

Dear Families,

What a great week we have had with such gorgeous weather to start the summer term. Please remember to send you child in with sun lotion, hat and a water bottle to ensure they can drink throughout the day. This bottle should contain **water only**, added juices or squash are not allowed except at lunchtime. If this causes an issue for your child, please speak to Mrs Evans or myself.

Last Monday in assembly we discussed Earth Day and the challenges we now face with plastic in our oceans. The children's response was brilliant and many were keen to ensure that we improve our recycling of plastic with suggestions for specific plastic recycling bins on the playground. Our Eco Club will certainly be discussing this and considering how we can help.

Dates have now been agreed for Year 2, 3 and 5 class assemblies which will celebrate the learning that has taken place:

Class 2F – Thursday 21st June at 9:00am

Class 2B – Wednesday 20th June at 9:00am

Class 3SB – Tuesday 5th June at 9:00am

Class 3A- Thursday 7th June at 9:00am

Class 5P- Thursday 14th June at 9:00am

Class 5B- Wednesday 13th June at 9:00am

We really look forward to parents, grandparents or friends attending.

Rachel Hughes

Charity Event – Laren McLeod has bravely put herself forward to do a swimathon for the Cancer Research Charity. She will be swimming 1.5K (60 lengths) on the 29th April at Perdiswell Sports Centre. All donations will be very welcome, there is also a 'just giving page' www.justgiving.com/fundraising/laren-mcleod. Thank you.

Attendance

Our overall attendance is 96%

Please see below the attendance for this week.

EYR	95.7	EYW	95.0
1C	98.3	1F	99.3
2B	95.3	2F	98.3
3A	99	3SB	98.7
4M	97.7	4R	91.4
5B	98.6	5P	95.2
6C	97.2	6M	98.0

Well done to 1F for the highest attendance this week.

Extra Curricular Activities

Day	Lunchtime	After School
Monday		Choir Y2-6 Theatre Y6 Outdoor Art Y1 & 2 Boogie Bounce Y6
Tuesday		Computing Y2 Book Club Y4 & 5 Lego Y3 Summer Sports Y4

			Forest School Y1 & 2
Wednesday	Jake Brookes (Guitar/Ukulele)		Karate EYRS-6
Thursday	Marie McNally (Keyboard, Flute, Recorders,Clarinet)		Eco Y4-6 Cricket Y5 & 6 Forest School Y3 & 4
Friday	Jake Brookes (Guitar/Ukulele)		Multiskills Y1-6

Eco

This week the Eco committee have been thinking about recycling. We would like to remind you that the school collect used stamps which are used to support a hedgehog society. We also collect batteries and will recycle these. Finally, we recycle old spectacles which are donated to charities that help children in third world countries. If you have any of these please hand them in to the school office. Thank you.

Sport

Swimming starts for 3A & 5P on Wednesday 25th April.

Arts

Just a reminder the Rush Hour Music Concert is next Thursday 26th April after school.

PTA

Just a reminder the Movie & Munch night for KS2 is next Friday 27th April.