

Birkwood Weekly

#InspireCherishAchieveTogether – Friday 4th March 2022

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Dear Families/Carers,
 Welcome back to the second half of the Spring Term. I hope you enjoyed the holidays – despite the weather!!
 As we are all aware the situation in Ukraine is extremely heart-breaking. However, the response of our #IncredibleCommunity has been heart warming! I would like to thank everyone who has kindly donated items which are going to be transported to help those in need. The deadline for bringing these vital provisions in to school is the morning of Friday 11th March. A member of our #incrediblecommunity has also, very thoughtfully, suggested the option of holding a 'Theme Day'. Therefore, we have decided to hold a 'Unity for Ukraine' Day on Friday 11th March. Children will be invited to wear yellow and blue clothing, to represent the Ukrainian Flag, in exchange for a £1 donation. This money will go directly to the charities supporting those affected by the current situation in the Ukraine.
 On a lighter note, World Book Day went brilliantly. All the children looked fantastic and were so excited. We had a wide range of characters throughout school, including Spiderman, Cinderella and Donkey Kong. The dynamic duo, Mr Wattam & Mrs Porter also teamed up and came dressed up as Mario & Luigi!
 The children have been looking forward to this day for a very long, which was evidenced by a school attendance of 99.1% - WOW!! Don't forget, there are only 3 weeks left for you to buy tickets for the fabulous prize of a holiday in Flamborough. An amazing gesture and a great opportunity.
 Have a wonderful weekend and please remember to think of those not so fortunate as ourselves.
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 Daniel Wood (Headteacher)

Class Attendance	%
EYFS 1 AM	97.5
EYFS 1 PM	74.1
EYFS 2 Daffodils	97.7
EYFS 2 Sunflowers	95.2
Year 1 Pandas	99.0
Year 1/2 Turtles	98.0
Year 2 Caterpillars	96.6
Year 3 Butterflies	90.3
Year 3/4 Meerkats	100
Year 4 Foxes	95.0
Year 5 Polar Bears	98.8
Year 5/6 Eagles	96.0
Year 6 Sea Lions	97.0

This week's winners	
School Attendance Target for the Year:	97.0%
School Attendance this week:	96.7%
School Attendance this year:	93.5%

Menus – W/C 7th March 2022

Day	Traditional	Vegetarian	Savoury
Mon	Spaghetti Bolognese	Pasta Bake	Jacket Potato
Tues	Roast Chicken	Quorn pie	Jacket Potato
Weds	Southern style burger	Calzone	Jacket Potato
Thurs	All Day Breakfast	Vegetarian Hot Dog	Jacket Potato
Fri	Breaded Fish	BBQ Quorn Taco	Jacket Potato

Diary Days	
Mon	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y5/6 Boys Football Club Y5/6 Girls Sports Club Y3/4 Creative Dance Club Y3/4 Games Club Y4 Cook it Club
Tue	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> KS2 Arts & Crafts Y3/4 Sports Butterflies Gardening Club
Weds	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> KS1 Multi Skills Club Choir – All Years Y1-6 Homework Club Y1 Pandas Gardening Club
Thurs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> KS1 Ball Games Y5/6 Enterprise Club Y5/6 Tech Club
Fri	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y5/6 Sports Club

Some Dates for Your Diary

Upcoming events

- 9th March – Y2 visit to the Butterfly House, Sheffield
- 23rd March – AM Nursery closed**
- 26th to 27th Mar - National Youth Brass Bands Competition
- 30th March – PM Nursery closed**
- 5th April – Easter Disco
- 7th April – Bingo
- 8th April – Easter Egg Raffle Draw
- 28th April – Nursery visit to Sheffield Butterfly House

Winners of the Week

Music Maestro	SP – Y6 Sea Lions
House of the Week	Air
Current leading House	Fire
Class Times Table Rockstars Winners	Air
Headteacher's Superstar (s)	WU – Y6 Sea Lions

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