

Pott Shrigley Church School

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Heads Up

Dear parents

This week sees the end of a term where everyone has worked really hard and we are all ready for a rest. Let's hope that the weather improves for our week off.....

Your children have probably been given homework by their teacher so, if you can, please help them to do it, even if that is just a suggestion that they do actually do it. The battle does not particularly get easier as they get older (14 year old daughter at home!) but we are trying to encourage engagement, independence and to foster a good work ethic. Please read as many books as you can. Or recipes or instructions if that is what they enjoy. I know that online games are not everyone's favourite way for their children to learn but they love it and sometimes that is the most important thing. So don't forget Spelling Shed <u>EdShed</u> and TT Rockstars <u>Times Tables Rock Stars: Play (ttrockstars.com</u>) are there to improve their basic skills.

We're now using Read Write Inc. to support Phonics teaching in school – to support this at home parents can create a free account and access a number of resources. <u>https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/home/reading-site/find-a-book/library-page?view=image&series=Read+Write+Inc</u>.

Huge thanks you to Andy & Jane Langdon who raised just under £170 for the school at the weekend via a quiz night at The Poachers! This money will help fund activities that are not covered by our limited budget but really benefit the children. Some of this money will be spent on wellbeing books for a new library section following the initiative of the wellbeing ambassadors.

Sadly, we didn't have any winners in the recent Tunnicliffe Art Competition that we entered but there were over 900 entries. A selection of the artworks will be on display at Macclesfield Library from today until the end of February. There will also be an online gallery uploaded over the next few days so keep an eye on: https://macclesfieldmuseums.co.uk/tunnicliffe120

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Just to highlight two items from the Diary Dates for the first week back:

- Wednesday 2nd March Years 3-6 trip to see the Halle Orchestra at Bridgwater Hall in Manchester
- Thursday 3rd March is World book Day we will be hosting a book swap this year so please bring in any suitable books to exchange

I hope that you all have a restful week and look forward to seeing you after half term.

Kind regards

Joanne Bromley

Head Teacher

If you, your child or anyone in your family does not feel well then please do not come to school, stay at home and do a lateral flow test. If it is positive, please report it to school and follow the latest guidance on isolation.

Diary Dates:

Sunday 20th February Monday 28th February Tuesday 1st March Wednesday 2nd March Thursday 3rd March

Friday 4th March

- Family Service at St. Christopher's
- School Reopens
- Dentist Visit for 5 Year Olds
- Years 3-6 Visit to see the Halle Orchestra
- World Book Day Book Exchange Kickstart After School Club
- Forest School

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