



Newsletter

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Message from the headteacher

Happy Monday! It was nice to see that we had some sunshine over the weekend to mark the start of Spring. We had our school improvement partner in school on Friday 1st March who visited some lessons, reviewed books and carried out an in depth pupil panel interview. The pupils did Old Park very proud, and it was great to read some of the comments in the report such as "Pupils understanding of attitude toward learning, behaviour and personal development is significantly improved and they present as socially mature with a good understanding of technical vocabulary" and "pupils have a positive attitude toward learning". A big well done to the year 5/6 girls football team who did a great job in their tournament last week, and good luck to the 3/4 team who will be competing this week. I hope that the pupils are all looking forward to world book day, I am sure it will be a great week for them.

Value of the half term



World book day 2024

A final reminder that it is **world book on Thursday 7th March**. Pupils are invited to come to school in football kit, non-uniform or dressed as a character from a book. We will be having a visit from the Mayor of Dawley as well to officially open our new library. I am sure it will be a great day for all the pupils.

Attendance

Well done to the following classes for having the best attendance in their year group last week:

FG, 1J, 2B, 3FP, 4H, 5F and 6A

It was great week for attendance last week with one of our highest this academic year. We had a joint first place as well with **two classes achieving 100%, which were FB and 3FP**. Well done to them both!

In Harmony open week

Our music event this term will be a small concert where the children will be able to share the orchestra piece they have been working on. This will be held in the on **Thursday 14th March** at the following times:

- ⇒ 9:15 Year 4
- ⇒ 10:00 Year 5
- ⇒ 10:45 Year 6
- ⇒ 1:45 Year 3
- ⇒ 2:30 Year 2



We hope that some of your will be able to come into school to have a look at all the hard work that has gone into these pieces of music so far. Thanks in advance to in Harmony to work in preparation for the event.

Easter raffle

Year 6 will be continuing to sell tickets for the easter raffle until the last week of term. There are lots of prizes on offer ranging from easter eggs, toys and arts and craft materials. **Tickets are on sale at lunch time outside Mr Fosters office for 20p each.**





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Diary Dates

Spring 2

Thursday 7th March

World book day (football kit, non-uniform or dress as a character from a book)

Week beginning 11th March

In Harmony lesson drop ins for parents/carers (details on the first page of the newsletter)

Tuesday 19th March

School photographs

Friday 22nd March

Last day of term

Term dates 2023-2024

22nd March 2024

Last day of term

25th March—5th April

Easter holiday

8th April 2024

Summer term starts

27th - 31st May 2024

Half term

3rd June 2024

Staff PD day

Friday 19th July 2024

Last day of term





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Every Wednesday 9.30am - 12:30pm
Southwater Library – children's section

- Advice and signposting
- Information on parenting/ courses
- Support and guidance around accessing local community activities
- Family hubs information



Provided by
Strengthening Families
and Dandelion Peer
Parent support

