Dear Parents/Carers,

**Boots and JoJo Bows**
A reminder that large hair bows and high boots are not part of our school uniform. Please make sure your child is not wearing a JoJo bow and has a pair of shoes to change into if boots are worn on the way in to school. (We have no plans to introduce slippers, either).

**Sainsbury’s Active Kids 2017**
This year’s Active Kids scheme from Sainsbury is now running and we’re already being given vouchers. Your support in the past has helped us to get additional PE equipment for your children – please keep sending us your Active Kids vouchers. For more details, go to https://activekids.sainsburys.co.uk/

**London Borough of Sutton Childcare Survey**
Sutton Council would like to have parents’ views about the availability of childcare in the borough. For more information and to take part in the survey, go to https://sutton.citizenspace.com/chief-executives-group/yours-views-of-childcare/

**Red Nose Day**
We’re taking part in this year’s Red Nose Day on Friday 24th March and we’ve ordered a set of Red Noses to sell. More details closer to the date, but in the meantime, have a look at https://www.rednoseday.com/kids/comic-adventure

**Safer Internet Day 2017**
Thank you to those parents who were able to attend the SID 2017 presentations for parents. Presentations, films and other information can be found at https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/safer-internet-day/2017

**Viking Day and Assembly**
Polar Bear gave a lovely presentation about the Vikings in their assembly on Thursday and both Year 4 classes had a very enjoyable Viking Day.

**Half-Term Holiday Activities**
Merton Council is running a range of activities for children during the half-term holiday. For information, go to www.merton.gov.uk/activekids

**Musical.ly**
The recommended minimum age for this app is 16. However, there are reports that primary school age children have accounts and have then been contacted by adults not known to them. More information is available at https://www.internetmatters.org/hub/expert-opinion/musical-ly-app-parents-need-know/, https://kidsprivacy.net/2016/03/29/what-parents-need-to-know-about-musical-ly/ and https://www.commonsensemedia.org/app-reviews/musically-your-music-video-community/user-reviews/adult#

**Energy Efficiency**
Our building’s energy efficiency rating has improved again this year. 100 is the ‘typical’ rating on a Display Energy Certificate, with anything less than 100 being better. We’ve gone from 84 in 2014 to 79 then 76 in the following two years and this year our rating is 68.
Well done to Mr Higgs, our Premises Manager and the children who are Eco Monitors.
Headteacher's Award

Brandon Turtle
Excellent Problem Solving Of 'Time' Questions

Tilly Turtle
Excellent Problem Solving Of 'Time' Questions

George Jaguar
An Excellent Effort To Write An Accurate Recount

Emily Hedgehog
Her Excellent 'Materials' Homework

Lexie-Bleu Hedgehog
Her Excellent 'Materials' Homework

Angelika Hedgehog
Her Excellent 'Materials' Homework

Limota Bumble Bees
Her Birthday Party Writing

Ekow Jaguar
His Sustained Contributions During A Philosophy Lesson

David Jaguar
An Excellent Salt Dough Model Of A Caterpillar

Lucy Jaguar
Her Salt Dough Model Ladybird

Vinoth Jaguar
His Minibeasts Booklet

Anthony Jaguar
His Symmetrical Butterfly Picture

Megan Jaguar
Her Craft Materials Model Ladybird

Shobish Panda
His Book Review Of A Haunted House Story

Sonny Polar Bear
His Home Made Viking Bread

Jake Polar Bear
His Home Made Viking Bread

Manasa Turtle
Her Wonderful Reading Journal and Handwriting

Isobel Kestrel
Helping Other Children To Play Well During The Lunch Break

Harriet Eagle
Helping Other Children To Play Well During The Lunch Break

Shannon Badger
Her Booklet About Times Of The Day

Philippa Kestrel
Her Writing In The Style Of 'Storm Breaker'

Alex Kestrel
Her Writing In The Style Of 'Storm Breaker'

Macey Kestrel
Her Writing In The Style Of 'Storm Breaker'

Scott Eagle
Amazing Writing In The Style Of 'Storm Breaker'

Jessica Eagle
Amazing Writing In The Style Of 'Storm Breaker'

Angel Eagle
Amazing Writing In The Style Of 'Storm Breaker'

Birgit Eagle
Amazing Writing In The Style Of 'Storm Breaker'

Sheena Eagle
An Amazing Piece Of Persuasive Writing

Dione Eagle
Amazing Adventure Style And Persuasive Writing

Akrit Eagle
His Amazing Model Laptop Computer

Macey Kestrel
Being A Super Internet Safety Helper To Year 3

Lucy Jaguar
An Excellent Rhyming Bug Hunt Booklet

Megan Jaguar
Her PowerPoint Presentation And Painting About Butterflies

Deya Polar Bear
Making Viking Bread For The Class Project

Imogen Polar Bear
Making Viking Bread For The Class Project

Jake Polar Bear
Making Viking Bread For The Class Project

Fariha Polar Bear
Making Viking Bread For The Class Project

Ekow Jaguar
A Recount Of The Class Mini-Beast Hunt

Keano Jaguar
A Recount Of The Class Mini-Beast Hunt

George Jaguar
A Recount Of The Class Mini-Beast Hunt

House Points
Each child in Years 1 to 6 is in one of our four houses; Blue – Sir Mo Farah, Green – Sir Chris Hoy, Red – David Weir, Yellow – Victoria Pendleton. Half way through the school year, the house points for each class are; Y1 Hedgehog – 105, Y1 Monkey – 179, Y2 Badger – 606, Y2 Panda – 205, Y3 Puffin – 85, Y3 Turtle – 176, Y4 Polar Bear – 604, Y4 Wombat – 204, Y5 Cheetah – 120, Y5 Jaguar – 121, Y6 Eagle – 149, Y6 Kestrel – 123. The House totals to date are; Blue – Sir Mo Farah - 722, Green – Sir Chris Hoy - 722, Red – David Weir - 711, Yellow – Victoria Pendleton - 719

The Marsden March
Conor, Reception, will be taking part in the Marsden March this year, walking 5 miles. If you would like to sponsor him for The Royal Marsden Cancer Charity, or find out more about the charity, go to https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/joanne-thompson37
Term Dates 2016-2017
These are the London Borough of Sutton term dates for the 2016-2017 academic year. Please note that four of the INSET days have now been confirmed. One further day is still to be planned.
w/c 13th February 2017 - Half term holiday (one week)  
Friday 31st March 2017 - Break up for Easter  
Tuesday 18th April 2017 - INSET Day - school closed  
Wednesday 19th April 2017 - Children return to school  
w/c 29th May 2017 - Half term holiday (one week)  
Friday 21st July 2017 - Break up for Summer

Have an enjoyable half-term holiday. Children return back to school on Monday February 20th.