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Week ending 3rd February 2017

We have had a great week this week. Year 5 enjoyed their morning on Tuesday learning about the stars and planets with a visit from the Astrodome.

Some children in Year 5 have also visited Millard House to share their learning and play games with the residents. The children were a real credit to our school. Another group are looking forward to their visit after half term.

A group of children visited Notley Primary for a drama workshop with Mrs Ford.

#### Safer Internet Day

**Tuesday 7th February** is Safer
Internet Day.



We will be exploring safer internet day on Tuesday as a school. Please go to https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/saferinternet-day/2017/tips-and-advice-parents-and-carers for hints and tips for you at home. We would urge you to take a look at these hints.

#### Readathon



Letters have been sent home this week detailing our plans for a Readathon. The Readathon will be launched next week during an assembly, led by Mrs Farr. The bookmarks, stickers and forms will be sent home after the assembly.

We would like to encourage you to hear the children read regularly at home and comment in their home school reading diary. The Readathon we hope will encourage the children to do this.

#### **Gymnastics Club**

We will begin running a before-school gymnastics club every Thursday after half term. Boys and girls will get to learn and practice some simple gymnastics movements; rolling, jumping, and travelling, which not only teaches them new skills but gets them warmed up and ready for the busy school day ahead!



A six week course costs £24. The first session starts at 8 o'clock, Thursday, 23rd Feb. Children should bring PE kit.

REMINDER—VALENTINES DISCO—TUESDAY 7th FEBRUARY FORMS STILL AVAILABLE FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE.

KS1 4.00-5.15 KS2 5.30-6.45. £3.00 EACH

#### Fruit Snack



Please note, that fruit snack will not be available again until the Summer term. We have had a large amount of food waste which we feel is due to the colder weather therefore have decided to try again in the Summer term. As a healthy school we encourage the children to bring in fruit for the playtime snack. All children in KS1 are provided with fruit as part of the governments fruit and veg scheme.

#### **Dinner Money**

We would be very grateful if any outstanding dinner money could be paid before we finish for half term next week.

#### Sharon McCormick Drop In

Sharon will be available on Thursday 9th February from 8:30am

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#### Dates for the term ahead

#### **NON PUPIL DAYS FOR 2017/2018**

4TH SEPT/ 2ND JAN/ 19TH FEB/ 25TH MAY AND 20TH JULY

7th February Valentines Disco:

KS1-4.00-5.15pm

KS2-5.30-6.45pm

3rd March—Dress up day for World Book Day 8th March Children's University Graduation 14th March and 16th March TLC's

#### Congratulations this week to......

Neveah in EYFS for flourishing with her learning

**Zeni** in **Year 1** for always trying her best

Molly T in Foxes for fantastic spelling

Leia in Badgers for working hard on time

**Riley** in **Year 3** for his improved attitude to learning and trying hard in all he does.

**Davi** in **Year 4** for a great start to his information text planning

Sam in Year 5 super openers in English

**Joseph A** in **Year 6** for improved vocabulary and ideas in his writing

## **Week Ahead**

| Monday    |                                 |
|-----------|---------------------------------|
| Tuesday   | 8.00-8.45 Multisports club      |
|           | 3:15-4.15pm Tennis club         |
|           | Valentines Disco                |
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| Wednesday | Year 4 swimming                 |
|           | 3:15-4.15pm Football club       |
|           | 5.00 - Dancing                  |
| Thursday  | 8:30am Sharon McCormick Drop in |
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| Friday    |                                 |
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### **Week Ahead Menu**

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| Monday    | Fish fingers or roasted vegetable crumble          |
|           | Creamed potato/peas/sweetcorn                      |
|           | Jacket potato/baked beans                          |
|           | Homemade chocolate sponge/hot chocolate custard    |
| Tuesday   | Pasta (plain/wholegrain)/sauces/Herby garlic bread |
|           | Jacket potato/tuna and sweetcorn                   |
|           | Fruit crumble/custard or muller yoghurt            |
| Wednesday | Roast turkey/Yorkshire pudding/gravy               |
|           | Roast potatoes/carrots/cauliflower cheese          |
|           | Chocolate angel delight or muller yoghurt          |
| Thursday  | Minced beef and onion pie/shortcrust pastry/gravy  |
|           | Creamy mashed potato/carrots/green beans           |
|           | Jacket potato/cheese                               |
|           | Fruit jelly/ice cream or muller yoghurt            |
| Friday    | Chicken fillet chunk/tomato sauce                  |
|           | Chips/peas/baked beans                             |
|           | Fruit Iolly or muller yoghurt                      |