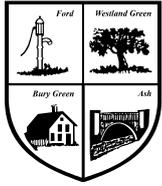


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'Believing and Achieving'

Friday 22nd June 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

Thank you for supporting the **Bring In Day** today for soft drinks and sweets. Next Friday is dress down for **raffle prizes**, so thank you in advance for that.

Thank you also to all those parents who supported the '**Evening with Martin Galway**' on Tuesday this week. Feedback seemed to be very positive, so hopefully everyone feels more informed on the best ways to support children with their writing at home. Thank you to Mrs Tweedale for all her organising of the evening.

During the day on Tuesday, the children shared their '**Story in a Day**' work, where a story was started off in Ash Class, then passed on to Beech Class to create the next part of the story and so on until Willow Class were invited to write the 'conclusion' to the story. This was really enjoyed by the children (and staff) and many are inspired to do this again, either across the school or even in class. It's a type of 'Consequences' but with stories. I have attached the final version, so do have a read and let us know your thoughts! Could even do this at home around the family - who will be first family to try it?

It was also good to meet some of our new **Early Years parents** last night, thank you for joining us.

Our **Y3/4 Football Team** represented us well this week at the B.S. Schools Festival- they won 2, drew 2 and lost 1. Even England would be happy with those results!

Mersea Trip and Sun Protection

It looks as if we will be lucky with the weather next week (fingers are crossed as I type this!) However, it does mean that we really need to ensure sufficient sun tan cream is packed in back-packs. May I remind you about Boots own version sun cream that has a longer lasting protection, called '**Soltan Once Kids 3 Hours Waterplay Hypoallergenic Sun Care Lotion SPF 50**'. Please ensure the bottle is named and it may be worth trying it out in advance on your child's skin- just in case! If you prefer a different sun cream that needs regular applications, then please store it safely in their back packs rather than their suitcases, as they may need it during the first day.

NSPCC

This week, the NSPCC came to talk to the children as a follow up from their initial assemblies. They were impressed with how the children knew how to be safe and what options they could call on - good old Protective Behaviours!

As they are a charity, they do ask if schools can help them with fundraising and so the School Council are asking all families to save their **spare change** between now and the **18th July**, when we will be drawing a very large NSPCC on the floor of the hall for children to cover in spare coins of any denomination. So, please start up a collection pot at home and bring the coins in to school on the 18th, thank you for your support in this.

Entrance Mosaic Display

You may have heard from your child that they have been involved in placing a mosaic tile on our new Entrance Display Mosaic? It is now finished and in place so that we can have a 'Grand Opening' on **Monday 25th June at home-time- 3pm**. We will open up the playground to allow for extra parking, so do come along and share in the 'Reveal' !

Times Table Champion

Congratulations to **Olivia** in Y3 for achieving her Times Table Champion Badge this week- what a star!

Pupil Mental Health Assembly

On Monday, Sharon Lawton from Natural Flair, (Mindfulness) is coming in to school to lead an assembly on pupil Mental Health and Wellbeing from Beech Class upwards. She will also be teaching them a funky dance, which children can access readily on Youtube, so that they can practice. Sharon will then be returning on **Tuesday 17th July**, with a Film Crew, to film them dancing for a show on **Mytv called The Chrissy B Show**. Chrissy B herself is also visiting us on that Tuesday, so we will be on TV! **A letter and pink permission slip** will be coming home on Monday, so if your child would like to be included in this exciting TV opportunity, please complete the pink form and send it in and..... get dancing!

Class Attendance Award

This week's top attenders are in Beech Class with a near perfect 99.1 %, well done! Overall, attendance was at 96.4%, which is very positive at this time of year.

Going For Golds

The most Triplegoldts were achieved by Lime Class, congratulations!

Special Table

Next week's top tablers are Clara, Rosie E and Bobby. Bon appetit!

Coming Up Next...

- Monday 25th : Natural Flair Children's Well-being Assembly with Sharon Lawton
Grand Opening of the Entrance Display Mosaic - 3pm- All welcome!
- Tuesday 26th : HLTA Assessor in school - am.
Maths Anxiety Training - Wodson Park -Mrs Lammin and Mrs Ogden all day
Catalyst NQT Quality Assurance - Mrs Stockley - am
- Wednesday 27th : Y3/4 Mersea Trip
- Thursday 28th : New Reception pupils morning
- Friday 29th : Early Years Sports Morning and Yr/Y1 Transition Meeting - 9am
Dress Down Day - Raffle Prizes
Mersea Trippers return - 3pm approx.

Week 2

- Monday 2nd July : Y4 at Wodson Park Games Festival - pm (see letter)
- Tuesday 3rd : Maths Adviser final visit - am
- Wednesday 4th : Catalyst CPD Breakfast Meeting - 7.45am Mrs Stockley
SEN Review Evening 3.30-5.00pm
- Thursday 5th : New Reception pupils visit
Full Governors Meeting - 6pm
- Friday 6th : Dress Down Day for Boozy Bottles
Heads Consortium - pm
- Saturday 7th : 'Fairwell Event'

Thought for the Week...

'A little progress each day adds up to big results.'

Thank you for your continued support and enjoy a sunny weekend!

Yours sincerely

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