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# Newsletter

Spring Term Letter 8

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## Headteacher's notes...

There has been something happening every day this week across the school. Visits to the Recycling Centre at Waterbeach, Science Assemblies, Bikeability, sports fixtures and dressing up. Thank you for your support with World Book Day yesterday. We saw some wonderful costumes and the children enjoyed telling everyone which character they were. The Assembly led by Middle Willow was very enjoyable and the children in Year 5 have done exceptionally well with their Bikeability training.

Last Friday we entered 3 teams into the Level 2 Hockey Tournament run by the Hunts School Sports Partnership. The C team came third in their tournament, the A team came fourth in their competition and this means they will represent Huntingdon in the regional play offs. The B team won their tournament and have shown the trophy to prove it. A big well done to everyone who took part and a massive thank you to all the parents for their continued support.

Well done to our footballers who took part in a tournament yesterday and thank you to all those who supported.

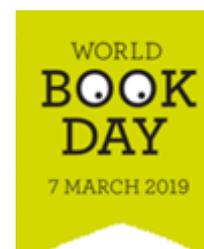
Next week visits for KS1 classes continue and Lower Beech are leading Assembly on **Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March** when parents are welcome to join us at **9.15am** in the KS1 Hall.

We have said goodbye to Ms Webster in Assembly today. We thank her for all she has done and wish her all the best.

## World Book Day

It was fantastic to see the children and staff fully embracing and enjoying World Book Day in their favourite character costumes. The school was a hive of activity as the children were busying themselves with lots of different World Book day activities.

Thank you for your support with this and for the donations of books received so far! Many of the children asked if they could still bring books in next week and of course our answer is yes. We have said that we will measure the height of each classes pile (or tower) of books next Thursday afternoon - so there is still plenty of time - and the total height of all books donated will be revealed in next Friday's Newsletter. Well done to Upper Maple who are currently leading with a 'tower' of books standing at 1.18m!



Do come along to the Book Fair this afternoon, or Monday or Tuesday next week after school.

## Middle Phase Concert

Tickets for the Year 3 and Year 4 concert will be available to book online from **7.00pm** on **Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March**. A letter with further details will be sent home on Monday.

## Year 6

There will be a meeting about this year's KS2 SATs for all parents of children in Year 6 on **Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March** at **5.30pm**.

## School Funding

A letter from the Worthless Campaign on school funding is being sent home today.



## Communication

Each morning our Caretakers, Mr Rouse and Mr Jarman, stand at the front of the school to ensure the safety of children and parents as they cross the road as well as controlling access to the car parks. It is sometimes a thankless task, especially in the wet and cold, but we all want to ensure that everyone is safe. We appreciate that the mornings can be a rush for everyone but please support them by not blocking school driveways. The cones are put in the layby when we are expecting a coach and this is to allow the children to access the coach safely whenever they are on a visit. Please do not move the cones or block the layby.

Similarly staff in the school office are usually the first point of contact for many parents when there are messages to pass on or issues to raise and the busiest time is always first thing in the morning. Please bear with us if things take a little longer than anticipated and we will always undertake to treat all dealings with parents/carers with courtesy and in a timely manner, expecting the same in return.

Thank you for your support and co-operation.

## PTA News

Hi all, our next PTA event is the Movie Night on **29<sup>th</sup> March 2019**; keep an eye on next week's newsletter for more details. If you have any suggestions for events, or want to help out then please get in touch on [bramptonpta@outlook.com](mailto:bramptonpta@outlook.com)

Thanks, PTA team

## What's On Next Week:

Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> March	Lower Maple visit to Recycling Centre Art Club Y1,2,3,4 Football Club NFL Flag Football Club – Year 5/6 Book Fair Y6 SATs meeting 5.30pm
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> March	Lower Elm visit to Recycling Centre Y6 football Gymnastics competition Amy's Acro Book Fair Middle Elm and Lower Beech Parent Consultations 3.30 – 6.00pm
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> March	Lower Beech Assembly 9.15am Handchimes (lunchtime) Y1,2,3,4 Multiskills Club
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> March	No Choir String Group (lunchtimes) Y3,4,5,6 Dodgeball Middle Elm and Lower Beech Parent Consultations 3.30 – 6.00pm
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> March	No Orchestra Y3 swimming Drama Club

## Music News

Please note that there is no orchestra on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March.