

Melbourne Infant Weekly News



Friday 22 March 2019

This week we welcomed Andra Health who delivered workshops on Nutrition and Pilates. The children were keen to get involved and enjoyed learning a new activity. A pilates club will run next term if there is enough interest - please let the office know if your child is interested in this club.

Next week will be our Mother's Day lunches with our Year 1 children. The Choir will also be singing a Mother's Day song on Friday 29 March in the Star Student Assembly at 9.05 am. All parents / carers welcome to attend.

Not too far away is our Easter Assembly and this year we are asking the children to be creative at home and make their own individual Easter Bonnet to wear.

Please come to school wearing it on Wednesday 10 April.

Also this term we are looking forward to a workshop by author and illustrator, Simon Murray who will be visiting the school to show the children how to create some fantastic illustrations and storyboards. Thank you very much to the PTA for funding this workshop.

Mrs Gibbs

Adult Education Centre Demolition

The long awaited demolition project for the old Adult Education Centre is due to take place over the Easter holidays with contractors arriving on site on the Inset day Friday 12 April. The work to complete the paths and car park will take place over the Summer Holiday. During the Summer Term the site will be fenced off and I would ask parents to ensure that children stay well away from this area.

Long Service Award

We would like to say a huge thank you to Mrs Adcock in the school office, for having served the school for the last 25 years. She will be presented with her certificate in the Easter Assembly.

PTA News

Tuesday 26 - Thursday 28 March Mother's Day Gift shop. All gifts are £3.00. Children will be taken to the shop during the day by teachers.

Other planned events include -

Easter hunt- more details to follow

17 May school disco - non uniform day

7 June Summer picnic event - this will also be an opportunity for parents and children who will be joining the school in September to come and meet existing parents and children.

13 July games stall at the Melbourne Carnival

Thank you for your continuing support.

March Dates

25 Mother's Day Lunches week - Year 1 children only

28 Key Stage 1 NSPCC Assembly

April Dates

10 9.15 am Easter Bonnet Assembly

11 School Closes for the Easter Holiday

12 INSET - Staff only

Whole School Attendance

98.43%

Target 97%

Well done to Penguin and Squirrel Classes for achieving the highest attendance this week!

Safeguarding

If you have a concern regarding child protection or safeguarding please contact:

Child Protection Officer -

Mrs C Gibbs

Deputy Child Protection Officer - Mrs V Howell

If you have any safeguarding concerns please call the following numbers -

Starting Point: 01629 533190

NSPCC Helpline:08088005000

Reading Corner

We will be holding a book swap event on Tuesday 2 April.

Children are invited to bring in any unwanted books from home.

Attached to today's email is also a selection of books for children to decide which story they want read to them. Children will need to tell their class teacher on Wednesday.

New Road Crossing Patrol Officer

We are very pleased to announce that the position for the Crossing Patrol has been filled by Mrs Cox who will take up her post after the Easter Holiday.

Red Learning Team Zebra & Penguin

Can you please check your child's clothing fits. Some children are having difficulty getting changed for PE and when it is hot.

Green Learning Team Tiger & Koala

No notices this week

Blue Learning Team Squirrel, Chipmunk & Toucan

No notices this week

For further information please see our school website

<https://www.melbourne-inf.derbyshire.sch.uk/>