

06-3-20 Spring 2



Value of the Month

> March Trust



## Athlete Visit—Healthy Me Week

A massive thank you to all our Moss Lane Families who raised an amazing amount of money resulting in us having £573.00 to spend on new sports equipment.



## **Mystery Readers**

It has been lovely to see so many Mystery Readers in school. The children have had a wonderful time being surprised by parents who have brought in their favourite books to read.

If you would like to be a mystery reader please speak to your class teacher.



## Eat them to defeat them

ITV and Veg Power's award winning campaign is back, joined by Sky, Channel 4, 10 supermarkets and food labels and a host of media brands.

Together we are setting out to encourage children to eat more vegetables. When kids are in charge those pesky veg don't stand a chance.

Each week Innovate have been encouraging the children to try new veg. There were even carrots hidden in the brownies.

Last week was carrots and this week is peas.

Week 3 (9th March)SweetcornWeek 4 (16th March)BroccoliWeek 5 (23rd March)TomatoesWeek 6 (30th March)Peppers



## Welcome

To our new parent governor Emma Taylor. I am sure you will join me in wishing her all the best as she joins our school community in a new role.

#### **Illuminate Festival Godalming**



2020 is the first year of Illuminate Festival in Godalming, and to celebrate Kick Arts are running a short story competition for people from 4 to adult. Stories are limited to 250 words, the competition is free to enter and the winner in each age group will receive a book token as a prize. Age groups are 4-7, 8-11, 12-15, 16-18, and 18+.

The theme for the story is either: a) *Adventure* or *b) Bring The Light*.

Judges will be Holly Stott from Hachette publishers (one of the 6 biggest publishing houses in the world) and festival founders the Jeavons' family.

Please email submissions to <u>barney@kickartsuk.com</u> or drop in paper copies to reception at Godalming Museum. Please state your name, age and provide a contact email and phone number (teacher, parent or guardian in the case of a child). Closing date for entries is April 8th. Please do not send in the only copy as we are unable to return submissions.

*Illuminate* is a brand new festival taking place in Godalming, Surrey on the 2<sup>nd</sup> of May, bringing authors, poets, musicians, illustrators, and adventurers to the town. A one-day literary celebration that will incorporate spoken word, comedy, author talks, illustration and writing workshops, a songwriting circle, a short story competition, and a host of other fantastic events for adults and children.

## **Parent Clinics**

Parent clinics are a good opportunity for you to discuss any concerns or worries that you might have about your child with Mrs Abbott. You should have discussed these issues with your child's class teacher in the first instance. Then, if you feel they have not been resolved please make an appointment via the school office. Our next parent clinic is:

Wednesday 18th March 9am-10am

The appointment lasts approximately 15 minutes.

## Help us with our Attendance!



Please arrange medical or dental appointments during holiday times or out of school hours. If you cannot make a doctor or dentist appointment out of school hours, wherever possible the child should come to school before the appointment and return to school afterwards. You will be asked to provide an appointment letter or a written explanation beforehand. School opens at 8.45am Doors open at 8.50am. Registers are

taken at 8.57am and gates close at 9.00am. Any child arriving in class after 9.00am will be marked late. Parents arriving or leaving after 9.00am must do so via the School Office.

# Whole School attendance 95.78% Class Attendance

| Polars    | 94.5%  |
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| Pandas    | 88.33% |
| Squirrels | 97.32% |
| Foxes     | 96.79% |
| Hedgehogs | 99.63% |
| Otters    | 98.79% |
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Week: 24.02.20-06.03.20

**Well Done Hedgehogs Class** 

## **World Book Day Special**

On Thursday 5th March we celebrated World Book day. All the children came into school with amazing costumes and talked avidly about their favourite books and stories. The children and staff had a wonderful day with Year 2 even having the opportunity to go to Waterstones and spend their book token. It was also a special day as many children had gone to a lot of effort making their toilet roll story characters or writing a book review (winners below). Thank you to every one who took part.

## **Competition Winners...**

## **Story Character Toilet Rolls**

#### **Runners up:**

| India   | Pandas    | Bee               |
|---------|-----------|-------------------|
| Leo     | Polars    | Peter Rabbit      |
| Dylan   | Squirrels | Wally and his dog |
| Libby   | Foxes     | Cat in the Hat    |
| Clemmie | Hedgehogs | Smed and a Smoo   |
| Justin  | Otters    | Robin Hood        |

## WINNER

Annabel Squirrels

Beauty and Beast

## **Book reviews:**

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| Ted     | Polars    | Mog and Bunny               | T 20661.                |
| Seb     | Foxes     | The Lion inside             | Polars                  |
| Eva     | Hedgehogs | Happy Birthday Isadora Moon |                         |

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## Year 1 Pancake Races

On Shrove Tuesday Year 1 participated in the Mayor's Annual Pancake Race. The children had great fun and ran as fast as they could to the finish line. Then after all their hard efforts they received a special treat at the end. Thank you to all the parent helpers who walked with us.













## PTA SPONSORED BOUNCE

A massive thank you to the PTA for all their hard work in organising this years bounce-athon. The children had the most amazing time seeing how many bounces they could achieve in one minute. Your sponsorship form should have come home in order for you to collect in any money. All forms and money should be put in the red PTA box opposite the office (not given to the class teacher or the office) by Friday 20th March.



## Dates for your Diary 2019-20

#### March

Mon- Fri9th-13thBritish Science WeekMon-Fri16th-20thBook FairMonday16thBee Keeping TalkThursday19thMother's Day Event

## April

Wednesday 1st Friday 3rd Monday 20th Tuesday 21st

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FGB Meeting End of Spring Term INSET DAY Summer Term Starts

#### May

Wednesday 6th Friday 8th VE Day Commemoration Bank Holiday

#### 2019-2020 INSET DAYS

20th April, 22nd May