

# The Blue Letter: 28th February 2020



Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome back. Despite the weather, I hope you all had a lovely half term.

Unfortunately, I do need to ask again, that people do not stop or park on the zigzag lines outside school. No matter how much of a rush you are in, the safety of the children is more important. The lines are there to ensure their safety. There is plenty of parking most days in the village hall car park. We have received several email updates from both The Department of Education and Public Health England about Coronavirus. The advice to schools is the same as to the general public in terms of good hygiene and self isolation if you have been to any of the specified countries.

There has also been a spate of sickness in school. If your child has vomiting or diarrhoea the advice is that they stay away from school for 48 hours after the last bout of sickness. This is to help prevent the sickness spreading and to ensure they are fully recovered .

You'll notice that I have moved the diary for next week onto the back of the Blue Letter this week, you can also find this information on the online diary on the website.

The playground equipment cupboard has been tidied and restocked with some new equipment and following their renewed PALS training, Year 6 will be leading games on a rota basis each day at play-time and lunch time. We hope to share photos of this with you next week

## Collective Worship



Next week we return to looking at the life and ministry of Jesus with our Theme: Jesus Cares & Provides. We will be looking at stories that include the feeding of the 5000 and Jesus calming the storm

Our bible verse comes from Psalm 107 v 31

"Let them give thanks to the LORD for his unfailing love and his wonderful deeds for mankind."

## World Book Day

Next Thursday, 5th March, is World Book Day. This year we would like the children to get creative and turn a potato into a book character! We'll display these in school and there might even be a chance of a prize or two!

During the day the children will be sharing books with each other and they will be given their World Book day Voucher.



### Last Chance to Paint



Mathilda's prizes for her art in response to John Dyer's work arrived in school this week. Not only does she have her art work painted onto a wallet, she has a copy of John's book, a signed print and various other items from the Born Free Foundation, who supported the competition



Monday 2nd March	Create Club—finishes 4.15pm
Tuesday 3rd March	Fitjoy club—finishes 4pm
Wednesday 4th March	
Thursday 5th March	KS2 Swimming Drama Club finishes 4.15pm Book Club finishes 4pm
Friday 6th March	

### Paulton's Park

On Monday , Owl Class went to Paulton's Park for a school trip. The day included:

- A workshop about different types of forces
- An opportunity to go on different rollercoasters across the park

"The day was fantastic, we managed to squeeze in two of the bigger rides and the work shop was very fascinating. One of the best school trips ever!" - *Molly*

"We all can agree that it was a great trip, despite the rain, nothing could wash away the happiness inside us." - *Imogen*

"I think that we all had a great day and had a lot of fun doing the workshop, we were very happy when two rollercoasters we wanted to go on were opened!"- *Lyra*

"When we went on the bigger rides most people were screaming but I was not I was laughing with Taylor . The rain made it more fun but it was very cold, we thought the small rides were good then, when we got on the bigger rides we found it so fun." - *Oscar B*