

Issue No.11 Friday 8 February 2019

We have "red noses" for sale in the office! Please buy a red nose for £1.25 each (you can buy as many as you'd like!), to support Comic relief, an amazing charity, helping to transform people's lives across the UK and the world's poorest communities. Maybe you will even pick the ultra rare "Transforminos" or "Happy Hooter"! Thank you.

Parent Consultations

These are taking place on Monday 11th and Wednesday the 13th. Hopefully you have received confirmation of your appointment.

Dates for your Diaries

Friday 15th February

School closes for half-term

Monday 25th February

Schools re-opens for children

Wednesday 27th February

Year 1—Great Fire of London

Friday 15th March

Red Nose Day (more details to follow)

Tuesday 26th March

Y3/4 Performances (details to follow)

Thursday 28th March

Easter Disco

Tuesday 2nd April

Class photographs

Play Apparatus

Please can we remind parents that the play apparatus is unsupervised by school staff at drop off and pick up times and that parents are responsible for their child's safety at these times. Can we also please request not to use this apparatus when we have had frost overnight or in icy conditions, since this equipment will be extra slippery.

Celebration Assembly

Star of the Week certificates were given to the following children on:

1 Feb 19

8 Feb19

Pixie

Eva

Shae

Unicorn

Amir

Cameron

Pegasus

Camden

Owynn

Griffin

Jessica

Harry

Centaur

Ethan

Leo

Dragon

Jack

Libby

Phoenix

Ava

Lois

Well done everyone!



Weekly attendance %

Class	W/C 28 Jan 19	W/C 4 Feb 19
Pixie	96.0	97.7
Unicorn	95.2	99.0
Pegasus	95.0	97.3
Griffin	83.7	96.3
Centaur	93.7	95.0
Dragon	97.9	96.6
Phoenix	99.0	94.8

Car parking

Can we kindly ask parents not to park in the staff carpark after 8.15am please? With it being small, we would like all staff to have the opportunity to park. Thank you!



Police visit

On Thursday the 7th, Pixie class had a visit from a local police officer. They went into the van, and asked lots of questions! They also had to investigate who took Rolo from the classroom and as it turned out, it was Miss Singh! Thankfully the officer did not have to arrest her, since she returned Rolo and said she was really sorry, but she missed him so much ...



Science off the Page

Also on Thursday the 7th, Centaur class learnt all about "Prey and Predators". They learnt all about owls; how they hunt, how they eat and digest their food. We examined owl pellets by carefully pulling them apart and examining the skeletons on the animals the owls had eaten. We then had to identify which bits of bones were skulls, which were arm bones, leg bones, hips or ribs. It was like a jigsaw!

In the afternoon, we learnt about food chains, producers and consumers. We learnt that an owl is an apex predator. We had lots of fun and got nice and messy with the clay, building food chains.



Contact details

Please remember to update us with any changes of your contact details (and/or your emergency contact details), like your (email) address and your mobile number. Thank you.

Shoe laces

Fancy setting your child the "Ian Knot" shoe lace challenge? Apparently his method is the fastest way of tying your shoe laces! Let us know how you get on!

Safeguarding

If you ever have any concerns regarding the safety and wellbeing of our children, please contact the School and ask for Miss Thomas or Mrs Lowe (Designated Safeguarding Leads).

