



08/03/2024

## Headteacher's Hello

Dear parents and carers,

We had a fantastic World Book Day yesterday. The children looked wonderful in their vast array of creative costumes and props, and there was a distinct buzz of excitement about the day and the variety of reading activities organised for it. Well done to all the children for their commitment in reading the books in time for their book club sessions with the staff, and thank you for your support in helping to make the day a success.

Yesterday, we welcomed Bishop Emma Ineson to lead our collective worship for us. This was her first visit to our school. She led our World Book Day celebrations with a talk about her favourite books and spent some time talking to the children about The Bible.

Today, Reception class had their first visit to Whitton library. They enjoyed listening to some stories and choosing some books to borrow. Miss Mullins and Miss McAvoy were very impressed with their sensible behaviour throughout the visit.

Along with this newsletter, you will receive notification of the School Association EGM that is due to be held on Thursday 21st March at 7pm, in the school hall. Also attached is a copy of the proposed draft Constitution which will be voted on at the meeting. You can find out more about the work of the School Association and how you can get involved, by visiting our [website](#). I hope you will be able to come along to the EGM, to show your support for the future of the School Association.

Have a lovely weekend,  
Miss Macklearn



# Newsletter

## School News & Attendance

### Attendance

Friendship, 92.67%, Endurance 98.00%, Peace 93.33%  
Forgiveness 91.33%, Reverence 93.33%, Service 94.67%  
and Justice 91.67%.

### Y4 Clarinet

#### Richmond Music Trust Wider Opportunities – Woodwind Transition Stage

This term your child has taken part in the whole class instrumental stage of Richmond Music Trusts Wider Opportunities Programme – a short introduction to playing a woodwind instrument. We hope they have enjoyed the sessions, and would like to carry on learning.

The next stage in this programme is the Transition Stage and this runs for 20 weeks over the next two terms, starting from April 2024:

- £47 for 10 large group sessions
- Free instrument hire – your child will be given an instrument to use in the sessions and for practising at home. If your child would like to take part in the Transition Stage, please apply on the Richmond Music Trust website via the link below and complete the

<https://www.richmondmusictrust.org.uk/site/schools/wider-opportunities/>

Please note:

- Payment is required to complete your submission.
- We need a minimum of 6 applications to run the Transition groups. If pupil numbers are insufficient, your child will have the option to move straight to our standard tuition – we will contact you to confirm this is the case and organise any required credit/refund.
- In a small number of cases we may need to limit the number of places offered, due to the supply of instruments we have available. If we receive a large volume of applications, places will be allocated on a first come first serve basis.



## School Trips

Unless otherwise stated, children should wear school uniform for school visits (this includes school shoes). Children should bring a bag (school bag or other) to carry their packed lunch and water bottle in. If details vary to this they will be provided below within the specific trip section.

### Year 6

Bowles Activity Centre residential trip will take place between Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June and Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2024. **Any remaining balance is due by all attendees, regardless of payment method, today Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March.** Visit your child's SCOPAY account to make payment. We cannot extend this payment date as our final invoice is due the day after.

### Year 3

Visiting British Museum on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> April. Payment and permission will be live on the SCOPAY system from the 2<sup>nd</sup> April, please ensure your payment and permission is complete by the 5<sup>th</sup> April.

Please bring a packed lunch from home or you can order a school trip lunch [here](#), if ordering a school provided trip lunch please complete this by the 21<sup>st</sup> March.

We may require an adult volunteer for this trip, please let the school office know if you can help.



## Safeguarding and Wellbeing

### Mental Health Support Team Networking Coffee Mornings

Come along to a coffee morning to network with other parents, share ideas and experiences and hear advice from trained professional including Miss McAvoy (Inclusion Leader and SENCo), Mrs Rogerson (Wellbeing Officer and Arleta (Children's Wellbeing Practitioner)

Wed 27<sup>th</sup> March 08:45 – 09:30am in the School Library



If you have any concerns regarding the safeguarding of children who attend Bishop Perrin CE Primary School, these should be reported to the Designated Safeguarding Lead who is Mr Corke. In his absence, concerns should be reported to the Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead who is Miss Macklearn. The School's Safeguarding Governor is Lucy James

## Celebrations and Achievements

Celebration certificates:

CLASS	
Friendship	Jacob & Rosalie
Endurance	Whole Class
Peace	Imogen
Forgiveness	Isabelle
Reverence	Ella & Kaiden
Service	Catlin
Justice	Belle

## And finally...

### Y3 Class Assembly

Just a reminder that it will be Year 3's class assembly on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> March.

# Easter Rugby Camp

Contact, non-contact & touch rugby games  
All abilities and strengths catered for  
Boys and girls both welcome

**2<sup>nd</sup> April to 4<sup>th</sup> April**  
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# The Adventures of THE LITTLE RED HEN



**THE EXCHANGE**  
Fri 12 – Sun 14 April





## Holiday, After School & Breakfast Care

for children aged 4-13 years



### Apply Today for Fully Funded Holiday Activities & Food Sessions at KOOSA Kids Easter Holiday Club at Whitton Sports Centre

We are delighted to inform you that KOOSA Kids Holiday Club at Whitton Sports Centre will be offering a number of **Fully Funded** holiday club places, as part of the **FUEL Holiday Activities & Food Programme (HAF)** this Easter, funded by the Department for Education.

### Your children are invited to up to 4 Holiday Activities & Food Sessions from 8th to 11th April

The fully funded (and fun-packed) holiday provision will include a **healthy, hot lunch** and **enriching activities**; eligible for children aged 4-13, who are in receipt of benefits-related free school meals.

**Apply for up to 4 fully funded sessions per child (10.00am to 4.00pm). Simply call our Customer Service team on 01276 21884.** Please note, places are limited and we may not be able to offer you all sessions requested.

You will need a **unique 17-digit HAF code** to secure your sessions. Please speak to the school office if you have not received this yet.



### FUEL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES & FOOD PROGRAMME

- Apply for up to 4 fully funded sessions per child this Easter at Whitton Sports Centre
- Eligible for children aged 4-13 who are in receipt of benefits-related free school meals
- Healthy, hot lunch & fun, active holiday club activities included (visit our [website](#) for more information on our holiday club activity programme)
- Funded sessions provided on behalf of Achieving for Children's FUEL Holiday Activities & Food Programme
- Ofsted registered, fun-packed high quality holiday club childcare

This opportunity is provided as part of the government's expanded Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) programme being delivered across Kingston and Richmond, which also covers the Easter, Summer and Christmas holidays. Across the two boroughs, this has been called FUEL. The scheme is supported by Achieving for Children and funded by the Department for Education.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REGISTER YOUR INTEREST,  
CALL 01276 21884 OR EMAIL [INFO@KOOSAKIDS.CO.UK](mailto:info@koosakids.co.uk)**