

DOJO FILM AFTERNOON

This afternoon Team Rashford enjoyed their DOJO treat! Team Rashford chose to enjoy a movie afternoon, Chicken Run 2 was the film of choice. Members of Team Rashford worked together to set up the school hall with chairs, sofas, bean bags and pillows and made it feel very cosy. School provided some sweet treats and all members had a lovely afternoon, which they very much deserved after working so hard.



EGYPTIANDAY

Year 3 took part in Egyptian Day this week. The children looked fantastic in their Egyptian outfits. Some children had put lots of effort into their costumes; making home-made masks and headdresses. The children learnt about mummification and got mucky mummifying barbie dolls. Egyptian Day wouldn't be Egyptian Day without creating hieroglyphs- Ancient Egyptian writing, which the children added to clay cartouches. The children loved digging in sand and finding out more about Ancient Egyptian life by discovering different artefacts. What a fantastic day for year 3!



AWARD WINNERS

The Headteacher Gold Awards were given to; Parmis 3B - for always trying her best. Her books are beautiful! Well done Parmis!

Betsy – **4B** – for being an outstanding example of everything we want a Banks Lane pupil to be! Thank you!

Evie 5S – for always putting smiles on the teacher's faces and brightening up the classroom with her enthusiasm and hard work! Thank you!

Scarlett 6B – for using all her Learning Powers to work hard and for being a fabulous friend! Well done Scarlett!

The Headteacher merit awards were awarded to; Eve 3B and Isaac 3S A huge well done to all of our award winners!



DOJO WINNERS

Dojo winners will be announced next week.



LEARNING POWERS JOKEOFTHE WEEK

Parents Evening slips should be making their way home with pupils. Please check your child's bag.



ATTENDANCE AWARD

FANTASTIC



This week's Winners	
1 ^{s†}	6B
2 nd	3B
3 rd	5B

IT'S YOUR BIRTHDAY!

Happy Birthday this coming week to:

> Phoebe - 4B Benjamin - 4S Grace - 5B Minnie - 5L Evie - 5S Alanah - 6L Ivy - 6L

We hope you all have a great time celebrating!



HEADLICE

We have received a number of calls from parents who have treated their child for nits/headlice, for them to come to school and be re-infected. Head lice and nits are very common in young children and their families. They do not have anything to do with dirty hair and are picked up by head-to-head contact. We request that you check your child's hair over the weekend. We recommend that children with long hair keep their hair tied back.

ATTACHMENTS

Please find attached a guide for Parents/Carers on ways to talk to your children about their feelings.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Year 6 Air Raid Shelters

6B & 6L - Monday 5th February 2024 6S - Tuesday 6th February 2024

Parents Evening

Tuesday 6th February 2024 Thursday 8th February 2024

School closes

Friday 9th February at 3:15pm.

School re-opens

Monday 19th February at 8:45am.

If you have any spare clothing/dress up that may be suitable for any of our Banks Lane events, please feel free to bring them to the office. We can display these in our reception area for children to re-use.

NSPCC

On Tuesday and Wednesday, we had representatives from the NSPCC come to talk to Year 5 and 6 about their programme 'Speak out, Stay Safe.' The children had already watched a virtual assembly that talked about different types of abuse and what they can do if they need someone to talk to.

The children then learned about Childline and what they do to support children who may be being abused.



MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT TEAM



USEFULWEBSITES

CEOPS

CEOP help young people who are concerned about on-line images and communications. <u>https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/11_13/help/CEOP/</u>

Family Lives

Family Lives is a charity with over three decades of experience helping parents to deal with the changes that are a constant part of family life. <u>http://www.familylives.org.uk/</u>

Guidance for Parents re Instagram

http://www.connectsafely.org/wp-content/uploads/instagram_guide.pdf

Kidscape

'Preventing Bullying, protecting children' https://www.kidscape.org.uk/what-we-do/

Kidsmart

http://www.kidsmart.org.uk/

Netmums

The network offers information to parents about parenting on a national level. Amongst the topics are child welfare, maternity, playgroups, child health and child safety.

http://www.netmums.com/

NSPCC NetAware

<u>https://www.net-</u> <u>aware.org.uk/?utm_source=google&utm_medium=cpc&utm_campaign=Grant_shareaware2014&utm_term=nspcc_net_aware&gclid=EAIaIQobChMI6r g9lqCa1QIV77XtChOnOw-aEAAYASAAEgIawPD_BwE&gclsrc=aw.ds</u>

Stockport SEND Local Offer

https://stockport.fsd.org.uk/kb5/stockport/fsd/localoffer.page

UK Safer Internet Centre

E-safety tips, advice and resources to help children and young people stay safe on the internet. http://www.saferinternet.org.uk/