Weekly Newsletter

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'Where children come first'

15th March 2024

Building update

Shawbrook Building has finally been demolished and after 60 years of faithful service we are now moving on to create space for a new building fit for the future.

You can see on the main playground the outline of where the new build is going to be. I am meeting with CONLONs next week to arrange assemblies for the children.

The next phase will be the construction of the new build which will start with Piling in the Easter holidays (which will be noisy and is to do with ensuring a strong foundation for the new school which we are hoping will be complete towards the end of 2025) Exciting times!

Special Easter Lunch and Colouring Competition

On Wednesday 27th March, there will be a special Easter lunch.



Dawn is also holding a colouring competition for any children having an Easter lunch. There will be a prize for each class. Pictures can be collected from Dawn and need to be returned to her or Kerry by Tuesday 26th March so they can be judged. Good Luck.

Red Nose Day / Comic Relief - Friday 15th March

Well done to all those children who came to school with their crazy hair, raising money for children and communities who are struggling.

The children and staff who took part all looked suitably strange!

Cleaning team

It has been a strange week without our wonderful Irene in the building. Andron, our cleaning company, are in the process of recruiting and training up new cleaners for us and our new Site Supervisor will be with us after the Easter holidays.

Parents Afternoon / evening - Wednesday 27th March

We will be sending out a message on Monday about our parents' afternoon/evening on 27th March when parents/carers will be invited to school to talk to your child's teacher and look at their books. We will also have a questionnaire to complete and tables with information about the Holiday Club taking place over Easter and Children and Family Well-being events.

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Rewards for this week (Well done!)

Well done to all those amazing children who have achieved awards this week.

Star of the Week Awards Focus on Learning		
Rockets	Elsie-Rose	
Dorado	JP-Such a brilliant week!	
Orion	Stephen- For fantastic work in all subjects all week and reaching the top planet!	
Hercules	Lilly – For consistently working hard in all areas of school life	
Pegasus	Lexi Teasdale- For a brilliant 3D CAD design of a pencil holder for 3D printing	
Leo	Treasure - for producing great work in all lessons this week particularly English and writing a fantastic space poem at home.	
Phoenix	Summer-Rose- for creating a great piece fo detective fiction work with a creative plot. Well done Summer, you really applied yourself to this unit of work and have produced an excellent story.	

Positive Points (Top Dojo Points Rockets Only)			
Dorado	Jaxson		
Orion	Isabella		
Hercules	Mira		
Pegasus	Holly C		
Leo	Jenny		
Phoenix	Lily M		

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Easter Egg Competition - 26th March Deadline

Can you design and decorate an egg?

You can use lots of materials: paint, felt tips, collage, junk modelling, buttons, glitter, feathers, sequins, paper, foil etc. Make sure your egg is boiled. We will post some ideas on Class Dojo - it can be a scene based on a book, character, sports team, an under-the-sea scene, anything at all. Think about how your egg will be displayed eg. in an egg cup, in an egg box, in a decorated shoebox etc. ALL ENTRIES TO BE BROUGHT TO CLASS FROM MONDAY 25TH MARCH – TUESDAY 26TH MARCH.

WINNERS WILL BE ANNOUNCED ON THURSDAY 28th MARCH.

OPAL

Please continue to make sure children have wellies in school, coats, all-in-one suits for younger ones if possible, a change of clothes would be good.

School Money – Outstanding Balances

In preparation for end of financial year, please log into school money and clear any outstanding balances. If you have any queries on balances or problems clearing outstanding monies, kindly get in touch with Mrs Halstead as soon as possible. Many thanks.

Dates Coming Up

26th **March** - Deadline for Easter Egg competition entries

Deadline for colouring competition entries to Dawn

27th March - Special Easter Lunch

27th March - 1.30 to 5.30pm - Parents/carers afternoon (to look at the children's books and

talk to teachers)

Thurs 28th March - last day before Easter Holidays

Monday 15th April - return to school after the Easter Holidays

Many thanks for your support

- Mr Mitchell

REMEMBER TO VISIT OUR WEBSITE (class and school information) Remember to like us on Facebook and Twitter





School Code of Conduct Please be kind and respectful at all times.