



Newsletter 9 9th February 2018

Our amazing school!

Thank you everyone for another jam packed, fun filled term!
We wish you all a lovely break and look forward to working with you in term 4!



Year R have been busy making dragons and creating a dragon dance

On Tuesday 6th February it was Safer Internet Day. In year 1 we carried out many different activities to help us remember how to stay safe online. With all of the information we gathered in Class 8 we made E-safety posters to help tell others how to stay safe. We created our posters using the Computers. The most important thing we found out was to ask an adult for help if something happens online that we do not like. We also learnt a special rhyme- "Before you tap and click... You need to stop and think... And TELL someone!"



Year 2 have been testing different materials to see which ones are waterproof. Then we experimented to see if we could make a piece of cotton fabric waterproof! We had lots of fun.

School Improvement Update

- The school was assessed for their Leading Parent Partnership Award on Monday 5th February. I am pleased to say the feedback was very positive and we passed! We have shown great practice with working with our parents. Thank you to each and every person in our school community for making this happen. We now hold the award for 3 years.



Community news

- Well done to our gorgeous Year 1 children and team for their successful trip to St Mary's Church this week. Thank you to Reverend Trudi for making this possible. The children enhanced their knowledge around the Christian faith.
- A walk on the wild side!
Pupils have the chance be the boss of Wildwood Discovery Park for a day by entering a fun writing competition. All they need to do is write a descriptive piece about the sights, sounds, and smells of their walk to school. Entries must be handwritten on a form which can be downloaded from kmcharityteam.co.uk/writingcomp



Day to Day

- As always we would like to ask our parents to be considerate when parking their cars at drop off and pick up times. We have had the support of a local traffic warden this week who has unfortunately had to remind people of safe and appropriate parking. Please continue to work with us to keep all our children safe. Thank you.



- If you have permission to drive in and out of the school car park please ensure you use extra caution and are aware of the pedestrians using Packham Road. Thank you.

- We continue to promote good hygiene with our children by reminding them to wash their hands especially after using the toilet. Please could you continue this good practice at home to ensure it is embedded with the children. We continue to employ a cleaner during the school day to ensure the high standards of hygiene for the children using the toilets.



- Our app has now got nearly 300 users. Thank you to everyone for downloading our app and we hope you are finding it useful. If you can think of any way of improving our App please let Mrs Alison Harding, School Business Manager know.

- Mrs Styles has ordered the tickets for the Womens FA Final and we are awaiting for them to arrive.

- We look forward to World Book Day on Thursday 1st March— dress up as your favourite book character.

- Thank you for attending our Parent evenings this week, we hope you find them informative. Please don't forget we operate an open door policy and if you have any concerns please speak to your child's class teacher.



Diary Dates



Date	Event
9th February	Last day of term 3
19th February	Children return to school—start of Term 4
19th February	Creative Week
1st March	World Book Day—dress up as your favourite character
8th March	Mother's Day Events Year 1 & 2 (AM) Reception (PM)
12th March	Science Week

Many congratulations to our class winners for the last two weeks:

Week beginning : 19.01.18
Attendance: Class 8 - 98.87%
Walk on Wednesday: Class 7
Disney Points: Simba
Buster Book Club: Class 6

Whole School attendance: 94.73%
Whole school target: 97%

Week beginning: 26.01.18
Attendance: Class 5 —98.89%
Walk on Wednesday: Class 8
Disney Points: Simba
Buster Book Club: Class 6

