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Weekly Newsletter

Friday 19th January 2018

Next week we are embracing our British values, children will be taking part in various activities and parents / carers are invited on Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 to be a part of the event. Please complete the form that was previously sent home or call the office to confirm your attendance.

Children are invited to come into school on Friday 26th January in red, white and blue clothes.

Young Writers Competition

Congratulations and well done to some of our children from Class Sycamore. Tyler, Alfie, Ruby W and Ava have

all won a writing competition to have their stories published into a Young Writers Book. They will have their very own story about 'Toy Stories' published! We have some excellent writers who may one day become professional Authors!



SHARE Group - Tuesday 9:30 to 10:30 —This is an informal gathering for parents, carers and grandparents. It provides an opportunity to discuss, share ideas and offer advice on home or school challenges you may be faced with. It will be lovely to see you all again after the Christmas break and please remember that new faces are always welcome.

KS3 Art Mural Project—will now take place on Thursday 25th January (weather permitting).

Year 5 & 6 pupils will be taking part in a series of Bikeability session on Monday 22nd and 29th January run by BikeRight.

Afterschool clubs will be commencing on Tuesday—Letters have gone home tonight to confirm attendance—there are still a few places left so please get your preference choices in asap.

Well done to Class Holly who have 100% attendance this week.

We break up on Friday 9th February and return on Monday 19th February.

Activities week commencing: 22nd January 2018

Date	Event	Class
Mon	Mountain Biking pm	Mulberry Class
	Swimming am	Mulberry, Redwood & Rowan
	Soft Play	Blossom 1
	BikeRight Session	Year 5 & 6
Tues	Soft Play	Blossom 2
	Share Group	All Parents welcome
	Parent Afternoon at 1:30	All parents welcome
Wed	Soft Play	Willow
Thu	Mural / Artist	KS3 pupils only
Fri	Own clothes day (Red, White & Blue)	All Classes

Class	%
Blossom 1	88.9
Blossom 2	75.7
Maple	80.0
Juniper	92.9
Willow	87.5
Holly	100
Chestnut	96.7
Sycamore	95.6
Mulberry	70.0
Redwood	85.6
Rowan	80.0
Whole School	86.0

Public Health Message

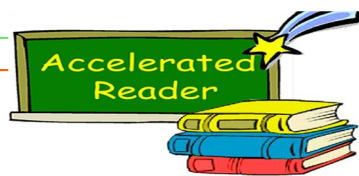
Keeping well

At this time of year, there are many bugs going around and Public Health is advising parents / carers to help keep your children well by:

Having your free flu vaccine if you are in one of the eligible groups – all children aged 2 and 3 years can still receive their nasal spray vaccine from their GP. In addition, any child aged over 6 months who has a long term health condition (such as diabetes or asthma), all pregnant women, and residents aged 65 or over can also have a flu jab for free – again contact your GP to make an appointment.

Norovirus is a tummy bug that generally peaks after Christmas. Thorough hand-washing with liquid soap and water and keeping your child away from school if they have diarrhea or vomiting can help to prevent the spread of this bug. Children need to be kept off school until they are 48 hours free from symptoms.

If you or your child start to feel unwell, speak to your local chemist in the first instance.



KS3 Update

The pupils that have read the most words since September 2017:

Mulberry - Jesse has read 15,364 words

Redwood – Lois has read 115,668 words

Rowan – Alex has read 191,036 words

The pupils with highest quiz success rate since September:

Mulberry – Erin has a success rate of 100%

Redwood – Scott has a success rate of 95.6%

Rowan – Matthew R has a success rate of 93.3%

The pupils who have quizzed the most since September:

Mulberry – Jacob CS has taken 42 quizzes

Redwood – Abigail has taken 65 quizzes

Rowan – Tyler has taken 28 quizzes

The pupils in KS3 have challenged themselves to read more regularly since September. Here are the up to date total:

Mulberry—the class have read 78,440 words since September

Redwood - The class have read 387,620 words since September

Rowan – The Class have read 831, 208 words since September

Well done everyone! Keep up the good work...



Key Stage 3 have been learning about the Mona Lisa and using this to inspire their own street art version of the famous painting.