

# Newsletter



16th March 2018

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Dear Parents /Carers,

Special thanks goes to Mrs Gougeon this week for the amazing Exhibition at East Lodge and Art Club. It was the official opening of our art exhibition at East Lodge Gallery in Jephson Gardens last Saturday. It was an absolute privilege to be a part of the event and to see our children's work displayed so professionally in the gallery.

Many thanks to all the Art Club participants, parents who attended, the Mayors of Whitnash and Leamington, Cherry Williams and, of course, Mrs Gougeon and East Lodge.

The Year 6 pupils have started BikeRight today. This is cycling proficiency to help children learn to be safe on the roads. This fabulous provision is free to children and we thank BikeRight for the opportunity. This will be rolled out to Year 5 in the Summer Term.

This week we have been without Mr Johnson. We are hoping he has enjoyed his week, putting his feet up! I want to thank our cleaners, Miss and Mrs Harrington for being a great support and fulfilling gate duties and supporting Breakfast Club in his absence.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend,

Mrs Ellison, Headteacher

### Attendance 5-9 March 2018



\* Demi \*

#### This Week's Achievements

#### Holly - Grace & Oliver

For amazing story telling and collaboration. You were both very confident and listened to each other. You have both also worked really hard in your phonics this week and amazed us with your blending of new words. Well done, keep it up.

#### Hazel - Alaya

Working really hard to write character descriptions based on the story of Little Red Riding Hood.

#### **Hawthorn - Caitlin**

For trying really hard with her phonics and spelling.

#### Pine - Harley

Harley is a fantastic member of Pine class. He is very caring and always looks after others when they are upset. Well done Harley!

#### **Maple - Violet**

For improvement in presentation throughout the year.

#### Juniper - Demi

For trying really hard with her reading. Demi has been reading a lot more in school and is whizzing through the books. Keep it up Demi!

#### Ash - Esin

For a positive, mature attitude to school, working hard at all times.

#### Oak - Caitlin

For superb resilience shown in year 6; amazing independent persuasive writing! Well done!

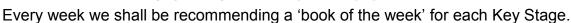
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For a fabulous start to year 6. Well done!

| 11    | 22              | 33     | 44              | 77       | 88              |
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| Corey | Toby<br>Caitlin | Archie | Harry<br>Summer | Stefanos | Rose<br>Harsukh |



### **Book of The Week**







## K\$1 - Mr Magnolia

Mr Magnolia has many things, such as an old trumpet that goes

rooty-toot, some very fat owls learning to hoot, a big purple dinosaur who's a magnificent brute, two sisters who play the flute, and even a swimming pool. But, he still only has one boot. Then one day a mysterious parcel arrives...



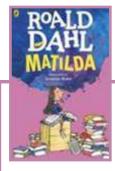
The Book Bus is at Whitnash Primary on

#### Monday 19th March 2018

There will be a timetable set up for each class to go and have a look/purchase books.

Alternatively books can be purchased after school.





### KS2 - Matilda

Matilda is not yet five years old, and already she is a very unusual child.
Teaching herself to read, she works her way through

all the books in the children's library and then gets started on the adult section, to the amazement of the librarian. Her narrow-minded parents don't notice that they have a genius in their midst - but is soon becomes clear that underestimating Matilda is a big mistake.

2018 is the Year of Engineering

#### **FREE Day Out**

Engineering Day 10am—4pm

School of Engineering, University of Warwick, University Road, Coventry, CV4
7AL

https://warwick.ac.uk/fac/sci/eng/ year\_of\_engineering

There will be stands, activities, lab tours, competitions: bridge building, tunnelling and biomedical engineering, not to mention engine disassembly (and reassembly!)



Warwick Racing team race simulator will be on display.

Sinclair C5 will be there - fancy a go?

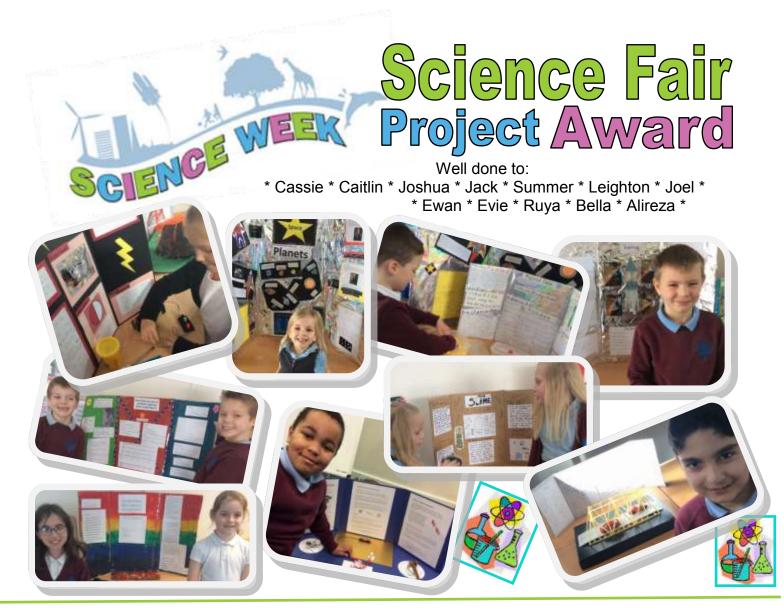


# Uniform \*\*Special Offer\*\*

**FLEECE JACKETS** 

Now **£6** or **2** for **£10** 

Limited sizes available!



# We've made an exhibition of ourselves ...

Last Saturday pupils from or Art Club were involved in a very special occasion. It was the official opening of our art exhibition at East Lodge Gallery in Jephson Gardens. Over 100 people were there including the Mayors of Whitnash and Leamington, along with Lynne Gougeon, Cherry Williams and lets of proud parents. The

Williams and lots of proud parents. The exhibition looks beautiful and everyone was extremely impressed with the high standard of work produced by all the children. After a speech from both Mayors and Mrs Ellison the children were awarded achievement certificates by the Mayor of Whitnash Cllr Tony Heath.

There is work on display from all years in the

school, not only the
Art Club so you
may spot some of
yours on show. It has been

described as a very happy and colourful exhibition and is well worth a visit. Open until Easter Sunday.





| What's on         |           |              |   |  |  |  |
|-------------------|-----------|--------------|---|--|--|--|
| March 2018        |           |              |   |  |  |  |
| 7 Mar-            | 1 Apr     | 10.00-4.00pm | Art Exhibition East Lodge Gallery in Jephson Gardens    |  |  |  |
| 19                | Tuesday   | All Day      | Book Bus at school                                      |  |  |  |
| 20                | Tuesday   | 9.10-10.10   | Holly Stay and Play                                     |  |  |  |
| 22                | Thursday  | 4.40-6.30pm  | Easter Disco—Children MUST be accompanies by an adult   |  |  |  |
| 23                | Friday    | Day          | Sports Relief –dress in sports kit for £1 donation      |  |  |  |
| 27                | Tuesday   | ТВА          | 10 Science winners to Warwick University                |  |  |  |
| 22                | Thursday  | 4.30-6.00pm  | School Disco  |  |  |  |
| 29                | Thursday  | Afternoon    | Egg Hunt  |  |  |  |
| 29                | Thursday  | 3.15pm       | Break up for Easter Holidays                            |  |  |  |
| April 2018        |           |              |   |  |  |  |
| 16                | Monday    | 8.55am       | Pupils back at school - Summer Term 1                   |  |  |  |
| 18                | Wednesday | ТВА          | Bingo Night   |  |  |  |
| 26                | Thursday  | ТВА          | Movie Night   |  |  |  |
| May 2018          |           |              |   |  |  |  |
| 4                 | Thursday  | ТВА          | Bingo Night   |  |  |  |
| 18                | Friday    | DAY          | Royal Wedding Celebration—Regal Dress Code/Street Party |  |  |  |
| 28 May-01Jun Week |           | Week         | Half Term   |  |  |  |
| June 2018         |           |              |   |  |  |  |
| 4                 | Monday    | ТВА          | Bingo Night   |  |  |  |
| 14                | Thursday  | ТВА          | Family Quiz Night                                       |  |  |  |
| 15                | Friday    | DAY          | Dress down day—Summer Fete donations                    |  |  |  |
| 22                | Friday    | ТВА          | Summer Fete   |  |  |  |
| July 2018         |           |              |   |  |  |  |
| 5                 | Thursday  | TBA          | Bingo Night   |  |  |  |
| 12                | Thursday  | ТВА          | Movie Night   |  |  |  |
| 13                | Friday    | DAY          | World Cup Day   |  |  |  |
| 19                | Thursday  | ТВА          | Year 6 Leaver Event                                     |  |  |  |

### Lunch Menu 19 March 2018

Monday
Organic Beef Grill
in a Bun
(v) Salmon Pasta
Bake
Jacket Potato
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Homemade
Chocolate
Cracknell

Tuesday
Bacon Medallion
and Port Sausage
(v) Cheesy Pasta
Jacket Potato

Iced Srtrawberry
Bun

Wednesday
Roast Chicken
Joint
(v) Vegetable
Curry
Jacket Potato
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Homemade
Frosted Chocolate
Sponge

Thursday
Spaghetti
Bolognaise
(v) Cheese &
Tomato Pizza
Jacket Potato
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Pancake with
Banana Chunks

Friday
Battered Fish
Fillett
(v) Pasta with
broccoli and
Sweetcorn
Jacket Potato
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Homemade
Melting Moment

Biscuit Ice Cream Tub

Jacket Potato: each day choose a filling from: Cheese, Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese and Beans