

Dear Parents/Carers,

Parking on zig-zags

Can all parents please refrain from parking on the zig-zags outside the school. It is causing obstruction, it is dangerous to staff coming in and out of the car park and also illegal.

Winnie the Pooh and Harry Potter Day



On Thursday 18th January we held a mufti day to celebrate the birthday of AA Milne – the author of Winnie the Pooh. All the children looked fantastic and we would like to say a big thank you to our catering staff for the Harry Potter’s Quidditch meat Snitch and Winnie the Pooh Afternoon Tea Jelly and Ice Cream. We would like to thank Ms Barbury for being a great sport, dressing up as Harry Potter, as voted for by the children.

Year 2 Trip to the Tower of London



On Wednesday 10th January, the children in Year 2 went on an exciting trip to the Tower of London. It was a long journey with lots of walking but the children got to see lots of different buildings along the River Thames and got to walk over Tower Bridge. While in the tower, the children got to visit the building containing the Crown Jewels and see the soldiers protecting them. The children also got to see the armour and swords that were used by the armies of the past – even seeing the armour worn by Henry VIII. The children learnt about the history of the tower – seeing the Bloody Tower and the Tower of Torture. A Yeoman Warder explained the importance of the Ravens at the tower. The children had a great day and learnt lots of new facts.

Sale of Second Hand Toys, Games and Books



Tweeddale Pupil Parliament are raising money to buy equipment for our playground. We felt that it would be a good idea to hold a second hand sale of toys, games and books. We are asking for your donations of these items so we can sell them to the children in the school on Friday 26th January. The sale will take place in the school hall from 3.30-4.30pm.

Please can you send any donations into school by Monday 22nd January. Any items that you are donating should be clean, in good condition and with no missing pieces. We are unable to accept electrical toys and any donated toys, games or book should be appropriate for children in the 3-11 age range.

Street Dance

We still have places available for our street Dance Club, times for the club are

- 3.30-4.15pm Wednesday for Years 1&2
- 3.30-4.30 Thursday for Years 3,4,5,& 6

Please call the office for more information on 0208 644-5665

Jojo Bows



Please can you make sure that big Jojo Bows are not worn in school as they are not part of the school uniform.

Dates for your diary

January 2018

Friday 26th January Second Hand Toy, Game & Book Sale 3.30-4.30pm in the school hall
Tuesday 30th January Year 4 trip to the Tower of London



February 2018

Friday 2nd February Year 6 trip to Science Museum
Tuesday 6th February Safer Internet Day
Wednesday 7th February Year 3 trip to Morden Mosque
Friday 9th February Break up for Half Term
Monday 26th February Scholastic Book Fair all week after school in the hall.
Tuesday 27th February Year 4 trip to the London Aquarium.
Wednesday 28th February Anti Bullying Day

March 2018

Thursday 29th March Break up at 2pm –late club to finish at 3.20pm

Spare Clothing

A lot of our underwear has been used and not been bought back to school so could we please ask for any spare clean socks, tights, knickers and pants.
Thank you.

Parentpay



Please can you make sure that your Dinner and Late Club accounts are always in credit. Money must be added to your account in advance of your child receiving a dinner or attending late club.

Class Assemblies Timetable 2018

All assemblies will take place on a Thursday and start at 9.10am. Please come along and support your child's class.

25th January Y5 Jaguars
1st February Y2 Pandas
8th February Y6 Eagles
22nd February Y4 Polar Bears
1st March Y3 Puffins
8th March Y1 Hedgehogs
15th March Y5 Cheetah

Word of the week

Foundation Stage and Year 1..... Sudden
Years 2-6..... Spontaneous

Nerf Club

We are very excited for Nerf Club this half term. If you did not receive a slip back you were unsuccessful this time. We are hoping to offer the club to more children in the future.
Miss Echlin-Smith

Headteachers Award



- Pavel (YR3) - For creating a fantastic fridge magnet.
- Owen (N) - For great pencil control and word writing.
- Michelle (YR3) - For completing a deer reading activity to a high standard.
- Anders (Rec) - For writing independently in class.
- Marley (YR3) - For drawing a picture of Iron Man at home.
- Bobby (YR2) - For super maths work doing addition.
- Jane (YR4) - For writing 8 stories about a character called "Mack".
- Manasa (YR4) - For making a book about Vikings.
- Max T (YR2) - For being kind to other children in computing lessons.
- Roza (YR3) - For making a 3D rainbow fridge magnet.
- Tiffany (YR4) - For trying hard in guided reading and for writing beautifully.

Year 6 Top of the Form Quiz

On Wednesday, January 10th, Tweeddale hosted a Year 6 quiz match against a team from Harris Juniors. The team, consisting of Aaron, Delosh, Eliza and Yamin, got off to a slightly nervous start and fell a few points behind in the early rounds, as questions didn't really fall their way. However, as they relaxed and gained in confidence, their wide range of general knowledge began to show and they clawed back the deficit, which made for an exciting last few rounds. In the end they fell just short though, losing by just 3 points over 40 questions. The most memorable moment was probably when one of the team - who shall not be named - made a hilarious goof, in naming the venus fly trap as the most frightening of the dinosaurs! Nevertheless, well done to all 4 of the team, who represented Tweeddale with pride and sportsmanship.

Mr Dix

Reception Classes

Week Commencing 29th January, funds permitting, Reception are planning to make 'Gingerbread Men' after reading the story. We ask for a donation of £1 next week towards this activity.

