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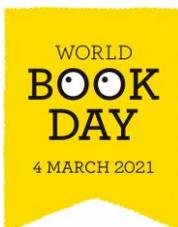
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Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you are all well and your roofs and fences haven't been too badly affected by the storm. Unfortunately, we have suffered damage to our shelter and gazebo roofs, and our lovely tree in the garden has been uprooted, breaking the wooden benches in two. We are in the process of having the tree cut up and removed.

2022 Challenge

Thank you to those of you who have brought in your 2022 sponsor money. Please bring in any remaining money to the school office in a named envelope as soon as possible. There have been some interesting challenges – one pupil has had 22 cold showers in a row, another has made 22 cakes and another has nearly finished reading 22 books. Some children have told me that they tried to stay silent for 22 minutes, but didn't quite make it! Some others have told me that they managed to do 22 jobs over a weekend. If your child hasn't completed a 2022 challenge yet, there is always this weekend! Any donations would be extremely gratefully received as we have 2 more new interactive whiteboards left to buy and lots and lots of ipads!



World Book Day

Don't worry – we don't want your child to dress up for World Book Day next Thursday 3rd March! However, we will be doing lots of activities during the day to promote the love of reading. If any parents are able to email the school office with your name, your favourite book as a child and why you loved it, that would be fantastic. We would like to put up a display of parents' and staff members' favourite childhood books so we can compare them to the children's, so the more the merrier! FoBPS will also be doing a book sale after school so pop

along and replenish your bookshelf!!

The Queen's Platinum Jubilee

As you know, there will be 2 bank holidays during the June half term (2nd and 3rd June) with the main national celebrations taking place on Saturday 4th June. The school will then be closed on Monday 6th June for an extra day's holiday.

We are in the process of planning lots of exciting activities for w/b 23rd May, culminating in a party on the field for pupils and parents on Friday 27th May (details to follow.) In the meantime, please start looking for a smooth stone that your child can bring in during that week to paint. The stone should be about the size of an adult palm (or bigger) and we are planning for the children to paint Jubilee designs on them in school and line the garden paths with them. If you have lots of stones, please bring them in during w/b 23rd May, as this will really help.



Certificates

Finally, we would like to update our achievement board in school with more recent certificates from our talented children. If your child has a recent certificate from an outside club / music or dance exam, etc, please send it in. We will photocopy it, return the original and display the photocopy so we can all be proud of our children!

Many thanks for your support.



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