



Bishop William Ward C of E Primary School Newsletter

Happy, respectful, lifelong learners

'I have come so that they may have life, and have it in all its fullness' John 10:10

6th
March
2020

Dear Parents/Carers

We have had a fabulous time celebrating World Book Day today. Thank you so much for all your hard work getting the children's costumes organised.



Foundation Stage had a fabulous time on their first school trip to Colchester Zoo on Wednesday!



Calendar Corner

March

10th Fun for Families Club, 5-6.30pm
11th Drama workshops YF,1,2,3
17th Colchester Schools Music Festival,
choir
19th Friends of BWW Mothers' Day Tea,
3.30pm
19th, 20th, 23rd-25th Mothers' Day lunches
23rd Book Look, YF,3,6 2.40pm
31st Assembly at St John's Church

April

2nd Easter communion
2nd Book Look, Y1,2,4,5 2.40pm
3rd Last day of term
20th Back to school
22nd Abbeygate Wind Band performance
24th/27th Life Bus
29th Lion King performance at Littlegarth
School, Y3/4

Children in the Gold Book this week:

Foundation: Ivy

Year 1: Jack P

Year 2: Harry

Year 3: Matty

Year 4: Steven

Year 5: Kelsey

Year 6: Ruby



CLASS PHOTOS

I apologise for not letting everyone know about the class photos this Monday. Fortunately, the children did look nice and smart (as they usually do) and the photos look great. If you want to order through the school, please get the forms to the office by 20th March.

STORYTIME SERVICE

It is the regular Storytime Service at the Village Hall this Sunday, 8th March at 6pm. This is a service aimed at children aged 0-7: songs, stories, prayers and hot chocolate! All are welcome.

MOTHER'S DAY LUNCHES

Mothers (or Grandmothers, aunts or other special ladies) are invited to join children for lunch around Mother's Day. See the calendar for dates and annotate your dinner menu to choose your meal (£2.40 for adult meals).



ACHIEVEMENT CUP

Congratulations to Charlotte and Leo, winners of the Achievement Cups for February.

It was great to see many of you this week at the Parent/Teacher meetings. I hope that you found the time discussing your child's learning informative and useful. A strong partnership with parents will lead to the children making better progress. Thank you for completing the Parent Surveys – we always look through them carefully and consider the comments made to see if we can continue to improve. Here are some of the comments that gave us encouragement:

She enjoys talking about what she has learnt

The ethos of the school is practised throughout learning and play every day

School appears very well run

It's lovely to see what the children get up to (Dojo/Newsletter)

Office staff are always very helpful, supportive and caring to my child

Our boys are making great progress and are happy and excited about learning

Safety is very well monitored

Very happy

There were also suggestions such as ways to adapt the dinner menu, use Dojo and deliver the newsletter that we will be looking into in order to improve further. Thank you.

Mr Bull