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Dear Parents and Carers,



We are already a term into 2014 and I'm sure the children are looking forward to their half term break. We are all hoping that the weather improves and there are at least a couple of sunny days for everyone to enjoy some time outside.

This week the PTFA kindly organised the rescheduled Movie Night. I would like to thank them all for their hard work in arranging this event and hope that the children all had a lovely time.

Go Bananas! Fairtrade Lunch

On Wednesday 26th February, we will be participating in the Go Bananas! Fairtrade lunch. For that day only, the normal dinner choices will not apply. Instead the main meal options will be: barbecue chicken with pasta, pizza wheels with wedges or jacket potato with cheesy beans. These will be the only school lunch options for that day, so if your child does not want any of these, please send them with a packed lunch. Cost of the school meal will be as normal.

Important Dates

W/C 17/02/14 – Half Term
28/02/14 – School Disco
10-14/03/14 – Music week
21/03/14 – Reports for Parents
28/03/14 – School CLOSED
04/04/14 – Last Day of Term
22/04/14 - First day of term 5
5/5/14 – Bank holiday, School CLOSED
23/5/14 – Last day of term 5
2/6/14 – First day of term 6
25-26/6/14 – Year 6 London Trip
27/6 – School CLOSED
22/7/14 – Last day of term 6



New Teacher

When we return after the half term break we will be welcoming Miss James to the school. Miss James will be starting with Year 3 in Armstrong Class.





Star Learners

We would like to congratulate all of our star learners from the last two weeks.

Week 3

Shakeel Bashir
Charlie Coles
Samuel Cook
Ellie Gavin
Madison Hawker
Lillie Kneller
Olivia Martin
Rachael McInnes
Yaseen Miah
Mckinley Minnards
Leah Paul
Owen Plumley
Shakira Wheeler

Week 4

Bethany Broyd
Chloe Buchan
Fletcher Carter
Victoria Chitruszko
Callum Coles
Chloe Coles
Thomas Delamere
Maddison Gawron
Brandon Matthews
Kobi Medway
Harry Wood
Bibi Zhen

Upcoming events

26th February – Table Top Sale. Parents can sell old, unwanted items. The sale starts after school. £3 per table. Speak to Gemma to book a table.

26th February – Beauty Lab Workshop. 1pm – 3pm. Crèche provided. Book a place with Gemma.

27th February – Creative Writing Course. 6 weekly sessions. 1pm – 3pm. Crèche provided. Book a place with Gemma.

P.E. Kits

We would like to remind everyone that children should have their P.E. kits in school every day. With the weather as changeable as it is, the classes are often moving their P.E. times so they can get outside when it is dry. If they always have their kit in school they won't be caught out by the breaks in the rain.

Half Term Activities

Plymouth Children's Theatre Workshop (based at Ford Baptist Church) are running two full-day workshops on Tuesday 18th and Wednesday 19th February from 10am till 4pm. The sessions cost £20 per day and include lunch, snacks and drinks. For more information please go to : www.plymouthchildrenstheatreworkshop.co.uk

For older children (11 and over), Whiz Kids Careers Workshops will be running at City Business Park. For more information and for a list of workshops offered, please visit: www.wkfeb14.eventbrite.co.uk

Homework

Over the last week I have had the opportunity to look at Homework books across the school. It has been wonderful to see how enthusiastically the children are completing this and many of our parents are also making supportive comments. We would like to invite all parents to initial or sign their child's homework when it has been completed, or make a short comment if you wish. There will be some minor changes after half term in these books which should hopefully benefit all children further.

