

Churchdown Parton Manor Schools' Federation

Newsletter: 15th March 2019

Good afternoon

Well, I think it's important to alert you to the news that Goldilocks is on the loose and Red and Green classes are doing all they can to catch the blonde culprit for her indiscretions. Apparently, she has stolen porridge bowls, has misplaced a trainer and can be seen in an all-in-one tracksuit. If you have any information pertaining to Goldilocks' whereabouts, please don't hesitate to speak to Mrs Tilley or Ms Parfitt.

Staffing update

After 11 years of committed, professional service, we say farewell to Mrs Clare Davies at the end of March. Her unparalleled passion for the job will be greatly missed and her role in the Infant team and more recently the Federation will always be appreciated. In her place, Mrs Sally-Ann Davies will start in Red Class after the Easter holidays.

We wish Mrs Davies the very best in her new ventures and we all hope that she will come back as a volunteer from time to time.

Book Fair

Thank you so much for your time at this year's book fair. I can happily say that you spent £1100 on books! This means that the school is credited with £700 of the total income to spend on books. This is a fabulous achievement and as soon as we've decided what to purchase, we will inform you. Thank you all again for your contributions.

Class Assemblies

Well done to both Avon and Chelt classes for their lovely assemblies. I was particularly impressed with Chelt's recital of the 4X table and with Avon's fascinating facts about Victorian school life. I'll look forward to Purple Class' assembly next Friday 22nd at 9:05am; it'll be good to see you there.

Online Safety

This week, the Y5 and Y6 children had the local Police Community Support Officer in to talk online safety. Officer Iwaszco and his colleague presented a number of guidance tips for the children about staying safe online. The children were thoroughly engaged and certainly gained a lot from the sessions.

Red Nose Day

It was great to see so many of you in red today and we are pleased to announce that the Federation raised £280!

Reminders

Bags 2 School

Bags will be coming home today for the Bags 2 School collection. The bags need to be in school by 9.00 am on Friday 22nd March. Many thanks for your support.

Attendance

Mrs Angel and Mrs Walsh have sent out attendance progress slips for those who have opted for the authorised holiday week. We will inform you again during May, so you are fully apprised of your child's attendance.

Important

Parking Signs

Thank you to all the parents who have commented on the signs outside and more importantly, many thanks for being patient and respectful of what they say. However, and surprisingly, I've still noticed people parking in between the signs and even to a point observed a parent picking up one of the signs and moving it so they could park. Please can we continue to respect the signs, as they are there for the children's safety and access to the school.

NEWS

Sports Champion

Feron Sayers, budding long jump Olympian has had a wonderful time with the Federation over the past few days; you may have even seen some Dojos of what the children have been doing. I can't thank you enough for your sponsorship as I'm pleased to say that you have raised over £2300 in total. This will be split between school and 'Sports for Champions' which sponsors unfunded

Upcoming Events

19.3.19	Parents' Evening 3:30-6:00pm
21.3.19	Parents' Evening 4:00-7:00pm
22.3.19	Purple Class Assembly – 9:05am
27.3.19	Quadkids Athletics – Y2/3/4
29.3.19	Blue Class Assembly – 9:05am
1.4.19	Y5 Performance – 1:45pm
2.4.19	Y5 Performance – 5.00pm
3.4.19	Infant Gem Assembly – 9:05am
4.4.19	Junior Gem Assembly – 9:05am
5.4.19	INSFT DAY – no school for nuns

Dates for your diary – Spring Term 2019

I will inform you of any additional dates or changes as soon as I can by highlighting on the table below using ***

15.3.19	Avon Class Assembly – 9:05am KS2 SEND Pentathlon Challenge
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27.3.19	Quadkids athletics for some Y2, Y3 & Y4
29.3.19	Blue Class Assembly – 9:05am
1.4.19	Y5 Performance for parents – 1:45pm
2.4.19	Y5 Performance for parents – 5:00pm*** (change of time)
3.4.19	Infant School Gem Assembly – invited parents – 9:05am
4.4.19	Junior School Gem Assembly – invited parents – 9:05am End of Spring Term 4 – normal finish times
5.4.19	INSET DAY – children not at school
23.4.19	Back to school
23.4.19	***Infant School Class Photographs***