

15th April 2016

Dear Parents/Carers

Class Awards

Awards were given to the following children this week:

Butterflies – Maisy for being super helpful at tidy up time, helping her friends and adults to keep our class clean. Well done Maisy. Amia for working super hard in Literacy to write a story map of Goldilocks and the Three Bears. Well done Amia.

Owls – Ella for showing kindness and patience supporting others in the group with their topic work. Jack for showing enthusiasm and sharing great facts about our new topic on animals.

Dragons – Tom and Ruby P for being resilient in maths this week, learning how to tell the time to the nearest 5 minutes. Hugo for trying hard to improve his handwriting and starting to write cursively.

Rabbits – Harry for making a big effort to improve handwriting. Charlie G for adding and subtracting different amounts of money confidently, using place value.

Hedgehogs – Niamh for asking good questions and participating when our class visitor came in. Ben for great work in area and perimeter!

Foxes & Eagles – Sam for returning with an excellent attitude towards his learning, pushing himself all week. Harley for winning the first “long division speed challenge” this week, dividing questions where the answers were in the billions in the fastest time of 2 minutes and 4 seconds.

Nut Free!

A reminder that we are a nut-free school – please ensure your child does not bring any nut products into school.

Sainsbury Active Kids Vouchers

Please do keep sending in your Sainsbury Vouchers to the school. Thank you!

Collective Worship

Our Collective Worship theme for this term is “Faith”.

13th May – Butterflies and Owls

17th June – Rabbits and Hedgehogs

15th July – Dragons

You are welcome to attend your child’s class Collective Worship, at 9am.

Attendance



Well done to the Dragon and Eagle Classes for 100% attendance for the whole of this week!

Recorders for Year 3 and 4

This term Rabbits and Hedgehogs will be learning to play the recorder in Music on Tuesdays. For hygiene reasons, please could you supply your child with a named recorder.

Sunday at 4

Sunday 17 April 4pm-5.30pm at Charndon Community Centre

Sunday at 4 is for children of primary school age. We meet for fun, games, Bible stories, craft activities, music, prayer and refreshments. This month we’ll be hearing about what happened after the very first Easter Day. It helps our planning if you can let us know by email or phone if your children hope to attend.

With best wishes

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Calendar Dates:

**Please see a list attached with dates for the Summer Term.
All dates are subject to change.**

Marsh Gibbon C of E Primary School

Maintenance Morning – Sat May 7th

Dear Parents

As you all know, whilst your school is expanding the budget is tight due to funding being allocated according to the number of children we had the previous year. This is why our voluntary Maintenance Morning is so important and it saves the school thousands of pounds. Can you help on Saturday May 7th?

The jobs we aim to do are as follows:-

1. Swimming pool clean up and preparation ready for opening
2. Hedge trimming
3. Ivy removal from fences and trees
4. Danish oiling picnic benches and play equipment
5. Sweeping and cleaning around school
6. Gardening
7. Surface water drains to clear
8. Paint steps / trip hazards around the school – yellow
9. Cleaning windows

If you are able to help, please contact Peter Ferens (Governor), who is organising this morning's work, by phone – 01869 277398 or email pferens@btinternet.com

If you have a preference as to what you do, please let me know and I will endeavour to do as you ask.

I will need **your name and contact details** please so that I can inform you to which job you have been allocated and what equipment to bring with you prior to the day.

We provide Doughnuts of various varieties + coffee / tea!!

YOUR SCHOOL NEEDS YOU TO HELP PLEASE

May 7th 9.30 – 12ish