

## **KWPS ~ YELLOW PAGES 1ST MARCH 2019**

### **What A Busy First Week Back—lots of Congratulations and 'Thank You's!**

We have certainly hit the ground running this week with lots of events taking place and we will hopefully update the website with photos from the different events shortly!

#### **Inter-School Swimming Gala**

Huge congratulations to the children from Years 4, 5 and 6 who represented KWPS in the Swimming Gala on Tuesday. They all swam brilliantly and I am delighted to say that they won the Gala and came back clutching a Shield. We also received a phone call to say that we had won the Richard Ward Shield for posting the fastest freestyle relay time of the 16 schools involved.

#### **Archery Festival**

Well done to the Year 5 and 6 pupils who took part in the Archery Festival at Carr Hill on Tuesday afternoon. I know that they thoroughly enjoyed it and behaved impeccably. Very well done!

#### **Fairtrade**

Thank you to Ms Norris and the Fairtrade committee for a lovely afternoon on Wednesday when they spoke beautifully about the importance of Fairtrade and shared some of their Fairtrade cakes. It was lovely that so many Junior parents were able to join us and there were some very competitive games of 'Breaks and Ladders' taking place.

Thank you to everyone who has supported Fairtrade by buying Fairtrade chocolate this week.

#### **Parents' Evening**

Thank you to all the parents who attended last night's Parents' Evening ~ I know many of you enjoyed the opportunity to look at just how much work your child has already completed this year! Thank you for all your lovely feedback too ~ it really is appreciated. The next session is being held on Tuesday 5th March. Some class teachers still have a number of spare slots left. It is important that we do meet with all parents so do please contact the office if you don't yet have an appointment.

Year 2 have certainly been impressing Mrs Atkinson with their hard work and super behaviour this week and I know that she is looking forward to talking to parents at Y2's Parents Evening's which will be on Monday 1st and Tuesday 2nd April from 4pm - 7pm. A letter giving more details will be sent home in a few weeks.

### **Character Day ~ Thursday 7th March**

As mentioned in previous Yellow Pages next Thursday, as part of our World Book Day celebrations, we will once again be having a 'Character Day' when your child may come to school dressed as a book character. They will also take part in a range of book related activities throughout the day.

Your child has been given a £1 World Book Day voucher today. This can be used to buy the specially produced World Book Day books which are available in a range of bookshops from Saturday 2nd March or alternatively it can be used to subsidise the cost of other books.

### **Keeping Our Children Safe On-line**

In the light of recent headlines in the news (which children's charities have recently said is a hoax/fake news), we have reminded our Junior children of the importance of following our safer internet rules in school and at home. We have emphasised the need to report any inappropriate or distressing images to an adult immediately and the importance of not opening emails or messages from anyone that they do not know. I am sure that you will wish to reinforce this message at home.

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