

# Newsletter Spring Term Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2023



Respect, Hope, Friendship and Forgiveness.

#### Dear Parents and Carers,

The children had a great World Book Day yesterday – there were some very creative ideas for different words. Thank you for your support with this. We are now in the process of writing a whole school story using the words, which we will share with you when it is complete. Don't forget to collect your sponsors for all the hard work the children have done reading everyday this week as part of our sponsored reading event, promoted by Usborne Books. We look forward to hopefully beating last year's grand total, which was around £1000. We will be spending the money raised on new books for the children in school, which wouldn't be possible without this event. Please start to collect your money and send it into school from Monday. We hope you have also en joyed the masked reader videos on Class Do jo again this year!

En joy your weekend of reading and collecting your sponsorship money. There is a prize for the winning class as well as individual prizes.

Mr Blackburn.

#### Fundraising:

Many thanks to all the parents and carers who supported the recent PTA events by sending in donations including for the Pancake Family Breakfast, which raised £70, Story time around the campfire, which raised £70 and the Candy Floss Sale, which raised £85. All of this money has gone into School Fund to spend on the children. We will keep you posted with how we spend it.



Dates for your diaries:

Thursday 16th March Mother's Day Service

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March Red Nose Day

Friday 17th March Mother's Day Shop

Friday 31st March School closes for Easter



#### Wednesday 8th March - No PE:

Due to an event in school taking place, a reminder that all children need to come in full uniform - no PE clothes, including no hoodies. Can we take this opportunity to remind you that children should be wearing dark coloured shoes and <u>navy jumpers</u>.

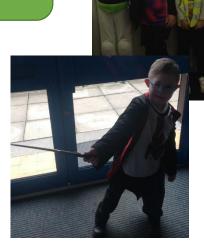
#### Mother's Day Service:

This will take place on Thursday 16th March 2023 at 9.30am in church - all welcome. The Mother's Day shop, run by our PTA, will be held on Friday 17th March 2023. More details to follow.



World Book Day 2023!





#### Red Nose Day:

On Friday 17th March it is Comic Relief, Red Nose Day. We are inviting all the children to come in red for the day but please don't go out and buy anything new! If they haven't got anything red then non-uniform is acceptable. We are asking for £1 donations for this national fundraising event.



## St John's Stars



Azlan & Abdul-
Haadi
Arban & Aryaan
<mark>Ayesha &amp; Yusuf</mark>
Lucas & Inaaya
Mason & Haniya
Amiin & Anayah



### Weekly Attendance

85.3%
91.7%
<mark>88.8%</mark>
90%
81.5%
96%