





Weekly Newsletter

Friday 3rd March 2023

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Dear Parents/Carers,

What an exciting week we've had here in school!

We celebrated Book Week, which is one of our most favourite weeks in the school calendar. Reading for pleasure is one of the most enjoyable things to do and of course, being able to read, unlocks the world around you. This week, children have started their two week 'Readathon' and participated in a Reading Safari, a Character Quiz, an online 'Meet the Author' session and of course, Character Dress Up Day.



We saw some great costumes this year, including 'The Highway Rat' and 'The Queen of Hearts'.

This week, our School Council visited the Mayor's Chambers at Woolwich Town Hall. As you know, Cllr Leo Fletcher has visited Alderwood a couple of times this year and was keen to repay the favour by inviting the children to meet him. They participated in a question and answer session in the Council Chambers and then joined him for refreshments in his parlour. Such a great experience!



Maple Class absolutely raised the roof this week with their Class Assembly! Such a great take on the text Beowulf!

This week, the children in Oak Class found out which secondary school they will be attending from September. What an exciting time! Congratulations to you Year 6! If, unfortunately, your child didn't get the school that they wanted, please do seek support from our team here.

We understand that industrial action is never easy to manage and we thank you for your support yesterday. Please note that the NEU are planning industrial action for both 15th and 16th March. Please do secure childcare ahead of these dates.

Finally, road safety is an incredibly important issue and we urge you to not stop and allow your children to jump out of the car by our KS2 gate. We are seeing this quite regularly and it is incredibly dangerous.

Also, please do not allow your child to ride their bike or scooter in between parents at the beginning and end of the day. This is to keep pre-school children and toddlers safe from a collision.

Have a lovely weekend and don't forget to collect your free WBD book with your voucher.

Mrs Cutajar

Dates for your Diary

Thursday 9th March - SEND Parent Drop in at 9.15am

Thursday 9th March - Year 3 & 4 Trip to Royal Festival Hall for Composition Challenge

Friday 17th March - Red Nose Day
Wear red day

Thursday 23rd - 30th March Book Fair

Friday 31st March APA Easter Egg Hunt

Monday 27th - 31st March Year 6 Residential Trip

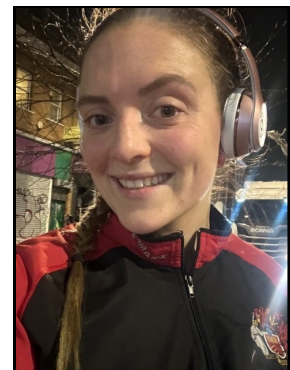
Friday 31st March - Spring Concert

Friday 31st March - Last day of Term
Easter Holidays

Monday 17th April - All Children return to school

Monday 24th April - Summer Term after school Sports Clubs start

Spotlight on Shayler



Look out for Miss Shayler on her training route!

Total distance so far: **184km**
Number of Weeks to go: **7**