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Dear Parents,

This week got off to a roaring start with our Activity Clubs beginning. I do hope your child got the clubs they wanted and are enjoying whatever they do. We are delighted to be able to offer these to you free of charge and we know what a help it can be to working parents. NS Sport has created some 'Invitation Only' clubs and some paid clubs which they hope will allow everyone, who wishes, to participate. The Invitation Only clubs will be rotated each term, so most will get offered a free football club.

Our Reception Bedtime Stories was very well attended on Tuesday. Their topic this term is 'Will you read me a story?' - all about fairy tales so they enjoyed hearing stories and singing some songs while enjoying milk and biscuits. As ever we met some favourite teddy bears!

Also on Tuesday, twelve children from Years 3 and 4 had the opportunity to spend the day with author Matt Whyman at Westfield School. During the day they brainstormed ideas and wrote their own story about a burglar and the police. They thoroughly enjoyed the experience and came back with lots of fantastic ideas and inspiration!

Year 6 have had a fantastic time this week learning about different systems in the human body as part of their IPC unit on Being Human. They have learnt about how the respiratory system brings oxygen into the body and gets rid of carbon dioxide - they got to model the different organs that make up this system using play dough. On Wednesday, they learnt about how the body processes food and drink in the digestive system and helped their teachers in a demonstration of how we digest food - the end product, of course, being poo. This has to have been one of the most disgusting but amazing lessons they have ever had in their lives! Ask your children what they can remember about how the different systems work.

Please note that all gates to the school will not be open until 3.10pm in the afternoon. If you need access to the school office, please come through the main gate. If you find the main gate open before 3.10pm, we would be grateful if you could wait outside the gate, rather than making your way into the grounds and outside the classroom before lessons have ended. It is still learning time until 3.15pm and some children are getting distracted by their parents being outside the classroom before the end of the learning day.

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Forthcoming Diary Dates

3 rd Feb	Holly CA	4 th Feb	Music Challenge Saturday Yr 2
10 th Feb	Break up for Half Term	20 th Feb	Back to school
1 st Mar	Sythwood Pancake Day	3 rd Mar	World Book Day & Aspen CA
6 th Mar	Science Week	17 th Mar	Maple CA



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Class Attendance Award

Congratulations

Ash, Beech & Sycamore

classes who all tied for first place!
So THREE classes get to wear mufti next Friday! :

Quote of the Week...

When asked what the best thing
had been this week,
a Year 1 pupil said,
**"the learning,
I really love maths!"**
We can't ask for better praise :)

PE News with NS Sport

All year groups have been practising
Gymnastics movements recently. The
children have been learning about gym
shapes, balances,
different ways to travel and how to
jump and land safely from a small
height.

Excellent work guys!



Match Report

The Year 6 football team struggled against a
very organised Knaphill, eventually losing 6-0.
Sythwood showed guts and gave it a good go
to get back into the game second half,
but just couldn't find the back of the net.

