



Friday 1st March

Newsletter

News this week:

Nebula Reading Week: Black History: The Windrush Generation

During this week the children have been learning about the journey that the ship HMT SS Empire Windrush took to bring over one of the largest groups of post-war West Indian immigrants to the United Kingdom in 1948. They have learnt what life would have been like for an immigrant in the UK as well as discussing racism and some of the music and poetry associated with the Caribbean. The children were lucky to meet Cbeebies' Rastamouse author Michael De Souza on Thursday. He retold one of his stories to the children in the hall, with the help of our teachers. They had lots of questions they wanted to ask him, including where he gets his ideas from for his books. Michael's visit concludes our reading week celebrating Black History and the story of The Windrush.

Y5/6 Truck Safety

The children in Year 5 and 6 were visited by Justin and April from the company Tarmac on Tuesday morning. They brought along their 20 tonne truck to help demonstrate how we can all stay safe when using the road and pavements alongside large vehicles. The session started inside the classroom with an introduction to the safety features fitted to their trucks such as cameras, sensors, voice speaker systems and a range of mirrors. The children then got the chance to see these features up close and see the driver's blind spots by climbing up and sitting inside the cab. The children were given a goodie bag as they left and reminded about how to stay vigilant when walking, scooting or cycling near large vehicles.

World Thinking Day

On Monday the children at Mill Lane who belong to Cubs, Scouts or Brownies came to school in their club uniform to help celebrate World Thinking Day which takes place every year on 22nd February (Lord Robert Baden-Powell's birthday). A big thank you to one of our Y3/4 teachers, Mrs Pratt, who, as a Guide leader in her spare time, helped to spread the word about this event.

Miss Anatola, Mrs Kirton & Mrs Palmer

Diary Dates

Monday 4th March

Y5 Boys' football match AWAY at Old Catton

Tuesday 5th March

Wednesday 6th March

Y5 Boys' football match HOME against Drayton
6-7.30pm – Y3-6 Mill Lane disco

Thursday 7th March

World Book Day – children to dress up in book costume
Y5/6 Girls' football match AWAY at Woodland View

Friday 8th March

4.30-6pm – YR and 1 Holt Road disco
6-7.30pm – Y1 and 2 Holt Road disco

Monday 11th March

Y1 Multiskills at HHS
Y5 Cycle Proficiency

Tuesday 12th March

Y5 Cycle Proficiency

Wednesday 13th March

Y5 Cycle Proficiency

Thursday 14th March

Y5 Cycle Proficiency
Y5 Boys football match AWAY at Eaton

Friday 15th March

Red Nose Day – come dressed in red and bake sale

ATTENDANCE WINNERS:

Position	Class	Attendance % this week
1 st	Zog	100
2 nd	56M	100
3 rd	56J	99.58
4 th	34F	98.62
5 th	34S	98.33
6 th	White Rabbit	98.33
7 th	Cheshire Cat	97.39
8 th	Stickman	97.14
9 th	56B	95.93
10 th	Tabby McTat	95.36
11 th	34P	93.87



Club Noticeboard		
All clubs run until 4pm at Holt Road and 4.20pm at Mill Lane		
Day	Holt Road	Mill Lane
Monday		
Tuesday	Fitness/running Superhero school (Reception only – 12 max.) Science (Y2 only – 15 max.) Art and craft (15 max.) Science and art& craft club requires a £1 donation at the start.	Formula Goblin (starts 12 th March) Singing (last one 5 th March)
Wednesday	Dance	Homework
Thursday		Street Dance Running Sign language
Friday		

PTA News

Next PTA meeting:
Thursday 14th March
@6.45pm Mill Lane

Future PTA events

Wednesday 6th March
Mill Lane disco for Years 3-6
6-7.30pm

Friday 8th March
Holt Road discos
Years R and 1 – 4.30-6pm
Years 1 and 2 – 6-7.30pm

Friday 29th March
Easter Fayre
2.30-4pm

Friday 5th April
Non-uniform Day
£1 fee per child or £1.50 per family

Congratulations.....

Well done to the following children for being awarded a celebration certificate this week:

Week beg: 25th February 2019

Millie Stainton, Freddie Oakley, Joshua McDonald, Byron King, Jakob Fountain, Bethany Scott, Sophie Owen, Oliver Betts, Poppy Arnold, Phoebe Copperwheat, Phoebe Bentley, Ethan Bryan, Ella Green, Olivia Edridge, Sonny Mckenzie, Mylee Goodson, Jake McDonald, Chloe Boot, Liam Egmore, Max Wiseman, Lola-Mai Evans, Max Sheehy, Caitlin Potter and Charles Daniels.

Collective Worship

Our value this half term is Compassion.

In Open the Book today we heard the story about a time when Jesus was twelve years old. He had travelled with his family, as part of a large group, to the temple in Jerusalem. During the journey back home, his parents suddenly realised that he wasn't with them. They asked many people if they had seen Jesus but no one had done. In the end they decided to go back to Jerusalem. They found Jesus in the temple, talking to the teachers and asking questions. His parents were relieved that he had been found. They asked him why he had stayed there and not returned with them. He wondered why they were surprised that he was in the temple, saying, 'Didn't you know I would be in my Father's house.' There are many things we can learn from the story. One of them is that we may think that people will know our thoughts and actions but this is not always the case.



House Points

This week:	Overall:
Blickling - 251	Blickling - 45
Sandringham - 357	Sandringham - 60
Holkham - 267	Holkham - 46
Felbrigg - 340	Felbrigg - 39

