



What's happened/ happening?

Specific Appeal: Our Bring and Buy sale for the children is on Thursday 13th February, this is organised and run on the day by our school council. The children choose what to spend the proceeds of the sale on. Thank you to all who have donated toys, books and games. Further donations are needed and can be sent up to the evening of Wednesday 12th February.

Safety Week: 3rd to 7th February

Types of activities include e safety workshops, road safety workshops, stranger danger, the fire service and being healthy. Year 6 will discuss the "Alright Charlie" video and address the issues of personal safety. Keeping safe is paramount and we hope this week will support your child to be able to do this in the world they live in.

Safety in coming into / leaving school

Children (sometimes with parents/older siblings) are not using the pedestrian paths but walking through the school car park. This is very dangerous and when vehicles swing into the premises they are not expecting pedestrians to be there. Please use the paths.

PSA are currently taking part in

Bags4Schools, this is where you can put old clothes, shoes etc in a black bag and drop them off at school before 9am Wed 4th March. Bags are weighed and PSA receive money towards their funds. These funds are spent on our children.

A Reminder - Hair Adornments e.g hairband, slides

These need to be small please and preferably in keeping with school colours: blue, grey, black. Children will be asked to remove other items.

Diary Dates for February:

Tuesday 4th February 3.30 - 4.30 is our phonics/reading event for parents of children in reception and year 1 (Reception base).

Please make every effort to attend. We can look after Pottery children if you have let us know but unfortunately not pre-school children.

Tuesday 4th February PSA meeting 7.30pm at The Greyhound Inn, everyone welcome.

Thursday 13th February: Bring and Buy sale. Children may bring a small amount of money in a named purse/wallet on the day (loose change would be useful). Items will be in 50p denominations e.g. 2 books for 50p, small item 50p, large item £1 or £2. DVDs that are not U rated will need collecting by a parent from the office.

Thursday 13th February is the PSA disco/pop party. Information has already been sent regarding the purchase of tickets.

School breaks up end of day on Thursday 13th Feb and we come back to school Monday 24th Feb.

Friday 28th February PSA Family Quiz Night details of which have gone on the PSA newsletter. The newsletter was sent as an email via Parentpay.

If you are not signed up to Parentpay please speak to office staff who can get you started.

Coming Soon:

Thursday 5th March World Book Day. Our theme is 'Night time story' and we are asking the children to come in pajamas (no onesies please as hard for toileting).

Friday 6th March Class Photographs

Wednesday 9/10th March Eggucation is back in Reception! The eggs arrive for us to care for and hatch into chickens. Always an event to cause much excitement.

Special Mentions

To Zak F (year 2) who raised £700 for Brooksite Pre-school by completing a sponsored walk after he heard they had been vandalized. A huge achievement Zak, Mum, Dad and Sam are very proud of you. So are we at Pottery.