

Newsletter No. 21 2023-24 – Friday 8th March 2024

Star of the Week

Well done to our 'Stars' for this week who all received their certificates in assembly today

BIRCH CLASS: Nico Richardson

WILLOW CLASS: Lukas Doyley

SYCAMORE CLASS: Adam Yassine

LARCH CLASS: Talal-Haidar Hayat Raza

CEDAR CLASS: Millianna Tipple

BEECH CLASS: James Waye

OAK CLASS: Tommy McPhee-Cook

REDWOOD CLASS: Avanthika Chalam

CHESTNUT CLASS: Albert Bright

ROWAN CLASS: Raiya Catantan

MAPLE CLASS: Max Wilkins



Colchester United Visit

Our after-school football club had a lovely surprise on Tuesday. They were joined for their session by Fiacre Kelleher and Mandela Egbo from the Colchester United first team, as well as Deben Howlett from the Colchester United women's team. The players joined the children for their after-school session and joined in with the range of activities. At the end of the session, the children were each presented with a book. As you can imagine, it was very exciting for all of the children and we are very grateful to the Colchester United Community Foundation for offering this opportunity to our after-school club. We hope you enjoy looking at the photos of the session on today's newsletter.

Miss Griggs

REMINDERS

Next week's MENU will be

WEEK 3

Please pre order by
TUESDAY 12/03/24 for
WEEK 1

Attendance this week
(up to & including Thursday)

Birch Class	96.2%	
Willow Class	89.5%	
Sycamore Class	95.2%	
Larch Class	99.3%	★
Cedar Class	98.6%	
Beech Class	98.7%	
Oak Class	97.4%	
Redwood Class	90.7%	
Chestnut Class	96.8%	
Rowan Class	92.4%	
Maple Class	96.0%	
WHOLE SCHOOL	95.6%	

Check Email and Bookbags
for...

* Yr 3/4 – Production Tickets letter – sent today



'At Home' evening

If you are attending your child's 'At Home' evening, please remember to exit through the pupil doors and not via the main entrance by the office. Thank you for your co-operation.

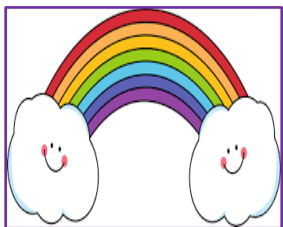


Thank you for supporting World Book Day. Your child brought home their World Book Day book token yesterday, which can be exchanged for a book in participating stores.

Please remember that make up and nail varnish are not permitted at school. If your child needs a lip balm, please ensure that this is a **clear balm only** and that you have written to inform your child's classteacher of the specific need for this. Classteachers will keep these on their desks until such time as they are required. We have some children bringing tinted lip balms to school and these are not allowed.

'FREE TUCK FRIDAY'

WELL DONE to **LARCH CLASS** who will have **Free Tuck** on **Friday 15th March**



Mrs. Richardson presents her 'Rainbow Award' each week in Friday's Star of the Week assembly. This is given to a child who has made a significant contribution when working in a group with Mrs. Richardson. Well done this week to **RONNIE L-B** in Birch Class.

ROCKER OF THE WEEK

Each week, Mrs. Carter chooses our 'Rocker of the Week' - this is a pupil who has made significant improvement over the course of the week in any aspect of their times tables knowledge. Well done to **HANUSRI** in **LARCH CLASS!**



VIP Table



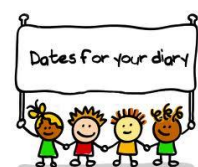
Each week, one child from each class is chosen by Miss Griggs for their kindness, good manners and sensible

attitude. Well done this week to:

Birch Class	Jude
Willow Class	Archie
Sycamore Class	Zenon
Larch Class	Julia
Cedar Class	Lina
Beech Class	Mia
Oak Class	Rudy
Redwood Class	Lola
Chestnut Class	Dylan
Rowan Class	Icelia
Maple Class	Bobby
Windmills	Genevieve

Diary Dates

- Mon 18th March** – Years 3/4 visit to Roman Circus
- Mon 25th March** – RockSteady concert (a.m.)
- Mon 25th March** – EYFS Shared Learning session for parents/carers p.m. (details to follow)
- Tues 26th March** – Years 3/4 Production 7.00 p.m. (details to follow)
- Wed 27th March** – Years 3/4 Production 7.00 p.m. (details to follow)
- Thurs 28th March** – **LAST DAY OF TERM**





Red Nose Day



COMIC RELIEF

Red Nose Day is next Friday 15th March. The School Council have been discussing this and we would like to have a 'best joke' competition to go with this theme. We are also selling Red Noses from the school office - these are £2 each and we have a limited number, so it is first come, first served.

On Friday March 15th, you can come to school in something funny, as the theme is 'Do something funny for money' - you can have crazy or coloured hair, dress in crazy clothes or something similar. Please bring a donation.

We will also be holding a raffle to win a 'Red Nose that Grows'. Tickets cost 20p each and the School Council will be selling them on the playground at break times. The 'Red Nose that Grows' is a seed bomb which grows into beautiful flowers. There will be four prizes - Reception; Key Stage 1; Years 3 and 4; Years 5 and 6.

We hope you will join in!

Thank you,

Saanvi (Year 5 School Councillor)



Our Visit
from
Colchester
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