



What's been happening?

A Visit from the Police

On Wednesday, PCSO Libby Screechly came into school to lead an assembly informing the children about her role within the community. She spoke of the different tasks she carries out and some of her recent experiences. Libby also spoke of the role of the police when dealing with issues around inappropriate use of **social media**. She talked to the children about the importance of thinking very carefully when using instant messenger apps and necessity of not befriending strangers online.



The children had the opportunity to ask lots of questions. Thank you to Libby for giving up her time to come into school. We will see her again in June when she will be leading a workshop for the pupils in Oak class about 'Crime and Consequences'.

Year 6 Easter Store

Year 6 have started their fundraising for their end of year trip to London to watch the west end production of Matilda. On Wednesday after school, Olly, Josh P, Calum, Alfie TM, Finn, Daisy and Bethany set up a stall in the playground and sold Easter treats, drinks, plants and craft. It was very popular and the children raised £228.70. A great start to the project! Look out for other up-coming events including drench the teacher, sponsored silence and more stalls in the playground.



Redfield Edge vs St Anne's

On Monday, our school football team were in action against local rivals St Anne's. Despite many chances from Redfield Edge the final score was 1-3. It was a great effort from our Y5 and Y6 pupils and we now look forward to the next match, details to follow.

Congratulations

Well done to Zak (Year 5) who has been selected for the next round of the national competition run by Radio 2. All of the pupils in Maple class entered a 500 word story on a subject of their choice. There were a total of 131,798 entries and Zak has been chosen for the top 5,000. We will find out if he makes it through to the top 50 in May so fingers crossed.



Friends Easter Competition

Thank you to all of the children who entered the Friends annual Easter Competition. This year the children were asked to decorate an egg.



In KS1 the children were asked to decorate a boiled egg in any way they choose.



In lower KS2 the children were asked to decorate an egg as part of a scene with a play on words.



In upper KS2 the children were asked to decorate an egg and include a moving part.

And the winners are...

HOLLY CLASS



Well done Leo, George and Jack T

HAZEL CLASS



Well done Ava, Theo and Allana

PINE CLASS



Well done Jack E, Jack S and Olli

WILLOW CLASS



Well done Nicholas, Eva and Samual

BEECH CLASS



Well done Jack, Stuart, Akiva, Ella and Daniel

MAPLE CLASS



Well done Ellis, Elli-May and Grace

OAK CLASS



Well done Max, Georgie and Freya

It was so good to see so many fantastic entries. Myself and Mrs Searle found it very difficult to judge. We were particularly impressed with the imagination shown by all of the children and would like to thank the parents for their support.

A special well done to Beech class who had the most entries all of which were at a very high standard.

Thank you to the member of the friends for organising yet another great event.

The staff would like to **thank Max** for allowing us to devour his cake after judging!!

The winners



Thank you to Tesco, Longwell Green for donating the chocolate eggs for the winning en



Congratulations!



Dates for your diary!

DATE	EVENT
Mon 24 th April	First Day of Term 5
	Drama Workshop for Holly & Hazel Class
Tues 25 th Apr	Voice coach to work with Year 3
Thur 4 th May	Maple Class Assembly
Mon 8 th May	Year 6 SAT week (Mon-Thurs)
	Friends Cake Sale
	Drama Workshop for Holly & Hazel Class
Tues 9 th May	Voice coach to work with Year 3
Thur 11 th May	Governor Day
Mon 15 th May	Drama Workshop for Holly & Hazel Class
Tues 16 th May	Voice coach to work with Year 3
Fri 19 th May	Edgelets - Last one of the year
	Friends sponsored event
Mon 22 nd May	Year 6 camp (all week)
	Drama Workshop for Holly & Hazel Class
Fri 26 th May	Last day of Term 5
Mon 5 th June	First day of Term 6

Mrs Robinson

School Books

If spring cleaning over the break, please look out for any school reading books. Our stock looks very low! Cheers ☺