



Dear Parents,

Cross Country County Finals

Congratulations to Isla who represented Melton and the Vale in the county cross country finals at Prestwold Hall last weekend. She did amazingly well, coming 23rd out of 106 runners, with the Melton and Vale Year 3 girls coming 2nd overall. Well done! I was very proud to see you do so well, Isla. (Look out for the photos in the Melton Times).

Music Success

Well done to Olivia who was the proud recipient of a huge silver trophy, having come first in her violin class at the recent Colsterworth Festival. Brilliant; we're all very proud of you!

News from Classrooms

Class 1: This week Class 1 have been learning the days of the week. They have also been looking at the 'Hungry Caterpillar' story sequence, linking it with days of the week and retelling the story of 'Dora's Chicks'.

Class 2: This week Class 2 have been reading and writing their own version of 'Beauty and the Beast'. They loved listening to the sound track of the new film. They also enjoyed writing about what it is like to be of Hindu faith.

Class 3: This week Class 3 have been writing emotive accounts of the crucifixion of Jesus. They also continued their preparation for the Easter service.

Maths Next Week:

Class 1: Addition and subtraction/finding the difference

Class 2: Easter maths problems

Class 3: Maths investigations

Easter Service

Our Easter Service will take place on Friday 7th April at 9.15am, in the school hall. We look forward to seeing you at this special event. If you able to bring along some cakes to share, please let us know by Wednesday; all donations will be very gratefully received.

SPAG Workshop

There will be a repeat of the SPAG workshop for parents at Waltham-on-the-Wolds Primary School on Wednesday 5th April at 6pm. Redmile parents are invited to attend if they missed the original workshop at Redmile. Those that attended were very glad they did, so please do try to get there.

Special Menu

There will be a special Easter menu on Thursday 6th April, the menu for which is on the reverse of the newsletter (available at the usual cost of £2.20 for children Y3-6). Orders on Monday please.

Kingswood Briefing

The final briefing for the Kingswood residential trip is on Wednesday 5th April, 6pm, for parents and children. The parental medical consent forms were sent home last week. Please complete and bring these with you on the night or return to the school office.

Please note that final payments are due in on Monday 3rd April. Thank you.

School Emails

We are pleased to report that the school email system is now operating as normal.

Easter Sports Camp

Mr Wing will be running his sports camp again this Easter, on Tuesday 11th and Wednesday 12th April, 9.30am-12.30pm. Leaflets are in bags today.

Proposed Football Friendly

Mr Wing is in the process of arranging a football friendly against Waltham Primary on Friday 28th April, 3.00-4.15pm here at Redmile. It will be open to all children in Y3-6 with Y3/4 and Y5/6 teams. Please discuss this with your child as we will be asking the children next week who would be interested in taking part, so teams can be sorted. Thank you.

St Peter & St Paul, Barkestone

Easter Messy Church & Easter egg hunt
Sunday 2nd April at 10.30am
All welcome.

Letters going home this week:

Swimming payment reminder (named letters)
Andy Wing Easter sports camp
Primary basketball competition (named letters)

Have a lovely weekend!

Yours sincerely,

Mrs J. V. Hopkins
Head teacher