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Dear parents,

22<sup>nd</sup> March 2016

### **Book Week**

I am sure you will agree it was lovely to see the children share their enthusiasm for book week in Family Assembly. The visits to and from the Story Museum were very popular and lots of the children enjoyed sharing their favourite books. Some classes even spent the week making their own picture books. Thank you for all your support for Book Aid on Friday; we raised £87.

### **IMPs Trip**

The year 6 children visited the John Radcliffe Hospital this morning to take part in the Injury Minimisation Program. The course teaches children how to reduce the risk of injury to themselves and also basic first aid, including how to carry out CPR, use an AED (defibrillator) and place someone in the recovery position. Noah said it was interesting and good to have the chance to try using an AED.

### **Easter Service and cake sale**

You are all welcome to attend the Easter Service which takes place on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March at 2.30pm in the hall. It will be followed by a cake sale and Easter egg tombola organised by the PTA. Any donations of eggs and cakes will be appreciated.

### **Can you guess what Mrs Marshall's Kenning is?**

Skill-builder  
Example-giver  
Competitive-racer  
Problem-solver  
Question-asker  
Home-helper  
Challenge-creator  
Fun-sharer  
Brain-strengthener  
Practice-provider

**Don't forget to log on over the half term!**

**Login details are in your reading diaries.**

*(Parents information booklet is on our website)*



Why not try writing your own Kenning for us to guess.

### **End of term**

I hope you have an enjoyable break over Easter and do not eat too much chocolate!  
Please remember school finishes at **1.30pm** on Thursday and does not reopen until Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> April.

### **All Stars**

Please see below the following dates for this year's Summer play scheme. We would like to take this opportunity to apologize for the late release of this information. We thought that we had announced the dates back in January 2016.

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> July - Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> July 2016

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> August - Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> August 2016

Booking information will follow shortly.

From the Nursery Team

### **Spring Term dates for your diary:**

Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March

Easter Service 2.30pm

Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March

**School Closes at 1.30pm**

Easter Holidays

25<sup>th</sup> March – 8<sup>th</sup> April

Summer Term:

**INSET**

**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> April**

School Reopens

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> April

**Key Stage 2 SATs Tests**

**9<sup>th</sup> May – 13<sup>th</sup> May**

**Key Stage 1 SATs Tests**

**23<sup>rd</sup> May – 27<sup>th</sup> May**

Half Term

30<sup>th</sup> May – 3<sup>rd</sup> June

School Closes

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July

The term dates for 2016/17 are on the school website.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Emma Coleman  
Head Teacher