

Newsletter

08.03.24



Parent Teacher Meetings

THANK YOU to all those parents who joined us for this week's Parent Teacher Meetings.

ALL CLUBS will restart next week

The Library will also reopen after school from next Tuesday for children and parents to use

World Book Day

What a cast of book characters we had in school yesterday – well done everybody! It was lovely watching Year 6 reading with Reception children while Year 3 and Year 4 were outside following an orienteering course based on book characters!

Happy Mother's Day!

Well done to Nursery & Reception for organising such a lovely Mother's Day event this afternoon! Thank you to all those Mums who joined them.



Dates for your diary

Sunday 10th Mar

Mother's Day

W/c Mon 11th March

ALL clubs restart

Mon 11th Mar

Library open after school

Thursday 14th Mar

Y5 litter picking

Friday 15th March

Celebration Assembly

Y1/3/5 to receive

Attendance stickers

Pm. Year 4 swimming

Red Nose Day

Friday 22nd March

Celebration Assembly

YR/2/4/6 to receive

Attendance stickers



School Dinners

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

Monday

Veg sausage roll or Macaroni cheese

Tuesday

Burger in bap or Pizza

Wednesday

Roast dinner or Jacket potatoes with fillings

Thursday

Savoury mince or Tomato Pasta

Friday

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 Meeting Feedback

Last Friday, our Year 5 & Year 6 School Councillors attended the most recent Colne Junior Council Meeting at Colne Town Hall. The Council's Chairperson was unable to attend so Ade, who is the Vice Chair, had his first experience of chairing a meeting. Mr. Peers, the Headteacher at Christchurch Primary School congratulated Ade on doing such a great job!

The Junior Council:

- Chose a Colne Junior Council logo
- Chose winning posters to be displayed in playground and park areas near our 4 schools. These posters remind everyone to keep these areas clean and tidy
- Councillors updated each other about activities they are working on. West Street Councillors fed back about upcoming litter picking events they will be involved in
- Councillors are hoping to plan a visit to the Houses of Parliament in London. West Street and Trawden will work together to write a bid for money to pay for this trip

WELL DONE EVERYBODY!

You can find out more about our School Council's litter picking on page 3

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.



School Council take part in Treasure Colne Litter Pick

Wednesday 6th March

Our School Councillors, Mrs Duerden and Miss Bee ventured out in to Colne with their litter pickers to join Treasure Colne's first litter pick of 2024. They walked down Windy Bank to to meet other litter picking volunteers. This group of volunteers spent a good hour clearing a footpath behind Matalan. The children loved being on their 'treasure hunt' and were very surprised at some of the litter they found especially a bra and a hammer!



You can see how many bags of litter were collected.

Treasure Colne's next litter pick will be on Wednesday 3rd April.

Next week Year 5 will be joining a local litter pick on Midgley Street.

We would like to **THANK EVERYBODY** for your very kind Facebook comments about our litter picking efforts!



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



RED NOSE DAY

Red Nose Day will be on **Friday 15th March.**

This year the focus will be on supporting those in need during the current living crisis, focusing on issues like **lack of food and homelessness.**

School Council have agreed the following plan:



Dress up like a member of staff in school OR use your imagination and wear your clothes inside/out, back to front or in some other funny way

Bring a food donation for Open Door Foodbank: either tinned or packet food e.g. baked beans, tinned tomatoes, pasta, rice



Buy tickets for our Comic Relief Raffle. 1st prize will be one of Jac's fantastic cakes! Tickets will cost 20p each or £1 for 5 tickets.



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** **Lyla** for making super progress with her reading
- Year 1** **Emerald** for using inference skills during our English lessons
- Year 2** **Louie** for an amazing improvement with his phonic
- Year 3** **Amos** for an immense improvement with Words First and moving on to class reading books
- Year 4** **India** for good effort with using inference during reading sessions
- Year 5** **Theo N** for being really engaged with our class book and producing great writing
- Year 6** **Holly** for putting 100% effort in to every Reading lesson

Learners of the Week

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| Year R Murano for making good progress in all areas of his learning | Ethan for working really hard to improve his handwriting |
| Year 1 Lydia for becoming more confident at joining in class discussions | Stanley for having an amazing first week at West Street |
| Year 2 Ivy for a big improvement in her arithmetic flashback 4 | Maryam for her brilliant drawing skills in Art lessons |
| Year 3 Layton for much improved effort in class, super grammar and amazing spelling | Ronnie for ALWAYS being an absolute superstar with wonderful work, contributing ideas and being a class role model |
| Year 4 Sultan for improving his timetables knowledge and recall speed | Zak for improving his timetables knowledge and recall speed |
| Year 5 Ade for representing school brilliantly and being so engaged with his learning | Sabrina for challenging herself in lessons and putting her hand up more |
| Year 6 Adam G for having a brilliant attitude to learning and for being a pleasure to teach | Maison for being a role model in Year 6 and for doing his best in EVERYTHING |

