

15th March 2019

Lighthouse Keepers











The PTA have organised for the Book Fair to visit the school on the Parent's Evening, Tuesday 26^{th} March and on Wednesday 27^{th} March . Children may use their £1 World Book Day Tokens against any purchases at either of these events.

Virtues

As part of this half term's focus on **Confidence/Self Worth** we will be asking the following Magic 3 questions at the end of the day. We believe this will help provide a positive reflection on each day and we would like to encourage you to ask the children for their Magic 3 at the end of each day.

The three questions are:

- 1. What was the most enjoyable at school today?
- 2. What did you find most challenging?
- 3. What was the most interesting thing that you learnt about or did today?

Bags 2 School



Your child will have brought home a note from the School Council giving details of the Bags 2 School scheme. Together with the note is a bag into which any good quality unwanted clothing, shoes, etc can be put. Normal black bin bags are also acceptable. The collection day for these bags is Tuesday 2^{nd} April 2019.

Comic Relief



Thank you to all the children who came to school today wearing something red in aid of Comic Relief. Through the voluntary donations of £1 per child, we have raised the total sum of £80.00 for 'Red Nose Day'.

Well done everybody!



Next Thursday, 21st March, is Down Syndrome Day. Children are invited to come into school wearing odd socks. A voluntary donation of £1 per child will be given to the Down Syndrome Charity.

Pupil Progress Meetings

On Tuesday 26th March (Classes 1, 2 & 3), Tuesday 2nd April (Class 2) and Wednesday 3rd April (Class 1) from 3.10pm - 5.30pm we will be holding Pupil Progress Meetings. These meetings are purely to discuss your child's academic progress - any other issues or concerns that you may have, please make an alternative appointment to discuss these. An appointments sheet will be on display after half term, in the library, and we would ask that parents pick a convenient time slot by writing their names against it. Thank you.

KS 1 & 2 SATs Tests

The dates for the KS1 and KS2 SATs tests are:

KS1 Week beginning 20th May (Y2 children)

KS2 Week beginning Monday 13th May 2018 (Y6 children)

I would be most grateful if parents could keep these dates in mind when planning any holidays or short breaks away. Thank you.

School Meals - week beginning 18th March

Menas

Week 1 of new menu (attached)

PTSCA Gardening Day



Thank you to all parents, families, staff and friends who turned up to help at the Gardening Day last Sunday. It was very much appreciated and the school grounds certainly look a lot better as a result of your efforts.

Thank you!

After School Club

The ASC end of term film will be Hop. This will run from 1.15 - 3.30pm. The cost of this will be £4.00 per child and will include a drink and refreshments. Your child will have brought home a slip and these need to be returned to school together with the money, by Monday 1^{st} April, if your child would like to attend. Thank you.

Diary	Dates:	
Mar	21	Down Syndrome Day - wear odd socks!
	26	Pupil Progress Meetings for Class 1, 2 and 3
		Scholastic Book Fair
	27	Scholastic Book Fair
	28	PTA Meeting at Table Table - 7.30pm (all welcome)
Apr	02	Pupil Progress Meeting - Class 2
		Bags 2 School Collection Day
	03	Pupil Progress Meeting - Class 1
	04	PTA School Disco - 6.00pm - 7.30pm
	05	End of Spring Term - 1.15pm
		ASC Film - Hop - 1.15 - 3.00pm
	08-22	Easter Holidays
	23	Beginning of Summer Term - 8.45am
	25	PTA Meeting at Table Table - 7.30pm (all welcome)
May	02	May Day Ceilidh - 6.00pm - 8.00pm
	06	May Day Holiday - school closed
	23	PTA Meeting - 7.30pm (all welcome)
	27-31	Half Term
Jun	05	Class & Group Photographs
	12-14	Y5 & Y6 Residential at Coverack Youth Hostel
	13	PTA Meeting at Table Table - 7.30pm (all welcome)
	27	PTA Meeting at Table Table - 7.30pm (all welcome)
July	02	Sports Day
	05	Gig on the Green
	23	End of Summer Term - 1.15pm

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