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Dear Parents and Carers

This week's assembly theme was linked to 'Safer Internet Day' which was on Tuesday. Each class enjoyed a special assembly where they considered all the things you can do online and the devices they can use. The children thought carefully about how they should behave online and what messages are appropriate to send others.

The digital age our children are growing up in is very exciting – they can access so much more and technology can really help and engage them. On the other hand however, there are many hidden dangers that come with being online. At school, we work hard to educate our pupils on how to stay safe and how to be respectful. It is really helpful if these messages can be reinforced at home as well. Attached to the newsletter, is further guidance to share with your child, which explores how they can be safe and show respect online.

We have enjoyed an exciting end to the week with our first House Charity themed day – well done, Azul! The children looked amazing in their neon clothes and were engaged in a range of activities linked to transportation and road safety. The House Captains and Head of House captured the day with photos, quotes and work and will be collating all the fantastic learning into a scrapbook. The wonderful sum of £295.60 was raised for Brake: The Road Safety charity.

Wishing you a restful weekend.

Mrs J Lewry Headteacher



HOUSE WINNER

The Dragon's Eggs results for this week are:

1st Zolty 158 2nd Laal 157 3rd Azul 119 4th Verde 112

Congratulations to Zolty.
Only 1 Dragons Egg in it!

REMINDERS

Parents' Evenings

Monday 14th February 4 pm to 7 pm Tuesday 15th February 3.30 pm to 6.20 pm

Redwood Parents' Evenings

As per recent communication, Redwood's Parents'
Evenings have been rescheduled due to unforeseen circumstances and will take place on
8th March 3.30 pm to 6.30 pm
and 9th March 3.30 pm to 6.30 pm
Don't forget to book — electronic invite sent.

We are looking forward to sharing your child's progress and achievements with you.

No Clubs Next Week

Please note that there will be NO clubs next week due to Parents' Evenings.

Staff Update

Last Friday, we said farewell to Mr Ricca (Teaching Assistant) who has taken on a new role as a Sports Coach.

Next Friday, Miss Penman will sadly be leaving us to start a teaching job at a school closer to her home.

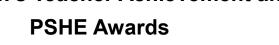
We wish them both success and happiness in their new jobs.

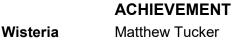
After half term, we will welcome back
Miss Oakham to the
Speenhamland Teaching team.

Attendance This week's attendance is 93.76%. which is an improvement on last week's attendance of 91.99%. Keep up the good work!

NEWSLETTER







Cherry Rithwik Karira Oak Narayani Kashikar Ash

Reyansh Mehta Hawthorn JJ Mercer

Juniper Levi Nagy-Galfi Alec Down- Giddens Maple

Acer Isaac Sproule Redwood William Fearn

Cedar Alfie Mabey Kaleb Smith **Sport**

PSHE

Coco Dallas **Emily Opanowicz** Harper Graham

Fae Prins **Grace Stinson**

Elizabeth Sproule

Ian Baker Vraj Patel

Blossom Green

Brittany Cordova Valdiviezo



21-03-22 to Mothers' Day Gifts 25-03-22 selling at breaktime

01-04-22 Non Uniform Day

easter chocolate or craft

donation

04-04-22 to Easter Chocolate Raffle 06-04-22 tickets being sold after

school

07-04-22 Easter Raffle Draw 27-04-22 FoSS meeting 7.30 pm

Summer Fair organisation

13-06-22 to Father's Day Gifts 17-06-22 selling at breaktime 16-06-22 **Charity Coffee Morning** at St Nicolas Church 02-07-22 Wild West Summer Fair

15-07-22 Y6 Leavers' Party

More details regarding these events to follow.



Y6 Leavers **Fundraising Continues Every Friday!**

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Following the success of last Friday's fundraising, there will be a stall every Friday, after school, with a Valentine's theme this Friday.





CHILDREN'S AMAZING WORK AND ACHIEVEMENTS







In Wisteria, they consolidated all of their learning this term by creating a "Wisteria Class Moon Walk". The children have been watching the moon landing this term and practising how to walk on the moon. In Art, they have been working hard to create helmets and a space background.

In their final History lesson, they recorded our own moon landing and compared it to the original.

Wisteria also had some AMAZING independent sentences during their English lesson yesterday:

"The boy was bamboozled because he didn't understand why he couldn't get the star". Erick "The boy was puzzled because he really wanted the star, but it was a reflection." Coco

Below are some pictures of Hawthorn Class throwing javelins and practising their fighting skills from Roman day.





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