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LOVE

Language of the month:

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Dear Parents,

Sythwood got a taste of rural life this week when our Reception classes were lucky enough to be visited by "Miller's Ark", a children's farm. The animal activity was part of their IPC topic "Do Cows Drink Milk?" and the lucky children got the chance to get close to goats, sheep, chickens and a donkey. By the way, the answer to the question is: Yes, cows do drink milk (or at least the calves do!)

As part of their IPC topic 'Active Planets', Year 4 went to the Natural History Museum on Wednesday. They had a great time and really enjoyed the earthquake simulator which gave them the opportunity to experience what these scary forces of nature feel like in a safe environment.

Cypress class taught us all about the physics of rollercoasters in their highly informative assembly this morning. This term the children have been learning about fairgrounds and they talked about gravity, energy, friction and acceleration. I was then left feeling a little queasy when they shared their Big Dipper designs for a 'Sythwood Theme Park'.

We wish our Year 5 & 6 girl's football team good luck today for their away match at St Hugh of Lincoln Primary School. I am sure they will do brilliantly!

Some of you may have taken the opportunity to join us for our Year 5 Handball tournament this afternoon. I continue to be amazed by the great sporting talent and enthusiasm that our children show for such a wide range of different physical activities. I look forward to an Olympic summer of more sporting successes at Sythwood.

Please remember that Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March is World Book Day! Children are encouraged to come to school dressed as their favourite literary character. This is not a mufti day so children who do not wish to dress up must come to school in their uniform.

*Sue Tresilian*

Mrs S Tresilian  
Headteacher

#### FORTHCOMING DIARY DATES

3<sup>rd</sup> March World Book Day  
4<sup>th</sup> March Cedar Class Assembly  
14<sup>th</sup> March Year 6 Junior Citizenship  
16<sup>th</sup> March Reception Bedtime Stories  
17<sup>th</sup> March Year 2 Trip to Marwell Zoo

18<sup>th</sup> March Year 5 Legoland Trip  
18<sup>th</sup> March Earth Hour  
18<sup>th</sup> March Sports Relief Day  
21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> March Parents' Evenings



# Newsletter — 26th February 2016

## Healthy Lunch Box

Are you struggling with what to put into your child's lunchbox?

If you would like some advice on creating a healthy, nutritious lunch box please contact Michelle our Home School Link Worker.



### School Website/Facebook



Have you seen our new and updated website? You can find us at:  
[www.sythwood.surrey.sch.uk](http://www.sythwood.surrey.sch.uk)

We add all our latest news as it happens. We also add new events to the calendar on a regular basis. Don't forget to have a look.

Please also take a look at our Facebook page at

### The Real Sythwood Primary School



Please remember to collect the Sainsbury's Active Kids vouchers when you are doing your shopping. You can drop them in the special box located at the main office. These can make a real difference to the children's school sports activities.



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