



# Weekly Newsletter

## 24<sup>th</sup> January, 2020



# Valentines Disco

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup> February**

**Reception & KS1 - 3.15 to 4.30 pm**

**KS2 - 5pm-6.15pm**

Tickets are on sale from the School Office **\*£3.50 each or two for £6\***

**Refreshments will be provided- No hot food**

**Admission is by ticket only.**

For children with allergies please provide an alternative, See PTFA for details.



## Goodbye & Good Luck

After 21 years of dedicated service, we are saying goodbye to our midday assistant, Mrs Sue Bennett. Sue is leaving to take care of her new grandchild. She has been a valued member of our team and we wish her well. Thank you Mrs Bennett!



## School Shoes

Can we please remind all parents that our school uniform includes black school **shoes**, not black trainers or short boots. Please ensure your child is wearing the correct footwear. Thank you.

## Glaramara & Robinwood

Meetings will be taking place for both of these residential on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> February at 3.30pm. The meetings will show you some aspects of the trips and any questions can be asked and forms can be completed

## Animal kind

During the week, Years 1&2, 3&4 were visited by Mr Morrisroe. He talked to the children about how to treat animals with respect and what to do if we found an animal in need. They also compared similarities in shared human and animal emotions.



## Accessibility Plan

Please take a moment to look at our new draft Accessibility Plan on the school website. This is currently up for consultation and we would very much welcome parents' and carers' views on it before it is taken to Governors for approval. It is important to us that our school is fully inclusive and takes account of everybody's needs. If you have any comments or suggestions, please let us know by letter, Class Dojo or school email.

## Fun4kids

Last week, the school hosted Danny from Fun4Kids. He came in and worked with classes Year 1 to Year 6, discussing the importance of healthy eating and physical exercise. Once the children had looked at food labels and discussed the importance of checking the food they fuel their bodies with, they took part in a round robin of exercises in the hall to raise heart rates and above all, have lots of active fun.



## Extended Services

The following after school clubs will be running this term:

- Archery - Tuesday 3:15-4:30pm
- KS2 Gymnastics - Weds 3:15-4:30pm
- KS1 Gymnastics - Thurs 3:15-4:30pm
- Art - Friday 3.15-4:15pm

## Unwanted Christmas gifts or jumpers?



The PTFA would be delighted to take them for future fundraising projects and recycling! Please send them into school next week.

## ParentPay

If you would like your child to have toast, milk and/or a school dinner, we would like to remind you that sufficient funds must be on your ParentPay account **before 8:45am** on the day required. If funds are not on by this time, snack will not be provided and parents will be contacted to bring in a packed lunch.

## Rockstar Day



Our school is holding a Rock Star day on Friday 7th February. The classes from Year 2 up to Year 6 will be competing on their assigned times tables on TT Rockstars to see who is the fastest and most accurate. It will help to promote speed and accuracy as well as helping mental maths. Children taking part can come to school dressed like their TT rockstars avatar or their favourite rockstar!

## Chinese New Year 2020 Year of the Rat



Come and celebrate Chinese New Year with a special lunch on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> January.

Chinese style curry with rice

Pork meatballs with chinese vegetables

(V) Spring roll, potato wedges & fresh salad

Sweetcorn & peas

Fresh fruit/ vanilla ice cream

Please pay £2.40 via ParentPay, if you normally pay for your child's lunch.

The next themed lunch is on Valentines' Day

## Dates for Your Diary

### January

29<sup>th</sup> Young Voices concert (choir)

### February

4<sup>th</sup> Y4 Robinwood parents meeting

Y3 Glaramara parents meeting

7<sup>th</sup> Times Tables Rock Star Day

10<sup>th</sup> Valentine Disco

14<sup>th</sup> Y6 & YR heights and weights check

25<sup>th</sup> Pancake Flip

28<sup>th</sup> Y2 to Moore Nature Reserve

### March

3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> Parents Evenings (YR, 1, 3, 5, 6)

11<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup> Y3 to Glaramara

24<sup>th</sup> West Warrington Band concert

25<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup> Y4 to Robinwood

## P.E. KITS

P.E. days are subject to change, depending on events in school impacting on the hall timetable. Therefore, we ask that all P.E. kits are brought into school on Monday and taken home on Friday for washing, if necessary. P.E. kit is white T-shirt, black shorts and black pumps or trainers. Outdoor kit (joggers & sweatshirts) will be requested when needed. All items should have names in to help us return lost items to the correct child.