

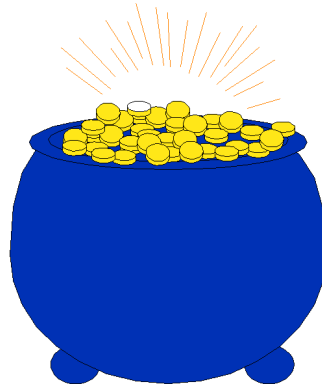
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## **WEEKLY NEWSLETTER**

Dear Parents

It's the end of another busy week and half-term is approaching quickly. This week, the children have focused on what outstanding, exemplary behaviour looks like. As part of this we have talked about ways in which we greet people and how we respond to adults and our friends in and around school. Many of you will have heard your children talk about the symbols we use to help the children recognise their behaviour and where it lies on our scale of expectations. The very best behaviour is symbolised by a rainbow. As part of our Behaviour for Learning Policy we have introduced a "pot of gold" that sits at the end of our rainbow symbol to recognise consistent, outstanding behaviour in our school. Examples of consistent outstanding behaviour might be demonstrating our Christian core values by consistently being polite and courteous, listening and responding appropriately in our school environment, etc. When children reach this pot of gold, a note will be brought home to celebrate this wonderful achievement.



### **Parents' Forum**

It was great to see a good number of parents at the Parents' Forum on Wednesday. It was an opportunity to ask questions, raise concerns and also to be able to acknowledge what is going really well. Thank you to everyone who sent in questions to be raised at the meeting. Minutes will be sent out soon to keep everyone up to date. We are hoping to have these opportunities to meet once a term.

### **Mrs Kettle**

I am pleased to let the parents of Foxes class, and the school community know, that Mrs Kibbler will be teaching the class full-time when Mrs Kettle goes on maternity leave in the near future. I will let you know when this will happen nearer the time so that the children will know what to expect.

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## **Mrs Jones**

Sadly, Mrs Jones will be leaving our school after 17 years at half-term. She is a very loved and respected member of our staff who will be greatly missed. I am sure that you will all join me in wishing her well for the future. We are currently putting arrangements in place to replace Deborah's work. One of her roles is a midday supervisor – please see the advert below for this post.

## **Midday Supervisor Vacancy**

We are looking to appoint a midday supervisor with effect from after half-term, subject to DBS clearance. Training will be provided. The hours required are from 11.55am to 1.10pm every day during term time except on training days. If you are interested, please come and have a chat with me.

I hope you will all have a super weekend and look forward to seeing you again on Monday morning.

Best wishes  
Gillian Morris

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## Dates Box:

Tues, 6 Feb	2.30pm	Fox Class Assembly + "Stay & Share" in the hall
Wed, 7 Feb	2.30pm	Badger Class Assembly + "Stay & Share" in the hall
Date TBC	After school	PTA event – Pancake Day
Fri, 9 Feb	3.00pm	End of half-term – school finishes at normal time, ie, 3.00pm
w/c Mon, 12 Feb to Fri, 16 Feb	Half-term	
Mon, 19 Feb	8.30am	First day of 2nd ½ of Spring Term
w/c Mon, 26 Feb	Book Week	
Fri, 2 Mar	Mufti day – children to come to school dressed as a book character	
Mon, 5 Mar	3.30pm	Parents' Evening
Thurs, 8 Mar	4.30pm	Parents' Evening
Fri, 9 Mar	2.30pm	Mother's Day Assembly in the hall – all welcome
Mon, 19 Mar	TBC	Farnham Festival – further details to follow
Fri, 23 Mar	Comic Relief Day – further details to follow	
Sun, 25 Mar	PTA event – Bunny Fun Run – further details to follow	
Thurs, 29 Mar	9.00am	Easter Service – further details to follow
	2.00pm	School closes for the Easter break
Mon, 16 Apr	8.30am	First day of the Summer Term