



THE TIPTREE HEATH TELEGRAPH

15th February 2019
Spring Term Issue 6



If you have any Safeguarding concerns please speak to Tracey Oram, Designated Safeguarding lead. Information will be treated in the strictest confidence.

DATES FOR THIS TERM

18th to 22nd February - Half-term Holiday
1st March - Apricot Class Assembly
8th March - Little Scarlet Class Assembly
22nd March - Mother's Day Shopping Day
22nd to 27th March - Book Fair in School
29th March - Isingpop Concerts at St. Luke's Church, Tiptree
Performances at 2.15pm and 6.15pm
4th April - Easter Bake Off Competition
8th to 22nd April - Easter Holidays
23rd April - All children return to school for the Summer Term
23rd to 25th April - Blueberry Class residential trip to Mersea
Outdoors

Happy Birthday to:

Joseph - 19th February
Scarlett - 19th February
Thomas - 20th February
Amelie-Rose - 21st February
Faith - 21st February
Samuel - 22nd February
Elizabeth - 22nd February
Sonny - 25th February
Neve - 26th February



BERTIE BIN

If any parents are sorting out cupboards over the half term holiday and have any unwanted old clothing, bedding, curtains, shoes etc. please bring them into school for Bertie Bin. These items should be placed into normal dustbin liners.

Bertie Bin helps to raise extra funds for our school. This coming financial year school budgets have been substantially cut so it is more important than ever we look for additional fund raising ideas.

This Week's Super Star Award

Sonny - Little Scarlet Class
Courtney-Kay - Raspberry Class
Kalista - Damson Class
Jake - Apricot Class
Joseph - Cherry Class
Willow - Blueberry Class
Isla - Mulberry Class

This Week's Headteacher Super Star Award

Lexington - Little Scarlet Class
Finlay - Raspberry Class
Tiggy - Damson Class
Ben - Apricot Class
Faith - Cherry Class
Eloise - Blueberry Class
Isabella - Mulberry Class



RECYCLE INK

Please do not forget to bring in your empty printer cartridges (Epson, Canon or HP) to enable us to raise money whilst at the same time caring for our environment by supporting the Recycle Ink project.



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THANK YOU VERY MUCH!

I would like to say a big 'thank you' to Nigel De Silva, Wendy McNulty and Lisa Jones who have been the main committee members of the PTFA over the past four years. Nigel De Silva and his committee have organised various events to help raise funds for the school.

The PTFA have purchased resources for the children to use in the classrooms, the gazebo in the KS2 playground and events such as the Planetarium visit to the school to enhance the children's learning.

At the recent EGM meeting all the committee members resigned and Mr Butler was voted in as the new Chairman. Mr Butler will be writing to parents in the near future.

FOOTBALL MATCH SUPER STARS Tiptree Heath 7 - Birch 6!

On Tuesday, our Football Team played spectacularly in a League Football match against Birch Primary School. At half time they were 4-1 down but rallied and played some excellent football. Austin scored 3 goals, Callum 2 goals and Kristiyan 2 goals. Everyone in the team played their part to achieve this excellent win!

Our next League match is against St. Luke's so let's hope our winning streak continues!

**Have a super half-term holiday,
Tracey Oram.**

HALF TERM HOLIDAY HOMEWORK

Choose either of the following projects:

- A spaceship from recycled materials (Max 60 cms) or
- An Animal Mask or
- A Decorated Pebble or
- A Sock Puppet

The homework will be judged in each year group by the class teachers

The most original ideas will receive a prize!

Some work will also be selected to enter into the Tiptree Gardening Club Show on 23rd March.

Please return your homework to your class teacher **by Friday 8th March**

FENCING EXPERIENCE AT TIPTREE HEATH

The children in Apricot and Cherry Classes enjoyed experiencing a game of Fencing during the week. The children wore body protection and foil head guards, which they found extremely heavy! However these were essential when they used their saber to aim at each other! They learnt what Salut and en Garde referred to and following practising the various positions, took part in fencing matches against their partners.