



e-news @ Leigh & Bransford Primary School

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****'A day without laughter is a day wasted' Charlie Chaplin****

Ukraine Donations – Further to our letter earlier in the week, we are still collecting for the refugees via the Malvern and Worcester Rugby Clubs. If you still wish to make a donation, we will collect it here and take them to Spring Lane or to Sixways. Please send in any donations via the school office by **FRIDAY 25th MARCH**. We ask you only donate these essential items below: • Blankets • Sleeping bags and mats • Thermos flasks • Pillows • Raincoats • New underwear for men, women and children • Toothbrushes and toothpaste • Shower gels, shampoos • Hairbrushes • Instant food • Instant milk for babies • Canned food • Energy bars • Wipes • Nappies • Torches and batteries • Bed linen • Sanitary products.

Payment 4 Schools – The system is still not working, it is the Worcestershire County Council System, we have spoken with them and they are working to resolve the regional issues. For the moment, we suggest you do not try to use the website until we get the 'all clear' thank you for your patience.

Red Nose Day – Thank you all for your efforts in dressing up in red and colourful clothing, thank you for your donations.

Parents' Evening – Thank you to all that attended, we always appreciate your input. If you need any further follow up meetings, please do contact your teachers via Dojo.

Extra Curricular Clubs – There is still space in Rugby and Sand Art if you would like your child to join. Please contact the office and we will point you in the right direction.

The Friends, Book Fair – Thank you to the Friends and to all who supported, you raised £109 towards books for the school.

NSPCC Speak Out Stay Safe – Thank you to all that contributed, we raised £115.65.

After School Club – Please remember to pre-book your children if you require a place. Now that numbers are increasing book as early as possible as often we are reaching our maximum of fifteen. Please be mindful if you cancel on the day you will still be charged (unless it is because of sickness etc)

Celebrating our Successes and Achievements

Beatrix Potter Writer of the Week Award **Work will be displayed in Reception NEXT MONDAY if you would like to see it**

Reception – Joshua: For independent writing.

Class 1 – Robert: For excellent effort writing adjectives.

Class 2 – Lainey: For trying hard to make her handwriting smaller.

Class 3 – Freya: Amazing persuasive writing.

Class 4 – Freya: A great Iron Man story using direct speech.

Class 5 – Alice: Excellent work in literacy when re-writing a passage into indirect speech.

Alan Turing Maths Award

Reception – Toby: For number work.

Class 1 – Bella: Accurate measuring all week.

Class 2 – Deri: For always trying his best in maths lessons.

Class 3 – Isabella: Excellent problem solving in our statistics lessons.

Class 4 – Dexter: Trying hard with equivalent fractions.

Class 5 – Luca: Excellent work in maths when using the compact method of multiplication.

Dr Seuss Reading Award

Class 1 – Lawson: For working hard on his phase 5 sounds.

Marie Curie Science Award

Class 1 – Isla: Fantastic knowledge of plants.

Class 5 – Skylar & Evie: For a great effort in science when designing their climate change poster.

Greta Thunberg Geography Award

Class 3 – Excellent work on the compass points.

Respectful Rhian

Reception: Aden: Kind and respectful to his classmates.

Class 2 – Lara: For always respecting others and helping children sort out their differences.

Class 6 – All of Class 6 for their respect shown towards the Supply Teacher this week.

*****Term Dates for your Diary*****

Spring term – Wednesday 5th January 2022 – Friday 8th April 2022

Spring mid-term – Friday 18th February 2022 - Tuesday 1st March 2022

Easter – Friday 8th April 2022 – Monday 25th April 2022

Summer Term – Monday 25th April 2022 – Thursday 21st July 2022

Summer mid-term – Friday 27th May 2022 – Monday 6th June 2022

*****Bank Holidays*****

Good Friday - Friday 15th April 2022

Platinum Jubilee Holiday – Friday 3rd June 2022

Easter Monday – Monday 18th April 2022

Additional Bank Holiday – Friday 22nd July 2022 (Please see

Whitsun Bank Holiday – Thursday 2nd June 2022

amended Summer Term end date)

*****TED Days 2021-2022*****

Monday 27th June 2022