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Newsletter 30th March 2023



WE ASPIRE, WE CHALLENGE, WE SUPPORT

HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Carers

This is the last newsletter of the spring term and an opportunity to reflect on all that we have achieved over the last term. Our children have continued to engage in a broad and balanced curriculum and have enjoyed a number of enriching activities from picnics in the park, visits to the cinema, to a travelling theatre company visiting school! Our wide range of extra-curricular clubs have continued to attract pupils from across the school who have enjoyed a range of experiences from sports to our new choir!

I wanted to capture the children's 'highlights' of the spring term. They were excited to share their ideas and came up with a whole range of responses for you to enjoy.

Wisteria Class: *Lukas:* I enjoyed making rainbow friends in our Easter cards.

Ash Class: *Alistair:* I liked our picnic in the park because we played team games, did a scavenger hunt and my baby sister came.

Oak Class: *Scarlett:* I enjoyed our Maths work on fractions. I found finding one third was tricky!

Cherry Class: *Isabella:* I enjoyed making our clay pots in Art. I ended up getting very messy!

Willow Class: *Esmee Rose:* I enjoyed the picnic in the park because I liked eating the food and playing games.

Maple Class: *Kian:* My favourite experience was the Matilda workshop on World Book Day because it was exciting and thrilling!

Hawthorn Class: *Isaac:* I enjoyed Art and studying Andy Warhol. We got to print a repeating pattern and use lots of different colours.

Juniper Class: *Charlie:* I have enjoyed my Maths lessons especially learning about statistics which I found challenging.

Acer Class: *Angie:* I liked going to Trinity for World Maths Day. I was in the winning team! It was a bit hard as we had to do lots of hard calculations!

Redwood Class: *Daisy:* I enjoyed algebra which I didn't want to do. I had a go, enjoyed it and found I was good at it!

Cedar Class: *Chloe:* I enjoyed our English writing unit on Mars Transmissions. We even got to have an Experience Day where we watched videos on Mars.

We are incredibly proud of how hard all of our pupils have worked this term and we celebrate all that they have achieved.

Wishing everyone a happy Easter and a restful break!

Mrs J Lewry - Headteacher



Book Fair

Book Fair Success!

We hope you are all enjoyed browsing and purchasing the lovely books and stationery that were on sale at our book fair this week.

We raised the wonderful sum of £385.04, which will go to our library fund.

VERDE CHARTIY DAY SUCCESS

Thank you to everyone who supported Verde's Charity Day last Friday.

All the pupils had fun taking part in the activities and raised the amazing sum of £317.57 of which £167.57 will go to Water Aid and £150 to our school library.



ATTENDANCE

This week's attendance is 91.26%

Last week's attendance was 91.84%

Unfortunately, 615 learning minutes were lost this week through late arrivals.

Please ensure your child is in class for 8.30 am.

EVERY DAY REALLY DOES MATTER!

Attendance Matters!



Every Student, Every School, Every Day



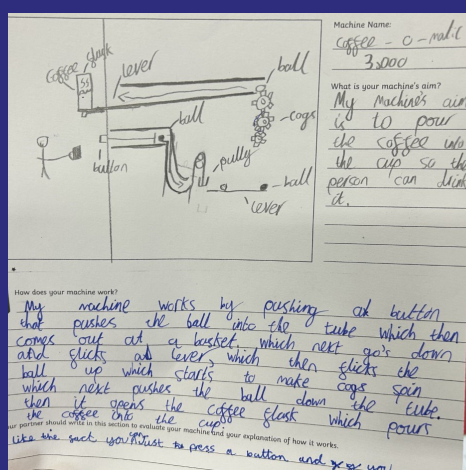
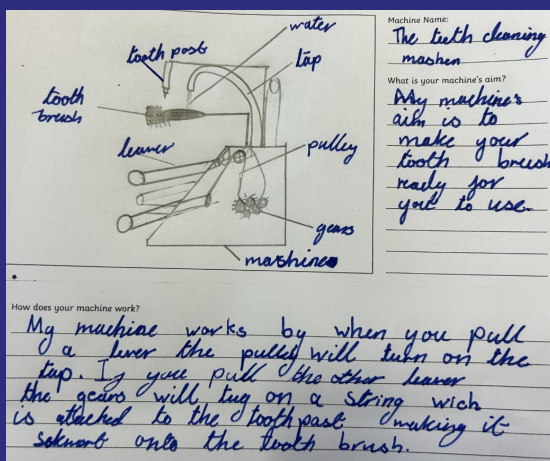
Mrs Watson, Cherry class teacher, has now left Speenhamland School to pursue new interests.

We wish her well for the future.

PUPIL'S WONDERFUL WORK THIS WEEK



In Wisteria, this week, we started looking at our woodwork topic,. We explored different types of wood before going outside and taking tree rubbings



This week, Oak class enjoyed painting their pots they had created out of clay last week by following their own designs.



Hawthorn class have been looking at carbon printing this week and have created art in the style of Andy Warhol.

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Easter School Holidays

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AWARDS

AND THE
WINNERS
ARE...



Congratulations!

Another fantastic term of excellent work
and achievement.
Well done to everyone!

Congratulations and Celebrations!

SPRING TERM BAR AWARDS

Class	Achievement	Progress	Sportsmanship	WOW
Wisteria	Alex Keogh	Kartikey Tyagi	Aidan Rebelo	Eva Valakh
Cherry	Poppy Cousins	Abeera Sajid	Alphie Geemon	Jack Leeke
Oak	Alfie Chapple	Leyla Radbourne	Maria-Anemona Zamfir	Scarlett Prout
Ash	Hassan Ali	Raisha Rahman	Erick Bancu	Leo Cordova Valdiviezo
Willow	Noah Callow	Asher Love-Clements	Marilou Athanasiadou	Arthav Tripathi
Hawthorn	Fae Prins	Lola Geater	Michal Jankowski	Eddie Jones
Juniper	Berat Findik	Myka Carlyon	Alice Jones	Ayansh Ranjan
Maple	Adyan Hussain	Kinga Drewa	Taran Satheesh	Lizzy Mildenhall
Redwood	Libby McCugh	Maximus Jince	Ana Souza	Jana Alharbat
Cedar	Christina Athanasiadou	Jacky Elliott	Liam Blake	Alfie Mabey
Acer	Alexander Thurstan	Damian Davies	Abdul Wahab	Riley Hayes-West



HOUSE WINNER THIS WEEK

The Dragon's Eggs results for this week are:

1st Zolty 198

2nd Laal 197

3rd Azul 163

4th Verde 157

Congratulations to Zolty!



SPRING TERM 2 HOUSE WINNER

The Dragon's Eggs results for Spring Term 2 are:

1st Azul 19

2nd Laal 18

3rd Zolty 14

4th Verde 10

Congratulations to Azul!



Below are the results for the class that had the most
children read 3 times or more from
Monday 20th March to Sunday 26th March:

Acer 20 children

Cedar 14 children

Hawthorn 13 children

Redwood 11 children

Maple 10 children

Cherry 10 children

Juniper 9 children

Oak 7 children

Wisteria 7 children

Ash 6 children

Willow 3 children

This week's winning class is Acer
Congratulations!



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LUNCH MENU

Aspens



Please see below
our cook's yummy lunch menu
for week commencing 17th April 2023.

Just book via Parent Pay and enjoy!

Aspens

FOOD FESTIVAL
By Aspens

Spring / Summer 2023 : 6/3, 27/3, 17/4, 8/5, 29/5, 19/6, 10/7, 31/7

LUNCH WEEK 3 MENU

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

Cheese & Tomato
Baguette Pizza
Sweetcorn

All In One
Sausage & Cheesy
Potato Bake
Carrots

Roast Chicken
& Stuffing
Roasties
Fresh Veg & Gravy

Mild chilli beef &
cheese
Whole Grain Rice
and
Cauliflower

Golden Fish Fingers
(Salmon or Pollock)
Chips
Beans

Veggie Bolognese
Whole Grain Pasta
Sweetcorn

All In One Veggie
Sausage & Cheesy
Potato Bake
Carrots

Carrot & Stuffing
Pastry Plait
Roasties
Fresh Veg & Gravy

Cheese & veggie
chilli
Whole Grain Rice
Cauliflower

Vegetable
Fingers
Chips
Beans

Hot Tomato Pasta

Crispy Skin Jackets with Tasty Toppings

Pick & Mix Packed Lunch

Banoffee
Dessert

Vanilla Iced Sponge

Citrus Rice Crispie
Cake

Apple Sponge
Cake

Flapjack



MAIN EVENT



MEAT-FREE MAGIC



PASTA TWIRLER



BIG TOPPING



PICK AND MIX



DESSERT TROLLEY



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We would like to invite parents/carers and their children to a free hot meal at

Northcroft Kitchen

at Newbury Cricket Pavilion, Northcroft Road, RG14 1RS.

We are offering a free two course hot meal every Monday

from 3.30pm to 4.45pm

Including Monday 4th April and Monday the 10th April

Last meal served at 4.30 pm.

If you can, please let us know you will be joining us by texting or calling
Gill on [07907122007](tel:07907122007) to help us to know the number of meals to be served.

Otherwise please just drop in.

We look forward to welcoming you and your children.

If you would like further information about Northcroft Kitchen and our free meals,
please call Gill or email admin@looseendsnewbury.org

Ian, Gill, and the Team at Northcroft Kitchen

Loose Ends Newbury, Charity Registration Number 1189240

