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Newsletter

Week commencing 11th February 2019

Chad Article

Last week, We were in The Chad! Details below.....

Sutton Road School's Finland trip one step closer after grant

Pupils at Sutton Road Primary School and Nursery are one step closer to an exciting trip to Finland, thanks to a generous grant from Mansfield Educational Foundation. A small group of fifteen children will head to the town of Vastersundoms Skola on the exchange trip of a lifetime, along with parents and teachers. The long running exchange has been ongoing for 15 years, and Nicola Davies, headteacher, says it is becoming increasingly difficult to fund the project.

Mrs Davies said: "It's a phenomenal experience for the children, and Finland is somewhere you don't usually visit on holiday. The climate and culture are really unique, and seeing the pupils experience of what Finland has to offer is amazing. We play on the ice, visit Finnish families, go on trips to Helsinki and a chocolate factory, and just drench children in their way of life. The lessons taught in Finnish school are different than here - woodworking for example is taught from an early age. It's a wonderful experience."

"We have received a grant for £1500 to subsidise the trip, as some children would never have this opportunity without it. The children and parents come back with so many memories - when children are all grown up they often tell me how great the experience was! The families we are visiting in Finland, will then be coming to Mansfield in March. Mansfield Educational Foundation have kindly agreed to provide us with a grant towards the costs, which has made the trip more accessible to some of our families."



Shop for Schools

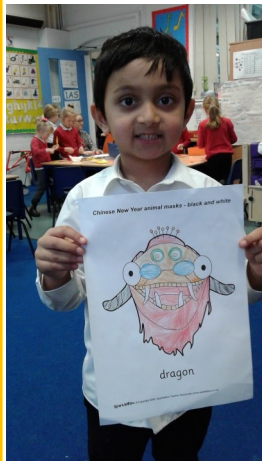
Don't forget that Shop for Schools started on Saturday 2nd February!

Please remember to collect your points in the Four season shopping Centre.

Sports Fact of the Week

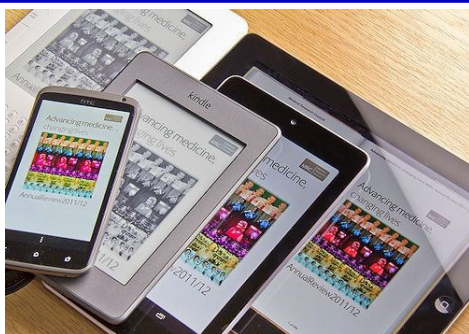
Taking part in sport has numerous mental health benefits. Exercise can battle feelings of anxiety and depression, sharpen your focus, and improve self-esteem.

On Saturday, **Isabel Westwood** represented school in the county finals. She did amazingly and came 2nd, meaning she will be travelling to Loughborough to represent Sutton Road in the English Schools Final.



Chinese New Year

Year 1 learnt about the Chinese New Year on Tuesday 5th February. They listened to the story about how the Jade Emperor held a race to decide the order of the animals so he could name the years after them. They learnt that they were born in the year of the dragon or the year of the snake. They made a moving dragon or coloured masks so they could retell the story.



Reading Mornings!

These are the themes for our Wednesday morning reading club:

This Week - Electronic books - 13/2/2019.

Parents Evening

Parents evenings have been provisionally booked for:

Whole School — Monday 11th March and Wednesday 13th March.

Then Year 2 on Wednesday 13th and Thursday 14th March

MONDAY

Quorn dippers in a tortilla wrap, jacket wedges

Milk Egg Gluten

TUESDAY

Venison burger in a bun, jacket wedges

Soya Milk Egg Gluten

VEGETARIAN OPTION AVAILABLE

WEDNESDAY

Hot dog in a roll, potato noisette

Soya Milk Egg Gluten

VEGETARIAN OPTION AVAILABLE

THURSDAY

Roast gammon, Yorkshire pudding, gravy, mashed & roast potatoes

Gluten Egg Milk

VEGETARIAN OPTION AVAILABLE

FRIDAY

MSC breaded fish, ovenchips

Fish Gluten

VEGETARIAN OPTION AVAILABLE

OR



Pasta Neapolitan, garlic slice

Milk Gluten

OR



Jacket potato & cheese or baked beans or tuna & mixed salad

Milk Egg Fish

OR



Mediterranean chicken pasta, garlic slice

Gluten Milk

VEGETARIAN OPTION AVAILABLE

OR



Quorn roast, Yorkshire pudding, roast & mashed potatoes

Gluten Egg Milk

OR



Jacket potato & cheese or baked beans or tuna & mixed salad

Milk Egg Fish

DESSERT

Honey & oatmeal cookie & milkshake

Gluten Milk

DESSERT

Butterscotch tart

Gluten Milk

DESSERT

Cherry shortcake & custard

Milk Gluten Egg

DESSERT

Cheese crackers & apple wedge

Milk Gluten

DESSERT

Apricot slice & custard

Milk Gluten

**Library Visits**

Classes will be visiting the library on the following dates

Tuesday 5th March - 5HB

Friday 8th March - 5AR

Monday 11th March - 4EP

Tuesday 12th March - 3AB

Monday 18th March - 4LB

Tuesday 19th March - 3AD

Please remember to let your child have their Library card and any books that need returning to the library.

Important dates for your diary

Thursday 14th February 2019	-	Olympic Athlete in school
Monday 18th February 2019	-	First Day of February half term holidays
Monday 25th February 2019	-	First Day back at school
Saturday 2nd March 2019	-	Shop for School ends
Monday 11th March 2019	-	4EP Library Visit
Monday 11th March 2019	-	Parents Evening
Tuesday 12th March 2019	-	3AB Library Visit
Wednesday 13th March 2019	-	Parents Evening
Wednesday 13th March 2019	-	Year 2 Parents Evening
Thursday 14th March 2019	-	Year 2 Parents Evening
Monday 18th March 2019	-	4LB Library Visit
Monday 8th April 2019	-	First Day of Easter Holidays
Tuesday 23rd April 2019	-	First Day Back at school
Monday 22nd April 2019	-	Bank Holiday - School closed
Thursday 2nd May 2019	-	School Closed - Polling Day
Thursday 3rd May 2019	-	Quiddich
Monday 6th May 2019	-	Bank Holiday—School closed
Monday 27th May 2019	-	First Day of May Half Term Holidays
Monday 3rd June 2019	-	First Day back at school
Monday 17th June to Thursday 20th June 2019	-	Bamburgh Residential



Athletics Competition

On Wednesday, we took 9 children to an athletics competition. They all did fantastically, winning 3 events (1 lap-relay, the balancer and javelin).



Year 3 Chinese New Year

In Year 3, we learnt the story of the Chinese new year and looked at the Chinese Zodiac. After, we created happy new year letters using the Chinese alphabet and made red envelopes for them to be delivered in.

Finally, we decorated a Chinese dragon or lantern and labelled them in Chinese.

