



Weekly Newsletter – 4th February 2022

Bookopoly

At the beginning of the year, your children were given a "Bookopoly" game board consisting of various tasks relating to reading. The aim of the game is to complete every square on the board – a huge challenge! I am absolutely delighted to announce that our first successfully completed Bookopoly board has been handed in by Noah Pugh (Year 2). Noah has received a certificate during our celebration assembly and will also be the recipient of a £5 book voucher. Well done!

Will you be the next winner? Keep reading and you soon will be!

World Book Day

As I'm sure you already know, **World Book Day** is fast approaching! This year, it is taking place on **Thursday 3rd March**.

You will be delighted to hear that we are encouraging children to dress up as their favourite book character to celebrate the day if they would like to. For anyone looking for inspiration, the following website has a range of brilliant ideas for homemade costumes:

<https://www.madeformums.com/toddler-and-preschool/last-minute-easy-world-book-day-costumes/>

We look forward to seeing how creative you can be!

More details about the day itself will follow in the coming weeks.

New Management Information System

During half term we will be changing our school Management Information System database and moving to Arbor on 21 February 2022.

Whilst we will still be using Schoolcomms/Schoolgateway for some communication and payments, we will be phasing this system out moving entirely to Arbor for payments and messaging by 1 April 2022, however, payments for school meals will be changing, from Monday 21 February 2022.

More information regarding this change will be sent out on Monday 7 February 2022.

Change of Address

Please can you inform us when your contact details change, including address, telephone number and email addresses. It is imperative that we have the most up to date contact details on our records.

COVID:

If your child has been feeling unwell, please can you do a lateral flow test in the morning before they attend School. We understand that it is easier to test the night before School, however we are finding that some children are testing negative in the evening and coming to School and then testing positive on their return to home.

If your child has tested positive for Covid, you must ring and inform the school on the absence line below:

01442 406500 option 4

Before your child can return back to school the office must see 2 negative lateral flow tests on 2 consecutive days starting from the 5th and 6th days of isolation.

Awards of the Week


Sports Performer of the Week

Aidan (Year 2)

Attendance of the Week

Year 5

Stars of the Week

<i>Year 1</i>		Amina
<i>Year 2</i>		Kara
<i>Year 3</i>		Hudson
<i>Year 4</i>		Eman
<i>Year 5</i>		Nimrod
<i>Year 6</i>		Year 6