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## DATES TO Remember

05.02.19 5W assembly 9.10am 06.02.19 Years 3&5 Swimming 12.02.19 1L assembly 9.10am 13.02.19 Years 3&5 Swimming 18.02.19 -22.02.19 Half Term 25.02.19 School Reopens 27.02.19 Years 3&5 Swimming 01.03.19 Year 4 Trip 04.03.19 World Book Week

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20.03.19 Years 3&5 Swimming 21.03.19 Parents Evening 21.03.19 Year 3 Trip 26.03.19 3R assembly 9.10am 27.03.19 Years 3&5 Swimming 02.04.19 RKW assembly 9.10am 08.04.19 Science Week 12.04.19 Mad Science – Dress up 15.05.19 – 26.15.19 Easter Holiday

29.05.19 20.19.19 Easter Holday 29.05.19 School Reopens 22.05.19- 24.05.19 Yr6 Kingswood Residential 27.05.19 – 31.05.19 May Half Term

New singing group for years 2 & 3.

Mrs S Simpson who comes into school to hold private voice lessons is looking to start a new vocal group for years 2 & 3, these lessons will be available for £6 per lesson and will be during the school day. If you are interested in your child taking these private lessons, please contact the school office.



Dear Parents and Carers,

What a lovely week it has been. 5C did a fantastic job on their 'Out of this World' Class Assembly. Parents and pupils all loved it. So well done to them.

We have also had our Behaviour Champion Day on Tuesday. 12 children had been selected by their teachers and classmates. We went to the Hole Farm Trekking centre at Woodgate Valley Park and had a lovely morning grooming, dressing and riding the horses. Back at school the children enjoyed lunch together and then made pizzas and played party games. The children were all fantastic and I hope they had a lovely day. There will be two more Champions chosen for spring and summer terms so there are a lot more chances for other children to take part. The 12 Autumn Term Behaviour Champions were: Lacey H, Macie-Lee M, Olivia G, Jessie-Lea S, Lucy T, Abdah M, Lily M, Jessica C, felicity R, Chelsey K, Leah S and Paighton B who was Behaviour Champion for the second time! Well done to all.

This week we have had another LLMAT visit where leadership, standards and safeguarding were all reviewed. I'm pleased to say all of the reviewed outcomes were very positive.

We will shortly be recruiting for new Parent Governors as we did not receive many applications last time. The Local Governing Body is responsible for holding the school to account for the standards of education. We hold one meeting every half term at 6.00pm on Thursday evenings and Governors also have an area of the school that they oversee. They try to come in and visit the school to talk to staff or observe our practice and feed this back to other Governors. The role does not entail a large burden of time and we are lucky that our Governing Body are a very approachable and friendly group. If you are interested then please come and have a chat with me or just complete the slip attached to the Governor application letter and return it to the office. Parent Governors are a crucial part of school life so if you are interested then please don't hesitate to contact me to discuss the role further.

I'd also like to take the chance to thank Mrs Rachael Morrison for her commitment as a Parent Governor for the last 4 years. She stood down at the last meeting as her term of office has ended and her children no longer attend the school.

Student of the Week

Lowri L, Abdallah K, Rhona B, Anna R, Amsha I, Ariah G, Lauren W, Jake W, Keely M.

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