

# Streethouse School Newsletter

6<sup>th</sup> January 2023



## Weekly Message

Happy New Year to all of our families. We start the year with a few changes:

Firstly, Miss Aveyard welcomed her son Henry into the world on 1<sup>st</sup> January – both are doing well. Mrs James has had a great first week with her class and is looking forward to the rest of the year!

We also welcome Mrs Maguire into our school office as our Business Manager working alongside Mrs Hunter.

We say goodbye to Miss Robinson who has moved onto pastures new. We thank her for her commitment to our school and pupils over the past 8 years. Plus, Miss Shaw has returned from maternity leave and is enjoying being back in school.

We look forward to seeing what 2023 holds for all our pupils.

**Mrs Wright, Head Teacher**

Golden Book Award Winners	
Class	'Golden Child'
Team Morris	Gracie
	Luke
Team Holmes	Natanial
	Madisen
Team James	Logan
	Zakariya
Team Finch	Filip
	Kaitlin
<b>STARR</b>	Avah-Rae

## Diary dates...

Date	Event
<b>Monday 13<sup>th</sup> – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> February 2023</b>	<b>Half-Term School Closed</b>
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> March 2023	World Book Day – Come dressed as your favourite book character.
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> March 2023	Parents Consultation 3:00pm – 6:30pm
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> March 2023	Red Nose Day – Merchandise on sale all week. Bring £1 donation. Come dressed as your favourite superhero.
<b>Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> – Friday 14<sup>th</sup> April 2023</b>	<b>Half- Term School Closed for Easter</b>
<b>Monday 17<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<b>INSET DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED</b>
Month of May	Year 2 SATs
<b>Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May</b>	<b>MAYDAY BANK HOLIDAY – SCHOOL CLOSED</b>

## Weekly Attendance (National expectation = 96%)

Class	%	Place
Team Morris	97%	1 <sup>st</sup>
Team Holmes	82%	4 <sup>th</sup>
Team James	90%	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Team Finch	95%	2 <sup>nd</sup>
<b>Whole School</b>	<b>90%</b>	
<b>Raffle winner</b>	<b>Finley R</b>	

### **TEAM MORRIS: EARLY YEARS**

We have had a busy week in Team Morris. We have welcomed some new children into Team Morris and they are settling well. We have all enjoyed reading 'Brown Bear Brown Bear What Can You See?' The children have all joined in telling the story. The children have all drawn pictures of themselves. There were some lovely pictures. In Maths the Nursery children have been finding out about the number 3 and the Reception children have been finding one more and how many altogether. A great first week back!

### **TEAM HOLMES: Y1/2**

We have had a brilliant first week back at school! We have begun our new topic Creepy Crawlies and read our first book on this topic, What the ladybird heard! The children have focussed on the rhyming words they can identify in the story and then thought of new rhyming couplets to make a funny poem. In maths, we have been learning about division and have started by sharing amounts between 2 and 5. The children have been introduced to our significant person for this half term in history, Charles Waterton. Well done for a great week Team Holmes!

### **TEAM JAMES (AVEYARD): Y3/4**

Welcome back everyone. What an amazing week Team James! Our topic this term is all about the Great Plague. We have started looking at newspapers, their features and content so we can write our own newspaper report about the Plague in London next week. We have done an incredible job multiplying and dividing by 10 and 100.

In history we have looked at the events that occurred from 1665-1666 and how the Plague spread during this time. We have also begun to draw the terrifying, Plague Doctor in art. As part of our science unit we have labelled the digestive system and explained the function of each organ.

### **TEAM FINCH: Y5/6**

Week one is over, but what a lot of work we've packed into this short week. Firstly, the maths has been terrific - we are getting to grips with some heavy-duty multiplication. Year sixes are converting miles to kilometres - which is definitely a handy thing to do in this country.

In English, we began our novel "The Outsiders." We have been discussing how different groups and gangs have different vocabulary, and how Greasers and Socs are from the USA.

In Computing, we are creating our very own blogs - watch this space!

Special mentions to Filip and Kaitlin.

### **THE HIVE** *(A message from Mrs Light)*

Please be mindful of local residents at drop off and collection times when parking your cars. Also, can parents not come down the school driveway in cars unless you are a blue badge holder. Thank you.

### **GENERAL REMINDERS**

#### **JOTTER APP**

Please sign up to the Jotter App for the school so that you never miss a notification. You can go to your App Store on your phone and download 'Jotter App' and select Streethouse Primary, WF7 6DJ.

#### **FEEDING HUNGRY MINDS**

Please ensure your child's account remains in credit to ensure they receive a dinner each day.

**Any problems, please let us know! We will be happy to help you.**

### **SAFEGUARDING**

Our Designated Safeguarding Lead is Miss Morris and our Safeguarding Officers are Mrs Wright & Mrs Light. If you have any concerns regarding the welfare of any child, please be aware that they are available to speak to in school.