



FEDERATION NEWS



Monday 25th March 2019

Executive Headteacher: John Maxwell

Heads of School: Carol Wallis and Mike Walton

Message from the Executive Headteacher:

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are so proud to have raised £432.94 for Comic Relief as a federation. Thank you all for your valuable donations, it is wonderful to see our community pulling together to do something to help other people.

We try to instil positive values in all our students and hope that we, as parents, teachers and staff, work together to act as positive role models. Please can we remember to lead by example in our words and actions and show respect for others - we have had a report of smoke being blown in to the face of a family on the way to school, for example, which is not pleasant for anyone.

Finally, we are looking forward to welcoming as many of you as possible to join our group of volunteers, new and existing, at the Stafford Junior School Parent Helpers Coffee Morning on Friday 5 April. As well as an opportunity for us all to get to know each other better, we aim to build our community links from the inside out and work towards schools of which we can all be proud. Please see the attached flyer for more information.



John Maxwell

YEAR 6 BOOK GROUP MEET AUTHOR

The Year 6 Book Group, who are reading the shortlisted books for the East Sussex Children's Book Award, were lucky to attend a talk given by Ally Sherrick, author of 'The Buried Crown,' at Eastbourne Public Library recently. We are very proud to say that a number of our children contributed to the discussion with interesting ideas and questions, representing Stafford very well, and showing that they picked up helpful tips for their creative writing. Everyone found the afternoon enjoyable and informative - and we are all looking forward to attending the final event in the summer term when the winning author will be announced. Thank you to Mr. Walton for transporting us in the minibus.



MATHS WORKSHOP

This week, Year 1 parents had the opportunity to take part in a Maths workshop led by Mrs Woolley, Mrs Forward and the Year 1 team. The event was well attended and all parents/carers and children joined in enthusiastically (especially Mrs Wallis). They learnt how resources help to underpin their children's understanding of mathematics, strategies and methods to use for each mathematical operation, did jottings and even danced to the ten times table!



Please remember that spaces are available for the **FREE Advanced Maths4Parents** course at East Sussex College starting on 25 April 2019.

To book, email: community.info@sussexdowns.ac.uk

SUPERTATO!

During book week we had a visit from the author and illustrator of Supertato. EYFS have been reading the books and their learning has been focused around this for the week. The children have made their own Supertatos and used these to re-tell the story or



develop their own storytelling ideas. They came in to find the vegetables in different places around the school including some that had been frozen by the Evil Pea! The children used their science skills to find ways to melt the ice to free the vegetable. They had to estimate how many potatoes were locked in jar to set them free. Children have been writing their own stories of the adventure off Supertato and the Evil Pea!!!

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CELEBRATIONS

Reading Raffle Winners

Winners at Roselands: Sienna (Sealions), Ashleigh (Parrots) and Tyler (Panthers).

Winners at Stafford: Dylan G (3 Rowan), Harrison (4 Ash) and Lilian (6 Alder)

Attendance Challenge for week ending 15 March

Congratulations to **Panthers** at Roselands for **98.3%** and **4 Chestnut** at Stafford for **99.7% attendance**.

Thank you for your continued support with Attendance.

Golden Table at Roselands

Fahad (Dolphins), Jeremiah (Sealions), Benjamin (Whales), Nikol (Flamingos), Isaiah (Parrots), Sofia (Penguins), Blake (Leopards), Louie (Panthers) and Kaiden (Tigers).

Golden Book at Roselands

Olivia, Elijah, Pippa, Kian (Sealions); Alexi-Mae, Poppy, Delilah, Cody, Corey (Whales); Nikol (Flamingos); Maya (Parrots); Thomas, Ivy, Daria, Evie, Ava-Marie, Amy-May (Penguins); Dexter, Isla O, Axel, Samuel, Isla B, Benjamin, Bailey-Marie, Ruben, Harry (Leopards); Delilah, Sienna, Bebe (Panthers); Tom, David, Emilia, Peggy, Harrison, Myla, Cara, Amelie, Marley (Tigers).

Behaviour Champions

Toby (Dolphins), Pippa (Sealions), Mila (Whales), Hugo (Flamingos), Ethan (Parrots); Disney (Penguins), Dolly (Leopards), Bebe (Panthers), Aya (Tigers), Connie (3 Birch), Amy (3 Elm), Charlie (3 Rowan), Lola (4 Ash), Emily (4 Chestnut), Oliver (4 Poplar), Daisy (5 Acacia), Sienna (5 Maple), Gaby (5 Oak), Nelson (6 Alder), Olivia (6 Cedar), Alex (6 Larch) and Melody (6 Sycamore).

Pen Licence

Awarded to Harley S, Cashel K and Oscar B in Leopards for neat and joined up handwriting

Mathletics Gold Certificate—Awarded to Teodor D in 6 Alder

This Week's Stars of the Week

★	Foundation	★	★	Year 1	★	★	Year 2	★			
	Dolphins – Jasmine Sealions – Olivia Whales – Raven			Flamingos – Nathan Parrots – Elsie Penguins – Shola			Leopards – Harry C Panthers – Emmie Tigers – David				
★	Year 3	★	★	Year 4	★	★	Year 5	★	★	Year 6	★
	3 Birch – 3 Elm – Daniel 3 Rowan – Athena			4 Ash – Jessica 4 Chestnut – Phoebe 4 Poplar – Lexie			5 Acacia – Eva 5 Maple – Demi 5 Oak – Ava			6 Alder - Kimberlie & Luke 6 Cedar - 6 Larch - Sofia 6 Sycamore - Andrew	

Roselands Team Points - Week Beginning 18 March 2019

Red - 124

Yellow - 109

Blue - 129

Green - 104

Stafford Team Points - Week Beginning 18 March 2019

Red - 164

Yellow - 187

Blue - 240

Green - 204

Starting April 6th 2019

Princes Park, Channel View Road, Eastbourne BN22 7LL, Saturday 9:30-10:30am

East-Born Ballers

Age's 4-5 starting April 2019

Contact Vinny 0749493252

The Big Pedal is a local initiative encouraging children to walk, cycle or scoot to school. Many schools in East Sussex are involved and both Roselands and Stafford have signed up. On Friday 5 April we would like to encourage as many children as possible to walk, cycle or scoot to school. As you arrive to school that day there will be teachers recording how you have travelled to school. All the schools that have entered will be competing against each other to win prizes. So get your walking shoes, bikes or scooters out!



FORTHCOMING EVENTS

26 March	Blue & White Day (Stafford)
26-28 March	Roselands PTFA Mother's Day Gift Shop
27 March	Year 1 Sports Festival
29 March	Federation Mufti Day
30 March	Roselands PTFA Easter Fair
4 April	Year 3/4 Unihoc Tournament
4 April	Year 2 SATS Meetings at Roselands
5 April	Stafford Parent Helpers Coffee Morning
5 April	The Big Pedal Event



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