



“Love one another as I have loved you” John 15:12



March

NEWSLETTER

Dear Families,

Happy Easter!

I hope you have a lovely break as Christians remember when Jesus died for the forgiveness of sins.

We have had another busy term at St. Andrew's with the continuation of our academic improvement drive. I hope you all received good news as to how your child is doing at parents evening, Mrs Board and I are certainly seeing the improvement in the children's academic work and behaviour for learning as we do our rounds.

Sport has taken off this term with lots of different inter school competitions including, cross country, netball, basketball and football and I would like to thank the members of staff and parents that went with the children and made this all possible.

This month has seen our younger children visit Corfe Castle. They took a huge amount from that trip. As you will all know these trips, visits, and a lot more besides that happens at St. Andrew's is only possible because of our wonderful PTA. They had their bingo last weekend and by all accounts it was a great success -so well done!

Mr Vradis

Head of School

Wednesday - Friday

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STARS OF THE WEEK MARCH



Otter:

Ollie
Ellie
Caleb
Wren
Aurora
Sophie
Darcie
Lillie-Kate

Hedgehog:

Theo
Gwen
Ella B
Archie G
Albie
Olivia TF
Margot
Charlie G

Sika:

Hattie
Lorna
Olivia O
Jack
Rosalind
George
Lilia
Choe

Kingfisher:

Severian
Byron
Asir
Bryn
Idris
Mia
Freya

VISION AND VALUE AWARDS

Bertie for Generosity
Bonnie for Friendship
Toby W for Service
Alannah for Friendship
Maisie for Courage
Elliott for Service
Reggie for Forgiveness
Evelyn for respect
Roman for Kindness
Tommy for Kindness
Pippa for Perseverance
Charlie Perseverance
Evan for Courage
Ella B for
Bella for Perseverance
Tom for Friendship

HEADTEACHERS AWARDS

Stan H
Mia
Chloe
Tom
Cross Country Team
Netball Team
Football Team
Evelyn
Gracie-Mae

CHRISTIAN VALUE

Forgiveness

To finish off this terms 'Bright Lights, Big City' Otter and Hedgehog class had a fantastic trip to Corfe Castle as part of our Geography project looking at different landmarks. The children had a wonderful time. Thank you PTFA for helping support our trip!



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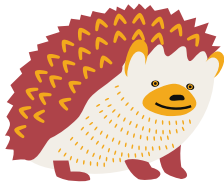
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HEDGEHOG CLASS



What a wonderful and busy month Hedgehogs have had. We have celebrated lots of events this month in school such as comic relief and world book day! We had an amazing time at Forest School on world book day where Fiona made a Gruffalo trail for us to follow and we even got to eat scrambled snake, owl ice cream, roasted fox and Gruffalo crumble! We have made our own cars in DT using boxes and in science we have been observing and investigating the weather by using wind socks, thermometers and rain gauges. We went on our school trip to Corfe castle to find out all about a local landmark. The class had a great time exploring the castle and finding out lots of interesting information about the history of the castle.



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Well, it's been another busy term in Sika Class! Pupils have been learning and using some fantastic new vocabulary in their writing and have enjoyed sharing their book reviews during our recent reading sessions. Children have been facing some mathematical challenges using fractions, learnt all about factor pairs (with the help of some hoops and beanbags!) and have continued their exploration of electricity in science. The class have further explored the life of the Ancient Sumerians and made some exquisite jewellery using salt dough, which they then painted and strung together using needles and wool. Pupils have also designed and built some amazing moving models in design technology, and have worked incredibly hard on their Easter performance - we are extremely proud!



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KINGFISHER CLASS



This month has been very sporty for the majority of us! We have participated in different football tournaments, a cross country event and our year 6 children got to watch a Yeovil Town match. All of this sport has energised our PE lessons with a lot more enthusiastic participation and friendly competition! We also have enjoyed stories a lot this month, with World Book Day giving us the opportunity to snuggle up with a book and create some amazing movie style trailers for books.

Have a lovely Easter break.



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**Save the
date**

**Hello
April**



Monday 15th

Back to school – start of Summer Term!

W/c Mon 22nd

School Clubs start

Monday 22nd

Earth Day



A full list of upcoming events can be found on our [website](#)

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FOREST SCHOOL DATES- SUMMER TERM

18TH APRIL - SIKA

25TH APRIL - HEDGEHOG

2ND MAY - OTTER

9TH MAY - SIKA

16TH MAY - HEDGEHOG

23RD MAY - OTTER

HALF TERM

6TH JUNE - KINGFISHER

13TH JUNE -SIKA

20TH JUNE - HEDGEHOG

27TH JUNE - OTTER

4TH JULY - KINGFISHER

11TH JULY - SIKA

18TH JULY - HEDGEHOG

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