



# Weekly Newsletter

Friday 16th January 2015

Dear Parents / Carers,

**Resolutions:** As many of us begin the new year with our own resolutions, I thought it would be the perfect opportunity to ask you to talk to your children and remind them about any new year resolutions that they may like to have, for example: making extra effort with their homework, being more polite around home and school or even doing more exercise and eating more healthily.

**6JK Assembly:** The first class assembly of the new year was based on Health Week and gave us lots of useful ideas for what to eat to be healthy. The message to eat 5-a-day came across loud and clear! Thank you 6JK.

**Headteacher Awards:** Congratulations to Alanda Cowie, Elizabeth Miguel, Keegan Judge, Connor Miller, Madison Regan and Kelvin Coghlan, who all received Headteacher Awards this week.

**Golden Tickets:** The children who have been rewarded with Golden Tickets today and have been selected to sit at the 'Top Table' next week are:

Year Group	Children
R	Ashleigh and Alan
1	Tobi and Richard
2	Mauro and Felicia
3	Caitlyn and Nathaniel
4	Mitchell and Vanessa
5	Kristian and Cameron
6	Skye and Juliya

**Young Voices:** Our school choir has an annual tradition of representing the school at the Genting Arena (formally LG Arena), in Birmingham for the Young Voices event. This year forty two children from Year 2 - Year 6 performed a number of songs that they have been practising regularly in Choir Club. There were approximately six thousand children, who took part in the event and our children were delighted to be a part of that. They all had a wonderful time and sang their hearts out!! The children, staff and parents had a fabulous day and evening but were extremely tired the next day, as it was a very late night!!

**Class Assemblies:** Please make a note of your child's class assembly detailed below and we look forward to welcoming you to share the work your child's class has been doing.

Date	Class
Friday 23rd January	2RG
Friday 30th January	3ZT
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> February	5HT
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> February	1JG
<b>HALF TERM</b>	
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> March	4KG
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> March	6SH
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> March	2CB
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> March	3PH
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	1JS
<b>EASTER BREAK</b>	
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> May	4SG
Friday 8th May	5NL

**Recycling Assembly:** On Thursday we had a visit from a Coventry recycling champion called Sarah North who led an assembly with KS1 and KS2 about recycling. This was the introduction to our Recycling Week, which begins on Monday. The children learnt what recycling means and had a brief talk on how this can happen at home and at school. We are all excited about learning more next week!

**Clubs:** We currently have spaces in the following clubs for Key Stage 2 children.

Monday: Glee Club and Street Dance Club

Tuesday: Steel Pan Club and Cheerleading Club

Wednesday and Thursday: Guitar Club

If your child is interested in joining any of these clubs, please speak to the school office or see Miss Williams, who will give you more information.

**Community Award Ceremony:** You are invited to attend the WEHM and Bell Green New Year's Honours Awards at St. Chads on Hillmorton Road on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> January at 4:30 pm. This special evening is to celebrate and recognise those who go the extra mile for the community.

Please make a note of the following dates for your diary:

- Monday 19<sup>th</sup> January - Recycling Week
- Monday 19<sup>th</sup> January - Year 3 Roman Day
- Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February - Half term
- Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February - Teacher Day
- Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> February - Children return to school
- Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March - Book Fair Arrives
- Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March - Book Week
- Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March - Last day of Book Fair
- Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April - Easter Break
- Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April - Children return to school

*Yours sincerely,  
Alasdair Black  
Headteacher*

**Letters that were sent home this week:**

14<sup>th</sup> January - Stepping Stones Club (YR - Y2)

**Attendance (for last week):**



Our school target for attendance is 96%.
Last week's attendance was 94.9%
The class with the best attendance last week was: 1JG