

Sutton St James CP School

Weekly Update

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Reminders:

- ◆ Wednesday 24th and Thursday 25th February—Parents Evening
- ◆ Monday 29th February—Zoolab visitors—Wrens and Swallows
- ◆ Friday 4th March—World Book Day—Mums in for the morning
- ◆ Friday 18th March—Sport Relief Day
- ◆ Monday 21st March—Planetarium Visit to school/Science Day
- ◆ Thursday 24th March—Easter Extravaganza—2pm
- ◆ Thursday 24th March—Herons sleepover at school
- ◆ Friday 15th April—Whole school Visit to Thinktank, Birmingham
- ◆ Thursday 21st April—Around the World Dance workshop
- ◆ Thursday 28th April—Ancient Greeks day for Herons
- ◆ Friday 29th April—Ancient Egyptian Day—Owls
- ◆ Monday 9th May—KS2 SATs week
- ◆ Tuesday 17th May—Dinosaur Park visit—Wrens and Swallows
- ◆ Friday 20th May—Jump Rope for Heart Day
- ◆ Monday 23rd May—Open Morning
- ◆ Friday 10th June—Sports Day and Picnic
- ◆ Saturday 18th June—Summer Fair

Term Dates 2015/16

- Term 3** Tuesday 5th January—
Friday 12th February
- Term 4** Monday 22nd February—
Thursday 24th March
- Term 5** Tuesday 12th April—Friday
27th May
- Term 6** Monday 6th June—
Thursday 21st July



500 Word Writing Competition

Last week we launched our 500 word short story competition which all children can enter by writing a short story at home. The closing date for this is the first day back after half term when we will look at the entries for each year group and choose a winner. Entries will then be sent off to the Radio 2 '500 short story competition'. If you would like any inspiration for this check out the BBC Radio 2 website. Good luck and enjoy writing!

Open Morning—9th February 2016

On Tuesday 9th February we held an Open Morning which all parents were invited to. We had several parents come in to school for the morning who all had fun in lessons with their children. Feedback from parents was very positive with some parents even commenting that they had learned something new or that they felt more confident in helping their child with the work having been in the lesson with their child.

As an added bonus the parents who were here were really excited to be able to take part in pancake races, with Mrs Barker being crowned the winner! Well done and thank you to all of the parents that took part and enjoyed the occasion.

Pizza Sale—Monday 22nd February

Don't forget that the school council will be holding a pizza sale at break time on the first Monday of term—the first day back after the holiday. Slices of pizza will cost 50p. Children will be allowed to buy one slice each and can choose from a variety of flavours including Ham and pineapple, BBQ chicken, Pepperoni, Cheese and Tomato and Vegetable.

Please remember to bring in your 50p to buy a slice of pizza and to support the school council!



Carbon Ambassadors—Action Week

The first week back the Carbon Ambassadors will be having their Action Week where they will be teaching the children more about recycling and saving energy. They will start the week with an assembly for all of the children and they will be reinstating the Eco-certificate at Celebration Assemblies. The Carbon Ambassadors aim to help the school to become more eco-friendly by encouraging children to turn off lights, recycle their rubbish and make sure heaters are not on when windows are open.

Walk on Wednesday

Next term we will be doing Walk on Wednesday to encourage the children to be healthy. All children will be encouraged to walk to school on a Wednesday to help their class to have the highest total percentage at the end of term. The children will be asked each Wednesday morning who has walked to school and the total will be recorded. Please encourage and help your child to work with their class to earn the cup at the end of term.

Appointment Interviews were held last Friday to appoint a permanent new teacher for Owls class. We have appointed Miss Francis who is an experienced teacher who is currently working at University Academy Holbeach, who is excited to be starting work with our team after the Easter holiday.

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