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Weekly Newsletter



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Message from Mrs Barnard

This week has seen us join in with International Women's Day. During assembly we developed our understanding of the social, economic, cultural, and political achievements of women.

Woodpecker and Robin classes created images of the inspirational women in their lives and who have influenced them. From mum's, aunt's, friends, staff to historical figures. We identified the characteristics and achievements that make them so celebrated and how we can address gender equity through our words and deeds.

Events:

Comic Relief is on Friday 17th March
 Our theme is Dress for Joy
 We would like to raise funds for Comic relief by asking pupils to wear something that makes them happy in exchange for a donation

Robins Class - Special women in our lives
 On Monday 20th March 2:30pm
 The women in the lives of our Robins are invited to join in with special activities

Parents evening
 Thursday 23rd March
 Tuesday 28th March
 Please use Arbor to book a slot to meet with your child's teacher.

Diary Dates

Fri 17 Mar	Comic Relief Day
Mon 20 Mar	Robins - Special Women in our lives
Thu 23 Mar	Parents' Evening
Tues 28 Mar	Parents' Evening
7-9 July	Red Kites Residential Trip

PTA News

PTA Meeting
 The next PTA meeting will be to discuss our 'Kings Spring Fayre'. We need to set a date, plan various stalls and activities and gather lots of parent volunteers. Come and join us for drinks and nibbles at the Waveney River Centre on Friday 17th March at 7 pm. Everyone welcome the more the merrier!

Also our Film Night raised a whopping £138.55! Thank you all for your support

This Week's Awards

Star of the Week

Max K for working hard in English
 Beorn for working hard to make his handwriting smaller
 Ella F Fantastic Maths work
 Thomas T for a positive attitude to learning

Citizen of the Week

Madison for following our core value of excellence
 Ella M for always offering to help staff and pupils
 William W for a positive learning attitude
 Sybil for always being helpful

Reading Champions

Lorna, Freya, Ava-Grace and Clemence

World Book Day

Best Costume

Winners – Mrs Gibbs, Ivan, Sybil, Callie, and Willow
 Runners Up – Miss Egler, Aurelia, Ava-Grace, Charlie W and Rosie

Best Writers

Winners – Jessica S, Jasmine, Ella, and Darcey
 Runners-Up – Madison, Jack Sh, Lennie and Sunnie

Class News

Starlings

This week in Starlings we have been learning some Marvellous Maths. We have spent a lot of time on converting improper fractions into mixed numbers. We have also started learning about equivalent fractions and learning the rules and patterns. Even though fractions can be tricky, Starlings have kept a positive attitude towards their learning.

Woodpeckers

Marvellous Maths - In maths this week children have been continuing to learn about shape. They have been exploring the number of sides and vertices on 2D shapes as well as drawing vertical lines of symmetry. We are looking forward to exploring properties of 3D shapes next week,

Robins

In maths this week Robins have been solidifying their knowledge of number bonds by learning a number bond song and by playing lots of games with the numicon. We have also been thinking about numbers which are one more or one less than another number and have practised recognising the number of dots in an array so quickly that they don't need to count the dots.

Red Kites

This week in Maths Red Kite class have been looking at an array of ways to identify data. This includes: pie charts, bar graphs and pictograms. They have been challenging themselves to answer SATs style questions to prepare themselves for our upcoming tests. Red Kite class have also been completing daily arithmetic questions and daily times table practice.

