



There are lots of events on the horizon so please read this newsletter carefully!

## World Book Day

World Book Day is on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March. If your child would like to, they can dress up as a character from a book. If they don't want to dress up, they can wear their own clothes as long as they bring in a £1 donation which will go towards new library books. It should be an exciting book-filled day!

## Story Storks

Early Years took part in Story Storks workshops all about Chinese New Year.

*We were making a dragon with covers and dancing to music. We were shaking the bells and making rain sounds on the drums. Lily*  
*We learned about a girl painting a dragon and the dragons came to life. We did some dancing and some singing. Abigail*

## Red Nose Day

Red Nose Day takes place on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March. Children can either dress up as something funny or wear something red for the day. I am hoping to have some red noses for sale in the school – watch this space!

## Y5/6 Football Competition

*On Monday, the football team represented Heathmere Primary School at Chelsea FC training ground in Cobham. The team came in 4<sup>th</sup> place, winning 4 games, losing 2 and drawing 2. It was a great experienced and achievement to take part.*  
 Simra 6H

Well done to the team of: Blake, Campbell, Joel, Oliver, Pawel, Qasim, Seedy and Simra.

## School Improvement

As you are aware, we had our Ofsted Inspection before half term. I am still waiting for the draft report but will keep you updated on the process.

## Spring Competitions

At the end of the Spring Term, we always have a competition in school. In Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2, we are going to hold a Spring Fashion Parade. Children can either decorate a hat, or another item of clothing to wear in the parade. Children in Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6 can make cakes for a Spring 'Bake Off', or they can make an egg-creation. More details will be sent out nearer the time. These competitions will take place in the week beginning 1<sup>st</sup> April.

Any money raised during the Bake Off sale will go towards WaterAid, in memory of Revd McKinney who passed away a few weeks ago.

## Single Use Plastic

Please help us to reduce single-use plastic in the lunchboxes of the children who have a packed lunch. No single-use bottles should be used from next week. Please send your children with their drink in a reusable bottle, or they can have water from school.

## Training Day

**A reminder that school will be closed on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March for a Training Day.**

## Attendance

This morning we had our attendance assembly. I was really proud to see so many children receiving their attendance badges. Well done!

Blue = one half term of 100% attendance  
 Green = two half terms of 100% attendance  
 Red = three half terms of 100% attendance  
 The next badge will be bronze!

	Events	Clubs
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> March		Y1/2/3 Ninja Kids! – Matt Y4/5/6 Tennis – Tim
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> March	Y4 Swimming Y3 Young Readers Project	Y4/5/6 Football Team Training – Matt Y4/5/6 Arts and Crafts – Miss Agypong
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> March	No trumpets today Y5 to Juniper Hall until Friday Y2 to Lion King Y4 Theatre Performance	Y3/4/5/6 Gymnastics – Matt & Minesh (until 5pm) Y1/2/3 Arts and Crafts – Miss Agypong
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day	Y3/4/5/6 - Tag Rugby – Mr Mtya
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> March		Y4/5/6 Dodgeball – Tim