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Dear Parents and Children,

Science has dominated our learning this week, with experiments galore!

Attendance and ATLs for Last Week

A huge well done to the classes below for achieving high attendance last week, and to all the children in school for achieving 96.3%!

Last Week's ATL Winners		Weekly Attendance	
FS	RC	3C	98.3%
KS1	1H	4C	98.8%
LKS2	3P	6B	98.7%
UKS2	6B	Whole School	95.4%

ATL Points Cup Winners

Well done to Ruby, for the second week running, in 3P and Summer in 5T for earning the most ATL Points in LKS2 and UKS2 respectively.

Science Week



This photograph of Mrs Clamp's class really epitomises the fun and enjoyment that science week has brought this week to the children. They have been making bubbles and slime, and testing all sorts of hypotheses, which has involved buckets and rulers and so many, many things. I hope that the children have shared with you the experiments they have been doing in school this week. Many thanks to the staff for ensuring that all of the materials required, together with all of the safety equip-

-ment needed, has been ready for the children to use. A special thanks to Mrs King and Miss Brewer, who lead on science in school, for taking the lead this week regarding organisation. I am sure that this is a week that the children will not forget quickly.

Class Assemblies - 1D and 5P



Once more, these assemblies have been superb. 1D talked eloquently about their New Year's resolutions and shared the goals they had set themselves for the year, dancing to the very appropriate tune, Reach for the Stars. Meanwhile, 5P took us on a



journey around Scotland, exploring what Scotland is famous for, and they even included our very own famous Scottish ladies, Mrs McPherson and Mrs Mitchell! With a recital of a Robert Burns poem, in his original dialect, the assembly went down a storm. Very well done indeed to all of the children and the staff in both classes.

Sweets to celebrate birthdays

A decision was made some time ago to ask that sweets were not sent in on children's birthdays for the rest of the class. We had suggested, perhaps, a book bought for the school with the child's name in it which could be read by many to come. The reason was

primarily associated with children's allergies. If you could do something similar, instead of sweets, we would be most grateful.

Sport

Rowing: It has been confirmed that our Girls Rowers are officially the South Solihull Champions and will represent South Solihull at the county games later this year. Well done girls.

Football: Last Tuesday Year 3 played to Eversfield Prep in the rain. Both games were played with fantastic spirit and Oliver W, Mikey R and Oliver M worked really hard for their teams. Last Wednesday Year 6 teams played Eversfield at home and the standard of football was excellent. Ethan W, Fred D and Harry Herne were outstanding, whilst James M and Kobie B never stopped working for the team. And then, on Thursday, our boys Biathlon team finished overall 2nd. Well done indeed to Ben B, Owen P, Tom B, Jamie M, Shaun B and Max H.

Safer Internet Day

This is next Tuesday. We will be furthering children's understanding of how to use the internet safely.

Parents' Evenings

Next Monday and Tuesday! Meetings are 10 minutes long and books will be out. We will endeavour to keep to time. Please help us by booking a further meeting with your child's teacher if you think you may need longer than this. We are always keen to work in partnership with you, but the 10 minute meeting needs to be adhered to so that parents can make it to multiple meetings with different teachers!

Big Sunday Night Quiz

The Lily Mae Foundation is hosting a pub quiz on Sunday 7th February, 8pm at the White Horse. Just turn up on the night to sign up - £2 per person with a maximum of 6 people per team.

PTA Valentine's Ball

Tomorrow at Nailcote Hall. See you there.

Have a great weekend.

GT Burgess



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Nursery Zig and Zog's Stars of the Week

Miss Sargent's class - Ava & Violet

Mrs Basener & Mrs Parkin's class - Lucciano & George

Robin's Stars of the Week

Sam M-L, RC

Emily O, RK

Amelia D, RM

Jacob O, RW

Writers of the Week

Sophie C, RW

Nelson S, RK

Eleanor W, RC

Ruby W, 1R

Marcus H, 1D

Lilliana G, 1H

Josie R & Jacob M, 2B

Dillon K & Ryan B, 2K

Maths Wizards

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Henry J-B, 1D

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Erin M & Jonathon K, 2K

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Good Choice Stars of the Week

Lilly K, 1D

Oscar S, 2K

Joe D, 3C

Bowen L-A, 4J

Max H, 5T

Reah A, 6K

Ella G, 1R

James O, 2K

Laura B, 3P

Alex M, 4W

Josie C, 5P

Sarah C, 6B

Seth S, 1H

Freya C, 2B

Millie M, 3D

Mia S, 4C

Maeve D, 5B

Libby C, 6W

DIARY DATES

Monday 8 & Tuesday 9 February	Parents' Evenings
Monday 15 - Friday 19 February	HALF-TERM
Monday 22 February	BACK TO SCHOOL
Wednesday 24 February	PTA Meeting
Friday 26 February	2:45 Class Assembly 3D
Monday 29 February	9:00 School Nurse Drop In
Tuesday 1 March	Year 2 to St John's Museum, Warwick Year 4 to West Midlands Safari Park
Friday 4 March	Mothers' Day Assembly 2:45 Class Assembly 3P
Mon 7, Wed 9, Thu 10 and Fri 11 March	Scholastic Book Fair in Atrium after school.
Tuesday 8 March	M&M Theatre Productions (A Little Princess)
Wednesday 9 March	Year 5 to Brandon Marsh
Friday 11 March	Disco 9:05 Class Assembly 2B 2:45 Class Assembly 3C
Tuesday 15 March	Year 3 to Chedworth Roman Villa Year 6 to Houses of Parliament, London
Friday 18 March	Easter Bonnet Parades for Foundation & KS1
Monday 21 & Tuesday 22 March	Year 4 Production
Wednesday 23 March	TERM ENDS FOR EASTER BREAK
Monday 11 April	BACK TO SCHOOL
Wednesday 13 April	PTA Meeting
Friday 15 April	9:05 Class Assembly 2M
Friday 22 April	9:05 Class Assembly 2K 2:45 Class Assembly 4J
Friday 29 April	9:05 Class Assembly RC 2:45 Class Assembly 4W
Monday 2 May	BANK HOLIDAY

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