



SCHOOL NEWSLETTER APRIL No 2, 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

WELCOME BACK

We hope you all had a good Easter holiday and a break from the usual routines. We can certainly see the children have had haircuts and new shoes now that the shops are all opening up again. We are planning on staying in our class bubbles for the time being with a view to gradually lifting restrictions in line with national guidance. As such we are starting football club (invitation only) this week in line with grass roots sport reopening and some of our lettings will be starting up again in the evenings. We will keep you posted of any changes to our risk assessments, but currently everything will remain the same. Thank you all for your cooperation as always.



ROYAL TRIBUTE

Here is a great picture to start the newsletter this week. Class One decided to celebrate the Queens birthday in style after all the sadness surrounding the death of Prince Philip. We will of course respond to any questions that the children may have about this national Royal funeral but we aim to keep our focus positive.

This week we have been reading the book **The Invisible String** by Patrice Karst about loss and loneliness but also about the intangible connections between us all. I can really recommend it if anyone in your family old or young for comfort for those experiencing separation anxiety or loneliness, which many family members may still be experiencing under the current restrictions.



BIRTHDAY BOOKS

Don't forget that if you would like to mark your child's birthday we are very happy for a birthday book to be sent in for their class and will put a lovely label in the front marking your child's kind donation. Here is Poppy with her lovely book.

ART WORK THIS WEEK

Here is a picture of some wonderful artwork from Class 2, these planes made from fabric and collage with amazing fabric sky hand painted by the children



certainly look fabulous. It is part of their work studying a fabric artist Kaz Holmes who used similar techniques.



WORK AT HOME

Molly completed this wonderful puzzle at home, well done Molly. She also kindly donated some of her old puzzles to the hub. Thank you Molly!

CLASS ONE SPRING SONGS VIDEO

We were very pleased to see that members of the school community have kindly donated £160 to the Tracy Sollis Leukaemia Trust after enjoying Mrs Salter’s weekly videos and the Spring Songs video made by Class 2. That’s such great news - well done Mrs Salter and Class 2 shining stars! (and Callum Salter, the film making maestro). If you didn’t get the chance to see it then follow this link here - it is well worth a watch especially if you like ABBA <https://drive.google.com/file/d/12HcfX1FX1-IHSdZlv05rui9BJVua-PA/view>



STAFF SUCCESS I am glad to say that Mrs Taylor in the kitchens has been busy again over the holidays and has now completed her training and has been awarded TQUK Level 2 Certificate in Allergy Awareness RQT

TADPOLES AND SCIENCE

A big thank you to Mr Glazier for providing some lovely wriggly tadpoles for Class One – happy children and happy tadpoles!



SUNCREAM

Please can children come to school in suncream. We are able to top them up daily using Tesco Soleil 50 factor waterproof dermatologically tested - £1 per child up until May half term. Please send the money in to the office next week please . They do need to have suncream to keep them safe outside, many thanks. Please also remember sun hats

TEAM POINTS

RED	YELLOW	BLUE	GREEN
195	201	198	213



CLASS ONE STAR OF THE WEEK

STAR - Tuscany Dunham for being such a kind and responsible member of the class

Mind – Harrison Ray

Hand – Stanley Adams

Heart – Maisie Davis

Bonus merit for Maisie for being so kind to her friends



CLASS TWO STAR OF THE WEEK

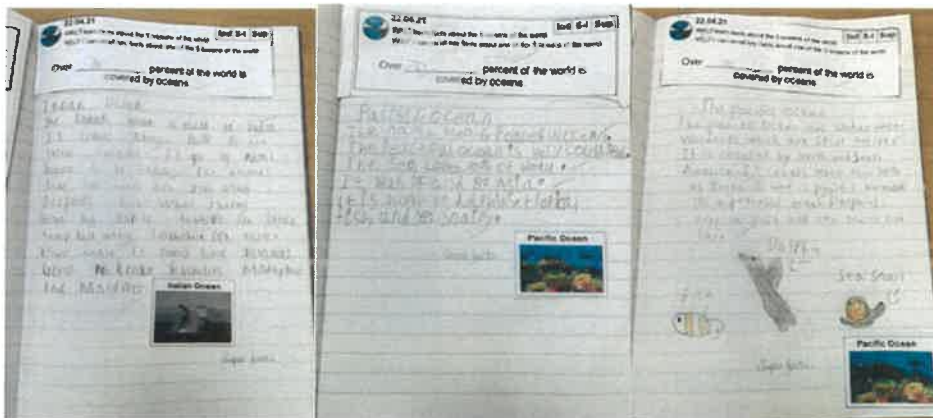
STAR - Mollie Tustin for working hard all week especially aking a great effort with her pacific Ocean fact file

Heart - Effie Powles

Hand - Poppy Gardner

Mind - Gracie Adams for writing a great fact file about the Pacific Ocean

Here is their lovely work



A special mention also goes to Alex Cripps for doing so well on his 66 club and to Effie Powles and Jude Williams for achieveing ASIA on maths passports



CLASS THREE STAR OF THE WEEK

STAR - James Bevins for lovely work since coming back

Heart - Ella Goode

Hand - Leo D'Avanzo

Mind - Ella Morris



CLASS FOUR STAR OF THE WEEK

STAR – Holly Smith for writing a fantastic story

Heart - Emily Burton

Hand - George Powles

Mind - Alexis Essex

CLASS FIVE STAR OF THE WEEK



STAR - George O’Kane for hard work all week and excellent standards of work

Heart - Will Preston

Hand - Ellie Joynes

Mind - Ella White

Bonus merits for fantastic writing to Lauren Totham, Ava Goode, Kiara Booth, Lena Wieszak, Katie-May Bevins, Freddie Pulham, Ellie Joynes, Ellie-Mai Acock, Poppy Robinson

FILM NIGHT ADVANCE WARNING

In an effort to raise funds we are going to have an unusual Film Night (normally only held in November) on **Friday 30 April**, to start the bank holiday weekend. The children will enjoy a film, popcorn, biscuits and snacks, maybe hot chocolate or lollies in their class bubbles with their teacher and we will be asking for a donation of **£3 per child**. Please collect later than usual at 4pm in the usual manner, see attached flier!



FUNDRAISING

We have a Rags 2 Riches 4 Schools collection booked on **Monday 26th April**. This will help us raise vital funds for the school. We can only take donations on the day, not before and we’d be very grateful if you’d take a minute to check what can be donated. Thank you very much for your donations. We will remind you nearer the time.

PARENTS EVENINGS

Don’t forget parent evenings coming up - this is a valuable opportunity to see how your child is settling back in to school and how you can help support them in their learning this term.

Have a lovely weekend, I know I am going to be busy with all the clubs opening back up again hurray! It’s so good for the children to be able to access their sports and activities at the weekends, hope the sun keeps shining for everyone!

Together we can succeed!
Rebecca Scutt Headteacher

Raise funds by collecting reusable clothes



**WE ACCEPT CLEAN,
GOOD QUALITY, DRY,
REUSABLE CLOTHING**

- Adults, Childrens & Babies Clothing
- Jewellery and Accessories
- Paired Shoes and Footwear
- Belts and Handbags

A full list of reusable items is listed on our website
www.rags2riches4schools.co.uk

WE DO NOT ACCEPT

**POOR QUALITY ITEMS SUCH AS
DIRTY, WET, RIPPED OR SOILED
CLOTHES.
PILLOWS, DUVETS, CURTAINS,
BOOKS CDS OR ANY UNIFORM**

If you are unsure what to put in the bags

**STOP AND THINK
WOULD YOU WEAR IT?**

**Please use the clothing bag provided.
You can also use any additional bag if required.**

Collection Date:

Monday 26th April 2021

Please remember - NO UNIFORM



Stow Primary School PTEA

PRESENTS

FILMS IN CLASS

Friday 30 April

Stow Primary School - Films in class bubbles

Start- 2.15pm – Pick up 4pm

£3.00 per child.

Includes popcorn, biscuits and hot chocolate!

**Children can bring in a pillow,
beanbag and teddy in the
morning to leave in the
classroom.**



FILM NIGHT

Work available:



Victoria House

STOW ON THE WOLD

Victoria House, Sheep St, Stow on the Wold

Cleaner required for 7 bedroom guest house and two self catering apartments.

Qualities needed: to like cleaning with good attention to detail; able to work quickly; must be reliable, self motivated and honest.

Flexible hour's year round, including weekends. Flexibility is key.

Busy in summer/ quieter in winter.

Contact: Pauline Wharton, 01451 870885



Luckley Holidays

COTSWOLDS

Luckley Farm Cottages, Longborough

Cleaners required for self catering Holiday cottage turnarounds.

Qualities needed: to like cleaning with good attention to detail; able to work quickly; must be reliable, self motivated and honest.

Mondays and Fridays: 9.30am to 3/4pm.

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