

Weekly newsletter 8.3.24

Headteacher's welcome

World Book Day has dominated the end of this week with some amazing costumes and a celebration of books. The children enjoyed sharing stories and guessing who they had dressed as. Thank you for your support with this.

Thank you also to the parents/carers who attended the meetings to discuss your child's progress. We will update you again in Term 6 but continue to post on dojo so you know what we are doing and, as always, get in touch if you have any queries.

Our survey has launched this week and we appreciate your views. Please do complete the parent survey [here](#).



1 - We celebrated together sharing our costumes





2 - Matching Where's Wally!

Staffing news

Mrs Minion has secured a permanent headteacher role after working as the acting headteacher at Sandhills since September. She will be brilliant! As a result, Mr Wilson will now become our permanent assistant head and will also be brilliant!

Sadly, Lisa in our nursery is leaving us shortly. She has been a great asset to the team and we know that she will do wonderfully in her new role, which is outside of schools. Chloe Rowland will join the nursery team full time and with the 2 year olds, along with Ambreen. Rizwana will provide some extra support part time.

Learning in the Early Years

Reception class have been enjoying their forest school sessions this term. They made candle holders this week, which look fabulous.



Learning in Key Stage 2



3 - Can you guess which book our Year 6's launched?

Each time we start a new text, the children have a hook lesson to engage them and hopefully ensure they are keen to read it. Year 6 are going to be reading the text *Holes* so.... they went to dig holes! I hope they can tell you the significance of this as the term progresses.

Easter egg hunt

Our PTA have organised an easter egg hunt again after last year's success. Please do join us for this fun event! It raises vital money for the school (which is going towards our new library) and is a nice way to socialise with other parents and families.



EASTER



SCAVENGER HUNT

Mon 18th March 3.30pm-4.30pm

Find all the letters hidden in the school grounds, unscramble the clue and win an Easter egg!

Worksheets: £3 per child

Refreshments and freshly baked cakes will also be available to purchase:

Tea	£1
Coffee	£1
Hot Chocolate	£2
Cakes	50p



Important dates



The 2023-24 dates can be found [here](#).

18.3.24 - PTA Easter egg hunt

25.3.24 - Electives

27.3.24 - Y3/4 production (2pm, 6.15pm)

28.3.24 - School finishes at 1.30pm