

SPS Today for 26th February 2016

Aspiring to Excellence





Marcus and Darren on their bike ride raising £10,000 for our new library.



Construction of the new library took place over the Half Term holiday.



The finishing touches being made to our new library for the grand opening today.

Whole School Attendance: 93.97% Winning Class: Willow with 100%

Attendance

Whole school attendance for the week before half-term was disappointing at 93.97%, mainly due to a number of children being absent on the final Friday.

However we did have a superb result from Willow, who achieved the magical 100% attendance. Brilliant! Can't do better than that!

In second place came Rainbow (Mrs Yarranton & Miss Ward) who achieved an impressive 98.10% and not far behind them in third place was Elm on 97.65%. Well done to both those classes.

Mr Williams - Attendance Officer

Dinner Envelopes

Dinner envelopes will now come home every **FRIDAY**. Envelopes need to be in by the end of the school day on a **THURSDAY**. The kitchen will not be able to cater for any orders received after this and you will be required to send a packed lunch in with your child for the rest of the week.

The envelope coming home today is for Week 3, week commencing 7th March 2016, this needs to be returned by Thursday, 3rd March.













World Book Day

Just a reminder that World Book Day will be on Thursday 3rd March 2016. Children are invited to dress up as their favourite book characters and bring their favourite book to school to share with their friends. Please put your child's name inside the book for safekeeping. We look forward to celebrating this special day with your child.

Individual Pupil Photographs

Our school photographer will be in school on Tuesday, 8th March, to take individual photographs and sibling groups.

If you want photographs taken with younger siblings, the hall will be open from 8:15am until 8::45am. The doors will close at 8:45am prompt.

Those with siblings within school will have them taken during the school day.

Sports News

We are collecting Sainsbury vouchers again so please bring them in to school to support the PE Department.

Please make sure that you child has the appropriate kit for indoor and outdoor lessons in PE. We are trying to get out as much as possible to give the children access to the best quality PE. The days below shows when your child will need PE kit and Forest School clothes:

Monday: Year 3/4 and Year 5 Elm and Year 1/2

Tuesday: Year 6 and Year 2

Wednesday: Rainbow and Silver Birch

Thursday: Year 1 and Years 5/6

Friday: Rainbow and Years 3/4

Days that specialist kits (Enrichment) may be required are:

Rainbow and Year 3/4 on Tuesdays

Year 5/6 Wednesdays

Year 1/2 Thursdays.

Mothers Day Afternoon Tea

Just a reminder that if you want to attend the Mothers Day Afternoon Tea on Monday 7th March, that the slips need to be returned by Tuesday 1st March 2016. You need to ensure that you enclose the correct money and pay for any additional siblings.

If your child is in Years Rainbow, Year 1 or Year 2, you should arrive by 2:15pm. If your child is in Years 3,4, 5 and 6 you should arrive by 2:40pm. If you have children across both of these you should attend the 2:15pm sitting. Many Thanks.

New Look Library

Our stunning new design library opens today so please look out for more pictures of the opening ceremony in next weeks newsletter.





Reading Afternoons to take place at 2:50pm

21st March

18th April

16th May

20th June

Other Key Dates:

W/c 29th February

Bikeability for UKS2

4th March

Year 3 & 4 Trip to

Wolverhampton Grand Theatre

7th March

Mothers Day afternoon tea

8th March

School Photographs

9th & 10th March

Rainbow Stay and Play at 2:30pm

14th March

Reception & Year 6
Height and Weight Checks

KS1 Numeracy Workshop

Year 2 Numeracy continues on Thursdays at 9-9:45am with Mr Wager. All welcome and refreshments are provided.

Change

Unfortunately we do not hold much change in the office, so we would appreciate you sending in the correct money when paying for trips, uniform etc. Just to remind you that the silver box on the pink wall in the main entrance is there for you to drop in your lunch envelopes etc. to save you queuing. Thank you

Do you have a degree? - Are you interested in becoming a primary teacher and inspiring the next generation?

Book a place on our Primary School Experience Morning to find out more about our School Centred Initial Teacher Training (SCITT) primary courses. You will spend a morning in one of the lead primary schools, observe experienced teachers in real classrooms, have the opportunity to meet and ask questions of current trainee teachers and newly qualified teachers.

Friday 11th March 2016 at Stourport Primary School, Park Avenue, Stourport,

- 9:15am Coffee
- 9:30am Introduction to SCITT
- 9:45am Classroom observation / experience
- 10:30am Break
- 10:45am Classroom observation / experience
- 11:45am Meet SCITT Trainees and NQTs
- 12:30pm Finish

Email: lharwood@shs.worcs.sch.uk to book your place.

SOS Club

SOS Club will be open 8:30am-5:30pm during school holidays at £20 per session.

Easter-March 30th/31st /April 1st/6th/7th /8th

Whitsun-June 1st/2nd/3rd

To book places, please phone 07855 892 608 or contact a member of staff in the hall after school.

