



Thurcroft Infant School Newsletter



March 2024

Important Dates

Thurs 7th March –World Book Day



Fri 15th March



-Red Nose Day Comic Relief –Silly Hair Day and AT/NG/RC Space Explorer Day

Week beginning 18th March

-Parent Consultation Appointments.

(please book an appointment with your child's class teacher)

Tuesday 26th March

-'Decorated Egg' winners to be announced!
(Look out for the homework challenge)



Tuesday 26th March
Film/Phonic Night 4.30-6pm

Wednesday 27th March
-Break up for Easter.



Thursday 28th Inset day
Monday 15th April -Return to school.

Water Bottles



Children can only have Water in their class water bottles. Children drink from their bottles throughout the day, in the interest of children's oral health **no other** drinks are permitted.

Children can bring juice, a smoothie or milkshake in their lunch box if they bring sandwiches from home to drink at lunch time with their dinner.

Easter Raffle



Tickets are available to buy from the school office

£1.00 a strip



Red Nose Day

Friday 15th March



For a £1.00 donation children can come to school with 'silly hair' and help raise money for Comic Relief.



We look forward to seeing your fabulous hairstyles!

Y1 Film and Phonic Night

Tuesday 26th March 4.30-6.00pm

This event has been put on for parent/carers to see how phonics are taught to your child. During the session there will be the opportunity to talk to staff and make resources to take home and share with your child in preparation for their Year 1 Phonic screening in May.

Please sign up for this event in class.



Parent/Carers are meeting in Miss Thompson's classroom

Refreshments will be provided.



You child will join their friends in the school hall to watch a film.

Children can bring their own refreshments with them.

World Book Week 4th-7th March

There will be a book related challenge each day this week should the children wish to take part.

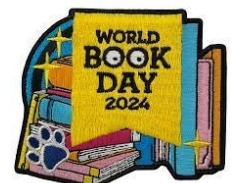
Look out for further instructions on DOJO!

Mon -'Read in an unusual place'

Tue -'Design a book mark'

Wed -'Complete a world book day puzzle'

Thurs -Choose 5 story characters you would invite to a party'





Local Community



School Councillor's have been out in the community recycling Batteries.

Children have been enjoying visits to the new community Library, learning all about the services on offer.



Breakfast Club



7.45am
£3.00 per day



Breakfast is served until 8.15am.

There is a variety of cereals, toast, crumpets, yogurts, fresh fruit and drinks available daily.



**EVERY
SCHOOL DAY
COUNTS**

Attendance

Our school attendance figure is **96%**

Can we remind all families to fill out a **Leave of Absence Form** should they require time away from school during term time.

If your child will not be in school, please leave a message on the school absence line by 9am.

Tel: 01709 542538

After school clubs



Term: Spring Two ~19th Feb - 27th March

Monday ~ Music/Singing (4.15pm) -£18

Tuesday ~ Indoor Tennis (4.15pm Finish) -£18

Wednesday ~ Activities Club (4.15pm Finish) -£18

Thursday ~ Dance (4.15pm Finish) -£15

Friday ~ Indoor Hockey (4.15pm Finish) -£15

Places are limited, please collect a consent form from the office and return it with the payment to secure your child's place.

PE Kits



Please ensure that your child has a suitable PE kit available in school at all times.

- They will require both an indoor and outdoor kit. Please ensure this includes appropriate footwear trainers/pumps.
- We advise your child brings their kit on a Monday and takes it home to wash on Fridays.

Cool Milk is the UK's leading school milk supplier, working in partnership with schools, and local authorities. They help to supply free and subsidised school milk to children.

Register your child online at www.coolmilk.com/register.

If your child is under 5 years old they are entitled to free milk.

We can NOT accept any cash in school for milk.

School Premises

Dogs -Can we please remind you that as a school there is strictly NO DOGS allowed on school premises at any time, this also includes dogs being carried by their owners.

Bikes/Scooters -Now we are entering spring, we can see an increased number of children arriving on bikes and scooters, which is lovely to see. Please can you ensure your child dismounts as they enter the school gates and walk their scooter/bike to the shelter.

Car park - Can we please ask that parents/ carers do not use or walk through the school car park and children do not enter the car park at any time. This is for the Children's safety.

Parking - Please be mindful of where you park should you need to travel to school in cars. In the interest of children's safety **please do not park over pavements**. There is also an increase in complaints from residents on Elgitha drive who have been blocked in on their drives.



School Council



The school councillor's would like to thank everyone who helped the 'Tub 2 pub' MacMillan Campaign. 172 Tubs were collected and delivered to Monksbridge Farm Pub.
-Well Done Everyone!

