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Sundon Park Junior School

Weekly Newsletter

News

Half term has arrived, to give everyone a well-earned rest after an extremely busy final week. Year 6 had their height and weight measured and well done to our gymnastics team who took part in a tournament on Wednesday. Thank you to everyone who came to our parents' evening. We hope you found it to be a very informative and worthwhile experience. Don't forget, there is a training day on Monday 19th February.

Year 4 Pizza Making



As part of their DT work, Year 4 have been designing their own pizzas. On Tuesday, they hand made their pizzas. We hope parents enjoyed the final product.

Luke Temple Visit



On Thursday and Friday, Luke Temple, the children's author, came into school to read excerpts from his books, talk to children about the joy of reading and give them tips on how to construct exciting stories of their own. On Friday morning he performed a book signing for any children who wanted to buy one of his books to enjoy over the holidays.

Court is in Session

Our history expert, Richard Tyson, came into school again on Monday to run workshops with Year 6 about crime and punishment. They set up their own Victorian court and ran mock trials to learn about the justice system. Thank you to the parents who came in the afternoon, so that children could share with them everything they've learnt so far.



We are currently looking for a Premises Manager. Please see the Vacancies page on our website.



Weekly Awards

Star Writers (09/02/2018)

Chosen by class teachers for great improvement and ongoing commitment in class.

Year 3

Lyla
Layah
Lewis

Year 4

Saarah
Suhana
Zack

Year 5

Charlie
Lois
Petal

Year 6

Lessong
Victoria
Kevin

Class Leaders (09/02/2018)

This title is awarded to pupils who act as an example to the rest of their class.

Year 3

Sonni
Harry
Khadija

Year 4

Jenna
Harry
Molly

Year 5

Imogen
Dinnae
Safa

Year 6

Kassey
Kasey
Sarah.



PE Awards

Chantae

Alicia

Aston

Ellie

Georgie

Attendance Award this week: 5RS

Diary and Dates

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| February 19 th | Staff Training Day |
| February 20 th | Children return to school |
| February 21 st | SEND Parent Forum – 2:30pm |
| February 22 nd | Year 4 Viking and Saxon Day |
| March 7 th | 3BF Class Assembly |
| March 9 th | Year 3 and 4 Mother's Day Lunch |
| March 12 th | Year 5 and 6 Mother's Day Lunch |
| March 14 th | 4LF Class Assembly |
| March 21 st | 6KR Class Assembly |
| March 28 th | 5NA Class Assembly |
| April 25 th | 3DB Class Assembly |
| May 2 nd | 5RS Class Assembly |
| May 23 rd | 4SB Class Assembly |
| June 20 th | 3LM Class Assembly |
| June 27 th | 5KF Class Assembly |

Lunch Menu



Monday

Fish Goujons
 Quorn Hotdog V
 Jacket Potato with Tuna
 and Sweetcorn
 Blackberry Pie
 Fresh fruit or Yoghurt

Tuesday

Shepherd's Pie
 Veg. Shepherd's pie V
 Chicken Tikka Wrap
 Apricot Flapjack
 Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt

Wednesday

Roast Chicken
 Bean Bake V
 Jacket Potato with Spicy
 Lentils V
 Muffins
 Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt

Thursday

BBQ Pulled Pork
 Macaroni Cheese V
 Cheese and Bean
 Quesadillas
 Bakewell Tart
 Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt

Friday

Cheese and Tomato Pizza
 V
 Masala Fish Curry
 Jacket Potato with Beans
 Melting Moment Biscuit
 Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt

Please note that changes to the menu may take place due to unforeseen circumstances such as late deliveries.

Next Half Term in English

Year 3

Next week in English, we will be starting a new unit where we will learn a journey story with our focus on action. We will begin by reading our new story.

Year 4

After half-term, Year 4 will be starting our new English unit with a look at some poetry and then learning our new story - Adventure to Cambury Park. There will be plenty of opportunities for drama and performance.

Year 5

In English, Year 5 are going to be looking at myths and legends over the coming term. Focusing on writing amazing story openers that engage and captivate the reader as well as endings that make you want to not want the story to end.

Year 6

After the half term break, we will be learning about narrative poems, action stories involving quests and persuasive writing. Along with learning the text types, before writing our own versions, we will continue to develop our grammar and punctuation knowledge and skills.

Next Week in Maths

Year 3

Year 3 are continuing their work exploring data from bar graphs and will be starting our next unit on Shapes.

Year 4

After half-term, Year 4 will be continuing to learn how to convert between different units of measure, estimate and compare them, and solve problems involving converting from hours to minutes; minutes to seconds; years to months; weeks to days.

Year 5

Year 5 will be revisiting division, using concrete objects to start with and then moving on to formal methods. We will then move on to equivalent fractions, followed by comparing and ordering fractions.

Year 6

After the half term break, we will be learning how to multiply and divide fractions as well as being able to solve problems involving fractions. We will also be learning how to find the perimeter and area of shapes. Finding the value of angles and being able to translate and reflect shapes are also areas we will be learning about.