtney, Olivia, Abigail, Ben D, Malackey and Chloe G.

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

Sainsbury's Vouchers

It's that time of year again when we start collecting Sainsbury's vouchers. Please bring your vouchers to school and pop them in the collection box near the School Office. Let friends and relatives know that we are collecting and if they don't want them perhaps they could kindly donate them to us!

Teach in Herts Recruitment Fair

The Teach in Herts Teacher Recruitment Fair will be taking place on Saturday, 14th March between 10.00 am and 4.00pm, at Hertfordshire Development Centre at Robertson House, Six Hills Way, Stevenage.

The event is free and hundreds of Hertfordshire schools will be available to discuss current and future teaching opportunities. Parking is free on-site and a free shuttle bus will be available from Stevenage train station.

For full details on the event and to pre-register your attendance, see www.teachinherts.com.

Dates for your Diary

25th March - SENCO surgery from 1.30

1st April - Exhibition Day

2nd April - Term ends normal time

20th April - Inset Day

21st April - Children back

10th May - SAT's Week

18th May - Year 4, 5 & 6 vísít to St Albans Abbey for Magna Carta workshops

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

20th May - Year 3 visit to St Albans Abbey for Magna Carta workshops

 25^{th} to 29^{th} May - Half Term

1st June - Inset Day

14th June - Phonics check week for KS1

3rd July - Sports Day & Proms

9th July - Transition Day/Meet the Teacher

11th July - Summer Fair

14th July - Cinema Trip

21st July - Term ends 2.00 p.m.

22nd July - Occasional Day

Louise Shuttleworth Headteacher