



ST. BEN'S BULLETIN: 8th March 2024

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St. Ben's School Christian Values: *Community, Resilience and Kindness*

WORLD BOOK DAY

It was World Book Day yesterday and we celebrated in style today with our 'dress as a word' theme. English Lead, Miss Murphy was delighted with the effort the children made with costume winners being selected from each class. In lessons the theme was tiny tales (telling stories in just ten words). More photos on Page 3.



LONDON PRIDE AS YEAR 6 VISIT CAPITAL

On Wednesday and Thursday of this week, Year 6 visited our amazing capital city to experience parliament and take in the sights. Highlights included a London Eye flight, a delicious meal at Las Iguanas and a visit to the awe-inspiring Science Museum. Well done for making us so proud, Year 6, and thank you to all the adults that went on the residential and helped to organise it. **Special photo feature in next week's edition.**



ACHIEVEMENTS and AWARDS

<u>Class:</u>	<u>Headteacher's Award</u>	<u>Teacher's Award</u>
Cats:	Honi: for having such wonderful manners & always being kind.	Chiyewo: for being a kind friend and being caring!
Unicorns:	Charlie B: for working hard to improve his writing.	Libby: for being a kind and caring friend.
Chameleons:	Nico: for a brilliant attitude to maths and making huge progress!	Willow: eager participation in class discussion and asking curious cat questions!
Owls:	Sam: for perseverance and determination in all his work especially maths.	Isaac: for always being kind, thoughtful and cheerful.
Spiders:	Annabelle: for such a positive and resilient approach to her learning.	Olivia: for writing a brilliantly persuasive letter in English.
Tortoises:	Meg H: for a fantastic job tidying and sorting our reading corner.	Mason Ti: for always using all the ELLI animals in his learning.
Leopards:	Louie: for an amazing non-fiction story!	Harriet: for always being ready, respectful and safe.
Peacocks:	Nam: for constantly smiling the whole way around London.	Bessie: for an excellent project on the London Graffiti Trail.
<u>Class Dojo Champs</u>	This week's champions are Unicorn Class with 23.9 points per child and they get an extra break next week. Well done, Unicorns!	
<u>Attendance Champs</u>	Our attendance champs this week are Leopard Class with 97.7%! Well done, Leopards, you get a well-deserved extra break next week.	
<u>Book Battle Champs</u>	This week the following % of children managed to read 4 x a week at home: Cat – 74% Unicorn - 84%, Owl - 86%, Chameleon - 76 % Tortoise –88%, Spider – 71%, Peacocks – 73% Meaning that this week's champs are Tortoise class!	
<u>Other awards:</u>	Learning Behaviour: Bronze: Elijah, Leo (Yr4), Felix and Louie (Yr6); Silver: Jack C, Sophia (Yr4), and Oliver (Yr5); Gold: Dexter (Yr5) AR Target: Simeon, and Alex (Yr6) Values' Award: Nellie: for volunteering herself to move teams in PE to help out other children in the class. Paige: for always being kind and resilient. Swimming 25 metres: Reggie T, Reggie N, Ollie and Nellie (Yr4)	

Dates for your diary:

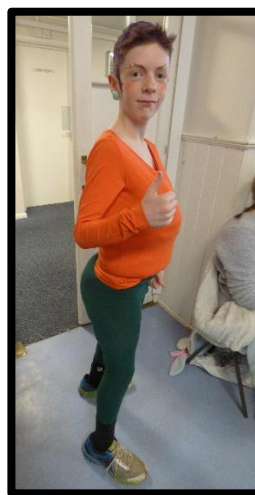
Date:	Event/Activity:
Mon 11 th – Fri 15 th March	Year 5 Residential to Osmington Bay in Dorset
Tues 12 th March (1 – 3pm)	Netball tournament at Strode – letters have gone out to team.
Mon 18 th – Fri 22 nd March	Science Week
Thursday 28 th March	Break up for Easter Holidays
Monday 15 th April	Back to School – summer term starts
w/b Mon 22 nd April	Parents' Evenings – Mon 22 nd and Wed 24 th April
Mon 13 th – Thurs 16 th May	SATs Week.

WORLD BOOK DAY CELEBRATES ST. BEN'S LOVE OF READING



Class winners: best costume for their word:

Cat: Eleana - petrifying
Unicorn: Kamil - honour
Chameleon: Niko – strong
Owl: Sophia – puzzle
Spider: Owen – loyal
Tortoise: Manu - sagacious
Leopard: Harry – curious
Peacock: Freddie – Rebecca
Rabbit (Horrid Henry):



POLITE REMINDER FROM PROPER JOB

It has come to our attention that parents/guardians of pupils at St. Ben's are parking in the disabled spaces of Proper Job when they collect their child/ren. Unless you have a disabled badge, please do not do this as it prevents those who need it being able to park close to the store. Please be aware that Proper Job has CCTV in operation.

Many thanks for your co-operation with this.



EASTER FUN

AGES 5-12

MONDAY 8TH - THURSDAY 11TH APRIL

9AM - 3PM




£3 PER SESSION

Fun games, Arts & Crafts and Sports
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23 - 24 MARCH 2024



Briony May



Class of 42



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Andy Clarke





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