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Dear Parents / Carers,

We have enjoyed another week where we have been able to work closely with parents, thank you to all that attended our second reading session. Please encourage your child to actively engage in reading activities as this is still their learning time. Teachers are on hand to support and answer any questions you may have around reading with your children at home. You may choose to take this time to read with your child, you may also bring your favourite story and read it to them or you can sit alongside your child in one of the groups and see how teachers engage pupils and ask questions about the texts they share. This is aimed to be an enjoyable and supportive time. This is not a time for parents to be chatting and catching up with each other, thank you for your support.

Thank you also to all the year 6 parents that attended the SATs meeting, we hope it has informed you of what lies ahead. We want to support all pupils to do their best, if you have any questions please speak with Mrs Martin, Mrs Fincher or myself. This week we have welcomed Mr Smith into school to coach our PE lessons on a temporary basis. Ms Williams has informed us that her operation went well and we are sure you all join us in wishing her in a speedy recovery. Please be reminded that Friday is an INSET day. Thursday 8th February is the last day of this half term. Children return to school on Monday 19th February.

Mrs E Thorn

Reminders:

- Sign up for parents consultation evening – see letter for details
- Drumming presentation Yr 2, 4 & 5 – Weds 7th 2.45pm
- No after school clubs first week back due to parent consultation meetings. Clubs resume Mon 26th Feb
- Chestnut trip to synagogue – Tues 6th

School menu:

Next week is week 3 of the menu

Tuesday 6th Feb is 'Pancake Day' at Waterman Primary School as the real Shrove Tuesday is in half term.



Best attendance this week goes to:

Willow

Acorn: 88.18% **below our target**
Chestnut: 89.58% **below our target**
Willow: 97.14%
Oak: 95% **below our target**

Whole School Attendance: 92.89%

Target: 97%

10 Lates this week : 290 minutes lost learning time

Awards this week

Star Pupils: Jacob-Jay, Noemi, Mickenzie, Bradley

Pupils on Gold: Kaiden x3, Finlee x2, Ollie x2, Leon, Angel-Rae, William, Colby, Wyatt, Leon x2, Charlie x2, Hannah, Violet, Brandon x2, Syeira, Noemi x4, Lola, Billy, Matthew L

Special Table: Harvey, Brandon, Lola, Phoenix

WoW Work: Angel-Rae, Syeira, Lola, Phoenix

Most improved: Phoenix, Kelsey
Moved up a reading level: Wyatt

Team Points

	This week	Total
Bobbin Red	52	1087
Reservoir Blue	72	1067
Magnolia Yellow	46	1064
Cherry Orchard Green	41	1111

Well done

The following children have supported the whole school attendance by being here 100% with no lates. Well done to all of you!

Acorn	Hattie, Mitchell, Angel-Rae, Finlee, Leon, Jacob-Jay, Ollie, Kaiden
Chestnut	Charlie, Emily, Tommy-Lee, Syeira, William, Violet, Noemi, Brandon, Hannah, Leon, Mason, Alfie, Katherine, Layla-May, Archie, Saoirse
Willow	Tommy, Phoebe, David, Lola, Anne-Marie, Lacey, Charity, Johnny, Billy, Takara, Aeryn, Malachy, Frankie, Kelsey-Lee, Mickenzie, Aiden, Matthew, Rowan
Oak	Libbie-Mae, Daisy, Lilly, Caiden, Matthew, Brooke-Lee, Alex, William, Oliver, Eoin, Bradley, Connor, Thomas, Archie, Lillie, Amber, Jade

Please note in order for the newsletter to be ready attendance figures are taken from Friday-Thursday

SUPERHERO CHALLENGE

Matthew L beat Thor
Malachy & Phoebe beat Batman



KS2 Members of the School Council and I were delighted to receive a generous donation of £750 from the Rochford Rotary Club. This money has been given for the purpose of purchasing non-fiction books to support the topics taught in class. In addition to this we have also been fortunate to receive a fridge freezer and a cooker for the children's cookery area. Thank you to the Rochford Rotary Club for their support and kind donations.



Willow Class
Comparing Italy to
England

February	
Friday 9 th Feb	INSET DAY
Mon 12 th – Fri 16 th Feb	HALF TERM
Mon 19 th /Tues 20 th Feb	Parent Consultation meetings
Tues 20 th Feb	Infant Music Festival – Rehearsal (Pupils only)
Friday 23 rd Feb	Chinese New year dance- Dance presentation @11.15am
Weds 28 th Feb	Acorn Bacon Butties and Books
March	
Thurs 1 st March	NSPCC Speak Out Stay Safe – assembly (Pupils only)
Thurs 7 th March @ 2.45pm	WILLOW ' Learn with your child' Shared reading – see how we do this in school, join the session.
Friday 16 th March	Willow Roman Day – details to follow
Friday 23 rd March	Sleepover (details to follow) Year 2 must attend if they wish to go to Thriftwood in the Summer Term
Thurs 29 th March	OAK ' Learn with your child' Dragons Den – Details to follow

Meal Provision Project

Food poverty is on the rise in the UK, many households or individuals are unable to regularly obtain a nutritious affordable meal. A number of local churches are working together with the community to offer a free meal to those who are unable to provide one for themselves.

Are you in need of a free meal?



Hot brunch at Hawkwell Baptist Church every Saturday from 10:00am-11.00am

❖ Rectory Road, Rochford SS4 1UG

From Wednesday 7th February 2018 come along for a hot/cold meal from 12pm- 1pm at Rochford Methodist Church

❖ 77 North Street, Rochford SS4 1AD

Wellness Wednesday !



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