



"The Splash!"

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SCHOOL NEWS

The '**Eco-Council**' is now fully formed and ready to improve our school. You can find out more about the members of our council from the fixed display board located opposite the ICT suite. At the moment we are all involved in completing an environmental audit of our school. We will let you know what we find out and then what our priorities for improving school will be.

Our **telephones** have been out of action since Friday 4th February. Thank you to those people who emailed us absences/messages. We hope that the fault is now rectified and apologize for any inconvenience.

World Maths Day takes place on Tuesday 1st March and to motivate and inspire the children there is a web site that allows children to play maths games against children from all over the world. If you would like to help your child(ren) to take part in preparing for World Maths Day please log on to: www.worldmathsday.com. You will need your own email account to receive your log on and password details, but it is quite straight forward. Have fun and I look forward to hearing about who you have played against when we return from the break!

Thursday 3rd March is **World Book Day** and Children and staff can dress up as their favourite book character and bring in their favourite books to share throughout the day. We are aware that Key Stage 1 are already dressing up the day before for the Rainbow Theatre Productions so they could wear the same outfit.

Linked in with World Book Day, we will be having a '**Caught on Camera**' challenge where children can take a photograph of people reading different media in different places. More details to follow next term, but if you want to encourage your photographers to 'catching people reading' you could start in the holidays. We will be presenting a prize for the most 'interesting photo'.

Lost – Black, Clarks' school shoes, size 11F with Eloise Grainger written inside (Birch class) and a plain pink cycle helmet.

Next week is the mid term **holiday**, and school resumes on Monday 28th February.

PTA NEWS

Could we please have some help for the **Disco** tonight? Help is needed between 4.15 – 5.45 or 5.45 – 7.15. Please be aware that only those children attending the disco can accompany a parent helper. Another date to add to your diary – children's disco Friday 20th May.

CLUBS

Gardening club starts on 1st March, if you have already given in a request slip, as it is over subscribed.

The Monday after-school **drama club**, Young Starz Academy, is giving a performance to parents on Friday 1st April at 4.30pm.

On 7th and 8th March drama and dance clubs will be in the **music room** due to the book fair being in the hall.

KITCHEN NEWS

You should have received the **new menu** this week, which takes effect after next week's holiday. If you have not had it you can download a copy from the school website following the links: our school/catering.

The jacket potato fillings are not as listed on the menu. Instead they are: beans available every day, cheese on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and tuna on Tuesday and Thursday (the same as before).

COMMUNITY NEWS

News from **The Venu**: The Venu at the community centre (the one in the car park) is open every weekday (8.30 – 10) for morning coffee (80p a cup!). Free internet access and Wi-Fi, morning papers and a great place just to meet up with friends after the school drop off.

There is also a drop in club for over 12's from 4 - 6pm every day after school with internet, tuck shop, game stations and in spring, an outdoor play area!

There is a **Parenting Class** starting on 28th February, with 10% of coaching income going to the PTA. Details can be found at: <http://tinyurl.com/forest-row-fund-for-pta>

Updated Calendar:

February

Monday	28th	School re-opens for pupils - start of Term 4
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March

Wednesday	2nd	Rainbow theatre performance KS1
		Chestnut and Rowan swimming
Thursday	3rd	World Book Day
Monday	7th	Scholastic book fair week
Wednesday	9th	PTA AGM 7.30pm
Saturday	12th	Quiz Night 7.30pm
Thursday	17th	Hazel class to Fishbourne Roman Palace
Friday	18th	Red Nose Day
Tuesday	22nd	Full Governors meeting 4pm
Monday	28th	Year 5 dress rehearsal
Tuesday	29th	Year 5 production 3.45pm
Wednesday	30th	Year 5 production 6.30pm