#### 27<sup>th</sup> February 2023



Doing all the good we can, through faith, love and excellence.

# <u>Headteacher's news</u>

We start this 5-week half term looking forward to all the opportunities we will have to share and celebrate the learning our children are doing in school.

#### Parent's Evening

Information will be sent through ParentMail to explain the booking process for parent's evening. These will be face to face meetings enabling parents to look at the work children have been doing and see how much progress they have made. Parents will also receive a copy of their child's mid-year report.

## <u>ECO</u>

Please keep bringing in any bottle tops for our outdoor art project. There is still time to enter a design that would then be made using the bottle tops and go on display. Designs to be in by the end of Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2023.

## <u>Safety in the Car Park</u>

A reminder that parking in the school car park is for staff and authorised visitors between 8am and 6pm. Please do not use the car park to drop off or pick up children as this causes congestion around the school gates and increases the risk of children being injured.



Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs J Hawkins

## **Diary Dates**

## Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> March

- World Book day
- Book Swap
- Year 6 SATs meeting- 6pm

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> March Parents evening

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March Comic Relief- Red Nose Day

Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March Last Day of Spring term

# World Book Day Thursday 2nd March 2023

## Costume Theme:

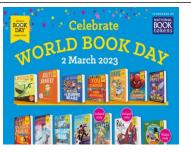
We would like everyone to dress as a word or a book character.

Word ideas- Please have the word somewhere on your costume/outfit to show what you are representing. E.g. 'zany' crazy hair, comedy clothes, big glasses. If you have already purchased a costume or have one in mind then please think of a word to describe your character. This will really help with the school's focus on widening the children's use of vocabulary to improve reading and writing.

## Surprise Mystery Readers:

We would love each class to have a surprise mystery reader for any of the days, week commencing 6th March, so that we can promote an enjoyment of reading. If you or a relative would be able to come and read, either the class book or one of your own, then please get in touch!

Any questions then please contact me via the school office. Yours sincerely, Mr Hill Reading Lead



Monday Starting 27 <sup>th</sup> February	KS1 Cooking club   Club to run until Easter   8 places available.   With Mrs D Davies £6.50 per session   3.30pm - 4.45pm	another fun half term of after school clubs!
		JOIN THE CHOIR!
Wednesday Starting 1st March	KS2 - Cooking club Club to run until Easter 9 places available. Led by Mrs D Davies - £6.50 per session. 3.30 - 4.45pm	AGES 8 TO 18 YEARS
Thursday Starting 2 <sup>nd</sup> March	KS2 - guitar club   Club to run until Easter.   10 places available. Children will need their own guitar.   Led by Mr Hill - £4.50 per session 3.30 - 4.40	
Friday Starting 3 <sup>rd</sup> March	Years 5 & 6 Pottery club Club to run until Easter 10 places available Led by Mrs Davies - £4.50 per session 3.30pm - 4.30pm	www.ggbchurches.co.uk
	KS1 Art and Crafts club   Club to run until Easter   12 places available   Led by Miss Sutton - £4.50 per session   3.30 - 4.30   KS1 Tennis	Children's and Youth Choir St Cuthbert's Church, Great Glen Thursdays 4.30-5.30pm
2002	$\pounds$ 4 per session - for <u>4 weeks</u> 10 places available – with Joe Green	Sign up on our website www.ggbchurches.co.uk





Dear Parents

Do you have some children's books in your home that you could donate to school for a book swap? Maybe you have books that your children have read so many times that they will not be reading them again; books that your children have grown out of or books that your children love and want to share so others can love them too?

If you do, we will be collecting these in until Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2023

In exchange we will give your child a book token for them to take home a book of their choice in our school book swap on World Book Day.

Thank you for your support.

Ms Davies & Mr Hill





**Comic Relief, Red Nose Day- Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March** We would like to support Comic Relief this year by having a non-uniform day. This can include wearing something red or fancy dress. We ask for a £1 donation from each family, which will be donated to Comic Relief.