

HENLEY IN ARDEN C OF E PRIMARY NEWSLETTER



Message from the Headteacher

Dear Parents and Carers,

I write to you on the 1st day of March; the days are getting longer and the daffodils and blossom trees are beginning to bloom. We continue in the fasting time of Lent where many Christians are recognising Jesus' 40 days and 40 nights in the desert. Some of the adults and children in school have 'given something up' or 'taken something on' during this time.

We have had a fantastic start to the half term. We have been focussing on our new Value forgiveness. Year 3 and 4 had a brilliant time at Alcester Museum supporting their learning about Roman Britain. Year 5 and 6 have been on a trip to Coventry Cathedral to support their learning about World War 2.

Year 6 have been offered their Secondary School places today and we are very proud of 2 pupils in particular who have been offered places at local grammar schools.

A shout out to Will Flight in Year 6 who has made it to the national cross country race which he will be competing in this Sunday.

Next week we are recognising mothers day with an assembly led by Year 1 and 2. This is taking place on Wednesday and all families are welcome to attend. Thursday is World Book Day. Children are welcome to dress as a book character.

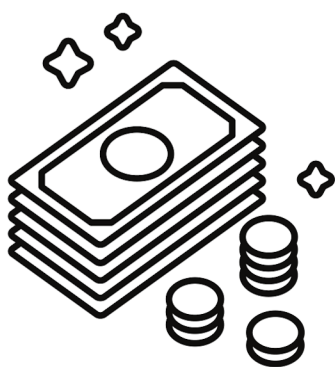
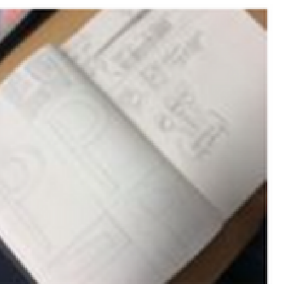
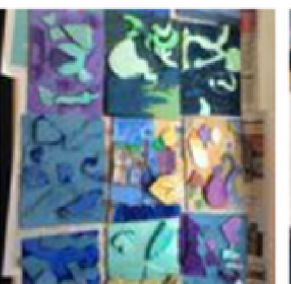
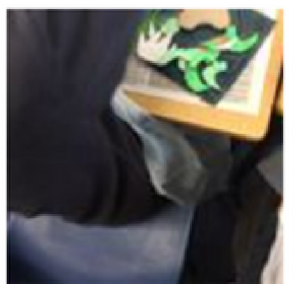
The PTA are holding a wonderful women gift sale on Friday top mark Mothers Day.

Mrs Kate Adcock
Headteacher



FRIDAY 1ST MARCH 2024

Curriculum Enrichment 'Living Life to the Full'



We raised £505 in our Mathathon on numbers day.

We raised £80 in our Valentines Cake Sale

This will be going towards school resources such as new books



Attendance

Target 96%
Whole School 94%

Rec 90%
Y1/2 95%
Y3/4 94%
Y5/6 94%

Stars of the Week



Arden



Beaudesert



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Reporting Concerns

If you have a worry or concern, please speak to the class teacher at the end of the day. If you are not satisfied that your concern has been dealt with then please make an appointment with Mrs Griffin as our Assistant Head teacher. If you are still not happy, then you can make an appointment with myself through the main office. If you have a concern regarding your child's additional needs, please contact our SENCO Mrs Gray.

Value Champions



Collective Worship

Our new value is **Forgiveness**



How can we show others that we have forgiven them if they do wrong?
What would it be like if we didn't forgive someone?

We have been hearing different bible stories about forgiveness including the Unforgiving Servant.

We held a spirituality day where children learned about what Spirituality means. We considered the Ows and Wows of the world, reflected on our own beliefs and considered how this impacts what we do next and the difference we want to make to the world.

As part of our Heritage and Culture curriculum focus Mrs Field shared lots of information about her role as High Baliff for Henley Court Leet. The children were very interested in hearing the history of the Court Leet and how the role of the High Baliff has changed overtime.

Save the Date

iSing
POP

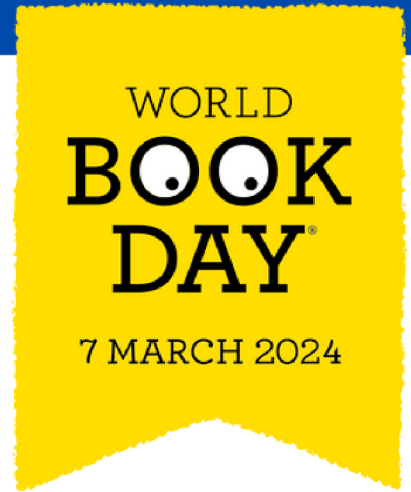
Next term the whole school are taking part in an iSingPop Workshop.

For 3 days at the end of April every class will have a 1.5hour singing workshop each day learning up to 7 songs. The following week we will be performing a concert with staging, lights, screens and microphones at St Johns Church.

This will take place at 2pm on Thursday 2nd May. We will give you further details on how many tickets will be allocated per child nearer the time.



Dates for your Diary



Value: Forgiveness

5/3/24 Y1 and Y2 Mothers Day Assembly - parents welcome

5/3/24 Lets Play Girls Football Tournament (Y3,4,5,6 girls)

7/3/24 World Book Day

9/10/24 PTA Wonderful Women Gift Shop

7/3/24 World Book Day

11/3/24 British Science Week

13/3/24 - 13/3/24 Playmakers Playleader training

15/3/24 Comic Relief

20/3/24 Parents Evening

21/3/24 Parents Evening

21/3/24 Easter Bonnet Competition and Egg-arama competition

22/3/24 9:30 Easter Service (St Johns Church) parents welcome

22/3/24 Break up for the Easter Holidays at 3:15

-Easter Holiday-

8/4/24 Return to school

2/5/24 iSingPop Concert (whole school)

13/5/24 Year 6 SATs week



EASTER EVENTS

THURSDAY 21ST MARCH

EYFS AND KS1

**Easter Bonnet Competition
and Parade**

KEY STAGE 2

Egg-arama Competition

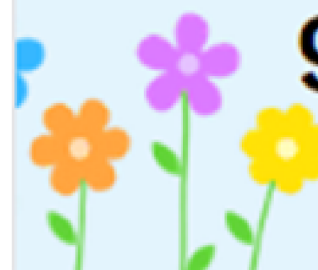


FRIDAY 22ND MARCH

WHOLE SCHOOL EASTER SERVICE

9:30 St John's Church

Families Welcome





HENLEY IN ARDEN
CHURCH OF ENGLAND
PTA



WONDERFUL WOMEN
GIFT SHOP

TO CELEBRATE ALL THE WONDERFUL WOMEN IN OUR LIVES. WE
ARE HOLDING A GIFT SHOP ON:
FRIDAY 8TH MARCH

YOUR CHILD WILL BE ABLE TO COME AND CHOOSE A GIFT AND CARD
FOR £5.00.

PRE PAYMENT IS REQUIRES BY TUESDAY 5TH OF MARCH

THIS WILL BE WRAPPED AND SENT HOME ON FRIDAY 8TH MARCH.

*Please make payment via BACS and
put your child's name and number
of presents required.*

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Mothering Sunday Service

Come and join us for some family fun on Mothering Sunday 10th March at 10.00am in the Church Hall, Beaudesert Lane, Henley in Arden.

This is an all-age special family friendly service of thanksgiving for Mothers and Mother figures in our lives

After breakfast on arrival, there will be songs, bible stories and crafts

We look forward to seeing you - everyone is welcome

