

Newsletter



28th April 2017

Dear Parent/Carer,

It's been another busy week here at Place Farm, with a variety of exciting activities taking place. We have had a very positive start to the new term, and our 'Wear Something Purple Day' last week gave our pupils a great opportunity to exemplify our PROUD values, whilst raising funds for Cancer Research.

Enjoy the Bank holiday weekend!

*Jane Sendall,
Headteacher*

Rubbish Shakespeare Company

Last week, Years 5 and 6 were lucky enough to watch a fantastic performance of 'The Tempest' by the Rubbish Shakespeare Company. Our children were taken on an enjoyable adventure, where they met Kings, sailors, monsters and spirits! The performance was interactive and gave us a taste of modern-day Shakespeare.



Punch and Judy Show

On Monday, the Year One children launched their Project of 'All the Fun at the Seaside' with a visit from a travelling Punch and Judy show.

The children were introduced to the characters, taught about the history of the popular puppet show, and giggled to their hearts' content! Some of the children even had the opportunity to handle the puppets!

It was a wonderful afternoon for everyone! Over the next few weeks, the children will now be embracing their Design Technology skills to create their own puppet theatre and accompanying puppets, in preparation for their 'Victorian Seaside' day later in the term.



Donations wanted!

*Breakfast and After School Club would very much appreciate donations of good quality items such as Lego, games, books, toys and dressing up clothes.
Many thanks*



St. George's Day

Many of our children involved in Scouting and Guiding proudly wore their respective uniforms to school recently, to commemorate St. George's Day. It was a magnificent display of their commitment to activities within the community outside school and further demonstrates the values that are so evident within our school.



Wear Something Purple Day

Many different and innovative ways of wearing something purple were displayed by our children on April 21st. Socks, berets, a multitude of assorted headbands and nail varnish are just a few examples. Mr. C. is very grateful and would like to say a huge 'Thank You' to everyone who made a donation for this appeal in aid of Cancer Research. £225 was raised by our children. Year Five and Six pupils were given the opportunity to decorate a 'Candle of Hope' bag, in memory of a lost loved one or as a message of hope for a friend or family member. Some very moving messages were written and the 'bags' will be kept and displayed at the Bury St. Edmunds Relay For Life, in aid of Cancer Research, in July



Calendar

April

- Monday 1st May - School Closed (Bank Holiday)
- Thursday 4th May Kip on a Ship parents meeting 3.30pm
- Monday 8th May Year 1 Phonics screening meeting 2.30pm
- Monday 8th May Year 6 SATs Week
- Wednesday 24th May EYFS Boydells Farm
 - Year 5 Kip on a Ship
 - Year 1 Seaside and Circus
- Monday 29th May Half Term