

February 28th

Spring Term 2020

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Important Dates

Wednesday 4th March, 3.30

Wildlife Quiz against Charlton Kings Jnr

Thursday 5th March

World Book Day

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House Singing Competition

Friday 13th March

Sport Relief

Tuesday 24th March

Class 2 Recorder Concert

Friday 27th March, 3.00pm

Second Hand Uniform Sale

Tuesday 31st March, 2pm

Easter Egg Hunt

Friday 3rd April at 1.45pm

Easter Service at St Giles' Church

Friday 3rd April at 2.30

End of Term

Monday 6th April to Friday 17th April

Easter Holidays

Tuesday 28th April, 3.15pm

Dodgeball Tournament at Birdlip

Dear parents, staff and governors

It was certainly a very cold and wet morning run today but congratulations to the six children who braved the wind and rain: certainly hope spring comes soon! Please can you ensure that children have named warm coats in school along with suitable shoes for the weather.

This week, despite the weather, we were able to have our annual house pancake races. The event, now in its 5th year, was a huge success and the children are becoming very adept in tossing pancakes whilst on the move! This year both races were won by Badgers.



Weekly Winners

Hamish: Charlotte

Leafy: Sebastian

Patch: Natalia

Percy: Cassie

Zara: Sam

We welcomed Miss Townshend this week to help Mr Wyeth in Class 3 as Teaching Assistant. Miss Townshend will be working on Tuesday and Thursday and Mrs Smith will continue to be with us on Wednesdays.

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Fundraising Total
£5283.00

School Charity
Air Ambulance

Current
Acquisitions

- New Trim Trail
- EYFS storage container
- EYFS Fencing
- Doodle Apps
- Reading books
- Internet Filter
- Outside Lights
- 12 x Tablets



Colesbourne Enterprise Day

We have received lovely feedback from some of the gardeners who attended the snow drop day at Colesbourne shortly before half term:

"We all very much enjoyed the day and the displays of the wide variety of snowdrops was magnificent. The soups were delicious. Many of us commented on how wonderful the school children were. They were polite, helpful, enthusiastic and always smiling. The couple I spoke to were really enjoying the day, and they probably learnt more life and social skills than they ever could in a classroom."

"We thought the children and their cakes were delightful, hope they made lots of money!"

"Just a note to say how much our Garden Club enjoyed the trip to your Garden today. The snowdrops were spectacular. The school children were very professional in supplying us with cake and the soups were delicious. What a lovely thing to do to raise money."

This is fantastic feedback and we are also delighted to have raised over £1200, which we will be using to purchase twelve additional Lenovo tablets.

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World Book Day, Thursday 5th March

We would be delighted if the children could dress up as a book character next Thursday for World Book Day. We would also ask that they bring in their favourite book as we would like them to share their favourite story with their friends. We are planning various activities throughout the day, including the house singing competition. As always it should be a great day!

Second Hand Uniform Sale – Friday 27th March at 3.00pm

Mrs Kerrigan has kindly offered to organise a second hand uniform sale on Friday 27th March. If you have any good quality uniform, particularly summer dresses, that your child has outgrown, please could you drop them in to the school office. Many thanks.

Coronavirus Update

We are continuing to keep abreast of developments concerning Coronavirus. The current advice that we are adhering to can be found by clicking [here](#) or by googling government advice for schools. As a school we are continuing to educate children about washing hands and hygiene. Families have been advised to self-isolate if they have been to an affected area and display symptoms including fever, shortness of breath and coughing. If you have any concerns, please let us know.




Headteacher