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Dear Parents and Carers,

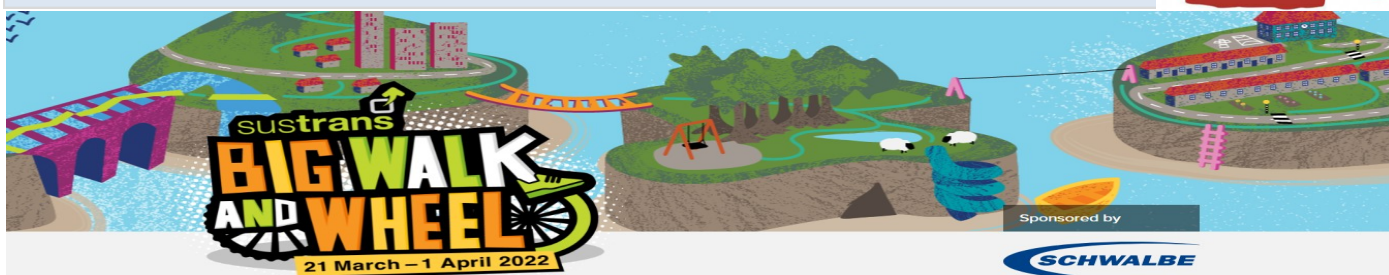
Next Thursday, 24th March, we will be raising money for the people of the Ukraine with a non uniform day and cake/bake sale.

We are asking that you donate £1 and your child wears blue and yellow clothes. We will be selling cakes to pupils, parents and staff at both break time and after school and need your help. If you could bake some cakes or buy some cakes and send them into school with your child on the day that would be wonderful. Even better, but not essential, if you decorate them in the colours of the Ukrainian flag.

All donations will go to a charity called 'School in a Bag'. This charity provide rucksacks with essentials resources for children across the world. This particular appeal for the people of the Ukraine will support those Ukrainian families who have fled to neighbouring European countries. You can see more of what they will do with our donations at the following web address <https://www.schoolinabag.org/campaign/ukraine-crisis-appeal/>

Best wishes,

Paul Anderson
Headteacher



Sustrans Big Walk and Wheel is taking place 21 March - 1 April 2022

A reminder that for the final two weeks of the spring term we are asking you to leave the car at home and WALK OR WHEEL to school .

We have signed up for the BIG WALK & WHEEL challenge, starting on Monday 21st March, for 2 weeks, We are encouraging all children in the school to actively travel to school by cycle, scooter or walking. Your child will record the way they travel to school every day and this data will be inputted onto the Sustrans website to enter into competition with other schools. You can find out more information here. <https://bigwalkandwheel.org.uk/>

We are aiming to be the most active school taking part. So please encourage your child to actively travel to school.

If a high percentage of children travel actively to school we will also be entered into a daily prize draw, where we could win prizes for the school. We hope to see full bike sheds for the next two weeks!



TAKEHOME



In the news this week

Royal Mail has announced that stamp prices are to go up for both 1st and 2nd class options. The price of a 1st class stamp will rise by 10p to 95p on 4th April. The cost of a 2nd class stamp will increase by 2p to 68p. Royal Mail has explained that prices have had to go up as people are sending fewer letters and its running costs have increased.

In a statement it said, "Royal Mail has considered these pricing changes very carefully in light of the long-term structural decline in letter usage".

Things to talk about at home ...

- When was the last time you received a letter or card in the post? Who was it from and how did you feel receiving it?
- Do you often send cards or letters to others? Explain your answer.
- Why do you think fewer people have been sending cards and letters?

Is there still a place for letters in today's world?



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