

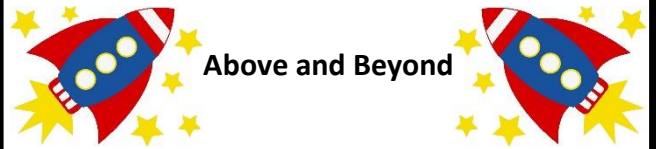


NEWSLETTER

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Upcoming Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 5th February: Safer Internet Day
Friday 8th February: PTFA Meeting – All Welcome – 9 am Oak Room
Saturday 9th February: Guildford West Scouts Craft Competition – 2:15 – 4:30pm
Wednesday 13th February: PTFA Disco
Friday 15th February: Break Up for Half Term
Monday 25th February: SCHOOL STARTS
Thursday 7th March: World Book Day
Thursday 7th March: Year 1 Sportshall Event pm
Friday 1st March: PTFA Shrapnel Day
Friday 8th March: PTFA Meeting – All Welcome – 9 am Oak Room
Friday 8th March – Thursday 14th March: Book Fair
Tuesday 12th March: Parents' Evening YR-Y3
Thursday 14th March: Parents' Evening Y4-Y6
Thursday 21st March: Year 2 Sportshall Event pm
Monday 25th March: St Peter's Easter Encounter
Thursday 28th March: Year R Sportshall Event pm
Friday 29th March: Mufti – Easter Egg Donation
Friday 29th March: PTFA Meeting – All Welcome – 9 am Oak Room



Above and Beyond

Harry in Lavender Class for the best defeating a monster story!

Gracie in Elm for great perseverance with her spellings.

Jamie-Lea in Walnut for completing an extension activity and helping others.

Well done!

From Mrs McClintock

Dear parents and carers,

I trust you all had a good weekend and were able to enjoy some of the sunshine yesterday.

Behaviour Policy

Please find enclosed a copy of our new behaviour policy. I am delighted to say that almost all of our children behaved impeccably almost all of the time. This is why we have introduced a number of rewards that children may receive; either individually or earned as a group. We had our first Celebration Assembly on Friday and it was an absolute pleasure to share the many successes with the pupils and staff. As with many aspects of child development, guidance on making the best behaviour choices are sometimes needed. Like the rewards, we have a number of sanctions in place to help remind children of good behaviour choices. Please read the policy carefully. We hope that you will find it useful when talking to your child at home about any rewards or sanctions that occur. The behaviour policy replaces any existing policy and there are no additional sanctions in place.

Thank you to the parents who have contacted me regarding some inconsistent class rules that were occurring. As part of our policy change, we have now reviewed all classroom procedures and will all be consistently following our new policy.

If you have any comments, questions or queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Janette McClintock
Headteacher

Snow Fun

It would have been silly not to make the most of the snow while it was here, wouldn't it? Cedar and Birch classes braved the cold to play in the snow and make snowmen and the other children had the opportunity to spend some time having some fun in the snow.

Everyone agreed (but possibly not for the same reason) that we had not had enough snow!

Remember to keep up to date with any weather-related announcements on the school website and on our Facebook page.




We're Going on a Bear Hunt

With the story by Michael Rosen as a stimulus, the Reception children have been on several Bear Hunts this week. Using music, they have explored various ways of moving: walking, running, skipping, crawling, shuffling and slithering.

At one point, they came to a cave, but it was cold and dark and Mrs Badger was just a tiny bit scared (of course, the intrepid children wanted to go on!) so they gave up. However, they returned later in the week and found not one, but two bears – and they weren't scary at all. (I wonder if they had gone out for a walk while their porridge cooled down...)



Congratulations to Joey, who has been awarded a Gold Athletics Certificate.

Fun for All The Family This Half Term

Guildford Borough Council has collated useful information on activities for children and young people taking place in Guildford over the February half term. Details of playschemes, arts and crafts, sports activities, family days out and much more can be found on their website:

www.guildford.gov.uk/holidayactivities

Congratulations to Willow Class, who have the highest attendance this week of **96.17%**; they will be awarded golden time. This week's **whole-school attendance** is **90.03%**. We understand there is a lot of illness and that conditions may make it difficult to get here, but we are falling well short of our whole-school target of 96%.

Lost Owners!



We have lots of very sad hats and gloves, who have carelessly lost their owners. They have sensibly made their way to the office, where they are waiting to be reunited with their owners, who



may well have cold heads and hands! If you recognise any of these items of clothing, please go the office, where Mrs Tott will be pleased to bring you back together.

Can we take another opportunity to remind everyone that all property should be named. Thank you.