# Dr Walker's C of E Primary School Newsletter

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At Dr Walker's School we develop <u>Respect</u> and <u>Responsibility</u>, <u>Build <u>Perseverance</u> and <u>Creativity</u>,</u>

Combine Christian values with <u>Courage</u> and <u>Compassion</u> for us to become successful British Citizens.

# 26<sup>th</sup>January 2018

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Attendance Ted will be in Badgers Class next week - Well Done!

Please be aware that holidays taken during term time could incur a penalty to parents by the Education Welfare Service. Please see our website for the school's Attendance Policy and a copy of the letter informing parents of the possibility of incurring a penalty by taking holidays during term time.

#### Book Sale

To celebrate World Book Day we will be having a second hand book sale so all the children get an opportunity to have a nearly new book to take home. Have you got any books you would like to donate? Please bring them to the School Office.

# **Assembly**

We all enjoyed a lovely assembly with Rev Chris on Wednesday - the focus was perseverance and it was so nice to see all the children engaged and giving great ideas.

## Lost Property

ALL lost property is now in the new lost property bin which is just inside the gate by the School Office so that you can locate any items or look with your child for lost items. This will be emptied termly.

# PLEASE NAME ALL ITEMS OF CLOTHING WORN TO SCHOOL!

#### Please Park Considerately

When dropping off or picking up your children from school, please be considerate of our neighbours and do not block their driveways. There is parking available at Fyfield Village Hall.

### Menu Change

As a trial we will be offering sandwiches as an alternative meal option to roast dinner on Wednesdays for the next 2 weeks. There will be a choice of cheese or tuna sandwiches with salad on the side for those children that do not want the roast or vegetarian option on Wednesdays only.

### Safeguarding - Keeping our children safe.

Please be aware of a new app called 'Blaze and the monster machines 2018' - it has been reported that this is an unsuitable app for young children.

# Fundraising for the school

In the past, Year 6 has chosen a charity to fundraise for. It has been decided this will continue but 10% will go to the chosen charity and the rest will go to supporting the school and making it a better place for everyone. We are currently planning a calendar of fundraising events and look forward to your support.

Until Easter the chosen charity will be Cancer research and in the Summer term, the Year 6s will choose another charity to give the Summer terms 10% to. In future years, this will happen in September. We will keep you all updated on our fundraising and how it has benefitted the school and local charities. Thank you for your continued support.

# Dates for your diary

- Celebration Assembly every Friday at 2.45pm (unless notified otherwise)
- Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February Parents evening 4.00-7.30pm
- 1<sup>st</sup> March is World Book day and we will be having some special events in school Miss Morley will be sending a letter out soon with more details.
- Friday 9th March is Crazy hair day! A suggested donation of £1 to have crazy hair in school!
- Friday 9th March Valentines lunch order your hot dinner to feel the love.

Dear Lord
Thank you for all the things we have got. Amen
Written by Olivia in Hedgehogs.

