



# Newsletter

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## Values Week

We have had a really busy week this week as we have been celebrating our whole-school values: *care, ambition, determination, teamwork* and *confidence*. Over the course of the week children have learnt first aid, solved practical challenges and learnt about the lives of others, performed drumming together, solved maths puzzles and danced with precision and style! Grateful thanks too, to the parents who have also given up their time to talk to different classes about their work. Here are some photos of the first four days...



Monday – First Aid

Tuesday – Building Challenge and Paper Bag Challenge



Wednesday – Samba Drumming

Thursday – Maths Puzzle Day

## One Day; Three Museums

On Tuesday 23rd January we visited three museums in Cambridge! Class 1 went to the Museum of Archaeology and Anthropology as part of their



*Explorers* project. They learnt about objects from across the globe, drawing those which interested them and placing them on a map.

Class 3 visited both the Fitzwilliam Museum and the Museum of Classical Archaeology as part of their *Gods and Mortals* project based around Ancient Greece, drawing some of the pottery and sculptures they saw.

## Congratulations to...

- Year 4 for their excellent behaviour and attitudes on a recent visit to Melbourn Village College.

## Reminders

- Please remember to return the medical forms for the Class 4 Burwell House visit by the end of next week.

Mr Philip Atkin  
Headteacher

## PTFA News

Please look out for the PTFA Newsletter which is also coming out today.

The school would like to thank the PTFA for their generous support of IT in the school. Thanks to your contributions to PTFA events, we have been able to replace the remaining 8 laptops in our trolley which were becoming a little slow. We will still make use of these machines for lighter tasks within classrooms, but for the whole-class work we are right up-to-date!

## Travel to School

Our little survey of children's travel to schools shows a reduction in car use last week. Hopefully, with better weather on the horizon, we can continue the trend too!

## Football

Since the last newsletter we have taken part in two league football matches. The first was an away game at William Westley where, although our team played together well, and were supported by some excellent keeping, we managed to lose 7-1.

Our second match was this week, with a home fixture against Haslingfield. The better news here was a 7-0 victory for Fowlmere!

Well done to our squad for the two matches who were: Toby A, Toby B, Edward, Luca, Hattie, Thomas F, Harry, Alex H, Jack, Ollie, James, Toby Y (all Class 4), Thomas and Rose (Class 3)



## Britten Sinfonia Concert and Workshop

We have been successful in our application for a concert and workshop during Cambridgeshire Music Live Week. Five players and a presenter will be joining us on the morning of Monday 5th March to share a concert with the whole school and run a workshop for one of our classes. I'm just waiting for details about the content of the workshop in order to select the class which will benefit the most.

This activity was supported by our Christmas Music Concert at the URC in December – so thank you to everyone who gave generously at that event.

## Dates for Your Diary

<b>Friday 9th February</b>	INSET Day – School Closed
<b>Monday 12th February – Friday 16th February</b>	Half Term Holiday
<b>Monday 19th February – Wednesday 21 February</b>	Class 4 Residential Visit to Burwell House
<b>Tuesday 20th February</b>	Class 2 Visit to Sedgewick Museum
<b>Thursday 1st March</b>	World Book Day Library Open After-School PTFA Book Stall
<b>Thursday 1st March</b>	Small Schools Cross Country Competition (am) <b>NEW</b>
<b>Friday 2nd March</b>	PTFA Coffee Afternoon, 2.30pm
<b>Monday 5th March</b>	Britten Sinfonia Concert and Workshop (Cambridgeshire Music Live Week) <b>NEW</b>
<b>Monday 5th March</b>	Parent Consultations
<b>Tuesday 6th March</b>	Parent Consultations
<b>Thursday 8th March</b>	Away Football Match against Barrington School
<b>Friday 9th March</b>	PTFA School Cinema, 3pm – 5pm
<b>Monday 12th March – Friday 16th March</b>	Science Week
<b>Monday 12th March</b>	Reception and Year 6 Measuring Programme
<b>Thursday 15th March</b>	Home Football Match against Melbourn Primary
<b>Friday 23rd March</b>	Bags2School Collection <b>NEW</b>
<b>Friday 23rd March</b>	PTFA Quiz Night <b>NEW</b>
<b>Thursday 29th March</b>	Last day of Spring Term
<b>Tuesday 17th April</b>	First day of Summer Term