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FEDERATION NEWS



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Monday 4th 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 really excited about I Love Reading week, which launches today. Please do make some time to visit our Book Fairs. The book fair at Stafford will be open in the library at the end of each school day today, tomorrow and Wednesday, while at Roselands it will be open before and after school in the Year 2 area.

Can I also politely remind you not to speak to other children if there has been an issue in school. This can be very distressing for a child, and usually makes the situation far worse for everyone involved. The best course of action is to speak to the class teacher, as they will most often be able to reassure you that the problem was dealt with appropriately. If you wish to discuss the matter further, you can also speak to Mrs Forward, Mrs Harrison and Mrs Page, who are Heads of Year at Roselands or to Mrs Lloyd at Stafford. Mr Haddock, Mrs Wallis, Mr Walton or I would also be happy to speak to you if there are still questions or concerns



John Maxwell

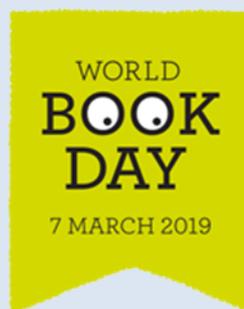


KEY DATES FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

We are celebrating *I love Reading Week* with a series of stimulating activities, including:

- ◆ 6th & 8th March - **Book Swap** - bring in up to 5 books to swap for new ones
- ◆ 5th & 6th March (Stafford) - **Reading Breakfasts**—Please arrive at 8.00am in the Hall
- ◆ 7th & 8th March (Roselands) - **Reading Breakfasts**—Please arrive at 8.00am
- ◆ 7th March - **WORLD BOOK DAY** - Please come dressed as your favourite character
- ◆ 11th March - **Storey Teller Parent Workshop**—join us at 3.30pm for fun and stories!
- ◆ **Travelling Books**—we are hosting a book fair from Travelling Books, which is available until Thursday 7th March
- ◆ **Shared Reading** - we are excited to mix up different year groups this week. Year 2 will be visiting Stafford to read with Year 5 pupils. Year 4 are looking forward to read with Year 6 and Year 3 will be heading back to Roselands to read with EYFS pupils.

We hope to see as many of you as possible at our Reading Breakfasts and look forward to your creative costumes on World Book Day!



Bags of help from **TESCO**

As part of our drive to improve and encourage reading, Roselands Infant School has been selected as one of the local community projects for Tesco Bag of Help Scheme. This means that, from now, you will be able to support and raise money for Roselands simply by shopping at Tesco! Using the blue tokens given to you at the checkout you can vote for Roselands to be awarded a grant ranging from £1000 - £5000.

One recent project included: "A new 'book bus' for Robert Kett Primary School in Norfolk. Bags of Help funding paid for a double decker bus, now parked in the school's playground, which has been transformed into a library for the pupils to enjoy".

It would be amazing if we could achieve a similar goal and make our reading environment more creative and inspiring for the children! Please help support us and vote today in all Tesco Stores in East Sussex!

Eastbourne Foodbank

This week, we have met with a representative from the Eastbourne Foodbank who has told us all about the good work that is done around the area. If you are interested in volunteering for the Foodbank or would like more information about how they can help you, please ask at the office for further information, or collect the appropriate flyer from the school office.

We are hoping to get a Foodbank collection basket in school, so if you would like to send items in with your child regularly, please keep an eye on the newsletter and we will let you know when it arrives!

Access to Foodbanks

Foodbanks are becoming increasingly important to some members of our community. We are able to issue foodbank vouchers to families in need. This is a totally confidential process, and only Mrs Wallis or Mrs Lloyd would know which parents or carers have requested this support.



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CELEBRATIONS

Reading Raffle Winners

Winners at Roselands: Holly (Sealions), Luis (Parrots) and Max (Panthers).

Winners at Stafford: Rowan (3 Birch), Ben (4 Ash), Winnie (5 Maple) and Mia (6 Alder)

Attendance Challenge for week ending 11 February

Congratulations to Penguins at Roselands for **98%** and **3 Rowan** at Stafford for **99.7%**. **Great job Rowan!**

Thank you for your continued support with Attendance.

Golden Table at Roselands

Mickie-Leigh (Dolphins), Harry (Sealions), Keira (Whales), Ethan (Flamingos), Hope (Parrots), Ronnie (Penguins), Jayda (Leopards), Joshua (Panthers), Elijah (Tigers).

Golden Book at Roselands

Elissia, Jade, Neve (Dolphins); Samuel, Rory, Faith (Sealions); Elizabeth (Parrots); Olly, Darcie (Penguins); Evie, Oscar, Dylan (Leopards); Gabriel, Rowan, Leanna, Phoebe, Bebe, Sebastian (Panthers); Paddy (x2), Thomas, Sophie, Marley, Peggy (x) Aya, Amelie (Tigers).

Behaviour Champions

Elissia (Dolphins), Billy (Sealions), Cleo (Whales), Ellie (Flamingos), Yuxuan (Parrots); Teddy (Penguins), Harry (Leopards), Sebastian (Panthers), Myla (Tigers), Ollie (3 Birch), Olivia (3 Elm), Edie (3 Rowan), Isobel (4 Ash), Jacob (4 Chestnut), Edward (4 Poplar), Olivia S (5 Acacia), Finn (5 Maple), Tiffany (5 Oak), Olivia (6 Alder), Zachary (6 Cedar), Thomas (6 Larch), Taylor (6 Sycamore), Harry (Starlands)

Pen Licence

Awarded to Phoebe and Isobel in Leopards for neat and joined-up handwriting.

This Week's Star of the Week



Foundation

Dolphins – Jade
Sealions – Maisie
Whales – Poppy



Year 1

Flamingos – Max
Parrots – Ethan
Penguins – Joseph



Year 2

Leopards – Oscar
Panthers – Leanna
Tigers – Marley



Year 3

3 Birch – Joshua W
3 Elm – Maddison L
3 Rowan – Isabelle T



Year 4

4 Ash – Abigail T
4 Chestnut – Trixie F
4 Poplar – Lexie Y



Year 5

5 Acacia – Lucy P
5 Maple – Harry M
5 Oak – Victor P-R



Year 6

6 Alder – Angela B
6 Cedar – Rosie O
6 Larch – Elizabeth R
6 Sycamore – Eden B



Roselands Team Points - Week Beginning 25 February 2019

Red - 215

Yellow - 239

Blue - 277

Green - 208

Stafford Team Points - Week Beginning 25 February 2019

Red - 188

Yellow - 235

Blue - 194

Green - 210

Sky Dive Challenge!



Kay Cooper at Roselands is bravely completing a Tandem Sky Dive on 4th May 2019 to raise money for St. Wilfrid's Hospice. If anyone would like to contribute in support of Ms Cooper, please visit: www.justgiving.com and search for **Kay Cooper** (with the above photo)

Recycle with Michael!



Look out this week for a letter from Roselands to Recycle with Michael! We are asking you to dig out those old clothes taking up space in your wardrobe, sort out the outgrown shoes, and fill the bags that we're going to be sending home with the children this week.

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