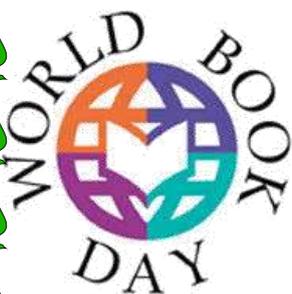


# Newsletter

22nd February 2019.

Dear Everyone,

In the school grounds our crocuses have begun to show themselves as they spell out TFL in our school grounds. TFL stands for 'Thanks for Life' and reminds us of our involvement some years ago with the Rotary Club and their campaign to eradicate polio from the world. We are looking forward to welcoming the Rotary club into school once again in March to talk to us about their Shelter Box appeal. Hopefully we will be able to assist them once again.



## World Book Day

World Book Day takes place on **March 7<sup>th</sup>**. This year we are spending the day in school focussing on the works of Ted Hughes, who was the Poet Laureate from 1984 to 1998.

The day will begin with an assembly about Ted Hughes. Children will use information from this and some of his works as stimuli for activities in class. The last session of the day will see children engaging in the ever popular book share. Children are therefore invited to bring a favourite story book into school to share with others at this time.

## World Book Day Menu Change

Mrs Binns will be cooking a World Book Day menu on 7<sup>th</sup> March. The menu will be:



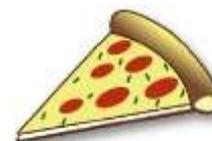
BBQ Chicken Pizza o Roasted Red Pepper Pizza o Margherita pizza

Served with

Peas and Sweetcorn

Followed by

Pancakes with Honey or Chocolate Sauce



If you would like your child to share in the menu change please send in £2.30 in a named envelope for children in Year 3 and upwards.

## Parent Partnership

The next meeting of the parent partnership will be on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March at 2pm. This is an additional meeting to discuss the organisation and management of our summer event. Everyone is very welcome to come along.

We look forward to seeing you there!



## Comic Relief Red Nose Day

As comic relief day falls within our science week we have no plans to celebrate it formally in school. However, we are aware that some children will want to wear their red noses to school. If your child wishes to wear their red nose to school on March 15<sup>th</sup> they are welcome to do so for a donation to the comic relief charity. Donations for the charity should be given to Mrs Mitchell in the school office.

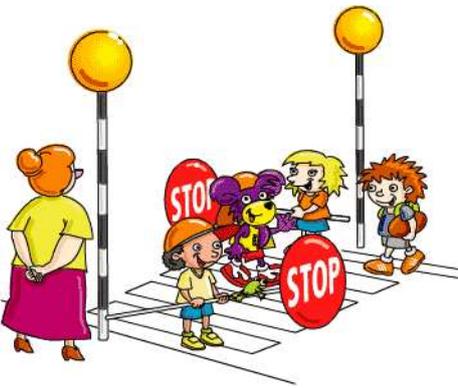
### Sharing Assembly



Our next sharing assembly takes place on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March when Willows class will be sharing some of their work. The assembly will begin at 09.15am.

### Half Term Holiday

School closes for the half term holiday at 3.15pm on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> February and re-opens on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March at 08.45am.



### Pedestrian Training for Willows Class

On Monday 4<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> March Y3 children from Willows class will be accessing Pedestrian training. The training, which will take place during the afternoon, will support children in developing their awareness of danger when around roads. As the weather may still be wintry we recommend that children come to school with clothing that will keep them warm and dry should the training go ahead. If you have not yet returned the permission slip for your child to access the training, please do so by the morning of Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March.

### Stockton on the Forest Primary School Science Week 2019

We are getting very excited about our science week which will be taking place during the week of the 11<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup> March in school.

This year the theme, in line with National science week is 'Journeys' and we are looking forward to enjoying a range of activities and experiences that have been planned for the children.



This year in school our competition is for children to create a poster based on a journey they may have taken or know about. Our Science week booklet will be coming out after half term containing further details.

### Next Newsletter

Our next newsletter will be on March 15<sup>th</sup>.

Wishing you all a wonderful half term break from us all at Stockton on the Forest Primary school.