Thomas Fairchild News

MONDAY 11TH MARCH

Headteacher's Message

We have had a challenging start to our term and all of us are still processing the tragic news we recently received. I want to thank everyone in the school community for coming together to support each other during this difficult time. We will be in touch about our next steps as a community as we move forwards.

The children have really impressed us with their resilience this term and their enthusiasm for their new topics. We are all historians at TF this term and the children have wowed us with their knowledge about Greeks, Anglo Saxons and the Great Fire of London! If you haven't yet completed your home learning projects, we look forward to seeing them.

Spring 2 Key Dates

- 13th March: Science Day
- 15th March: Red Nose Day & Cake Sale
- 15th March: Year 5
 PE Come Learn
 With Me
- Monday 18th March: Year 3 trip to British Museum
- Tuesday 19th
 March: Year 6 trip
 to St Pauls



World Book Day

News and Celebrations

World Book Day: On 1st March the school dressed up as their favourite book characters. Each class explored a poet and wrote a poem in the style of their poet. The highlight of the day was when class teachers swapped around to read to another class.

Reception cake and lemonade sale: Our Reception children were busy last week baking cakes and making lemonade to raise money for Water Aid. Thank you to all the parents and carers who came to join our event at the end of the day on Friday.

Our PGL Adventure

Our PGL team enjoyed a brilliant week away at beautiful Osmington Bay last week. The centre is located on the Jurassic coastline a stone's throw from Weymouth and Portland. The children have enjoyed a variety of exciting activities including Archery, Orienteering, Fencing, a Sensory Trail, Zipwire and Climbing to name a few. Evening activities were also a huge hit with our campfire sing-along and Thursdays beloved PGL disco! What dance moves! A huge thank you to Ms Farley and Ms Bradbury for encouraging the children to embrace every hill climb and abseiling height with enthusiasm and a smile! We will be uploading all our photos to our fabulous website for families to enjoy!





After School Activities

- Multi sports (Monday -Thursday)
- Creative arts (Tuesday)
- Cricket (Wednesday)
- Tag rugby (Thursday)
- Competitive coaching (Friday)

PEN LICENCE WINNERS!

A huge congratulations to John and Ayan for recently being awarded their Pen Licences! We are very proud of you both.



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