



## Newsletter

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### Class 3 Visit Cambridge Museums

Last week, Class 3 visited two of the fantastic museums in Cambridge – the Fitzwilliam and the Museum of Classical Archaeology. They were finding out more about the lives of people in Ancient Greece and learning about the Gods and Goddesses worshipped. Thankfully, they had beautiful weather for the walk between the museums, though they did attract a few local swans! Thank you to Ms Grazebrook for organising the visit and staff and parents for volunteering their support.



### Year 3/4 5-a-side Football

Melbourn Village College invited our Year 3/4s to a 5-a-side football tournament on Tuesday. There was such interest in Class 3 that we were able to send two teams to play against Hartson & Newton,

Melbourn and Meldreth teams on the Astro.

Both teams represented the school well, working hard in all their matches, coming 4th and 6th in the rankings at the end with some close matches played. Our squad

was: James, Thomas, William, George, Dylan, Matthew, Harry, Harrison, Stanley, Claude and Alex. Well done to you all. A big thank you to Mr Geer and Mr Gilliam for



accompanying the trip and providing guidance from the sidelines!

### Parent & Child Consultations

Don't forget that this term's Parent and Child Consultations will be on Monday 10th and Wednesday 12th February from 3.30pm to 7pm. Booking remains open, although we have most people booked and are at the point of reminding those of you who haven't booked yet. We always aim for 100% attendance, as it is such an important conversation with your child's class teacher.

Please remember that children are welcome at consultations and that they are necessarily short. If you have a complex issue to discuss, please raise this at another time by making an appointment directly with the class teacher.

We will also have an opportunity for you to complete this year's Parent Questionnaire while you wait!

### Volunteering

Thank you very much to the people who came forward after my plea in the last newsletter. We could still do with a couple more, particularly to help support children with their reading, but also in other areas too.

If you are interested, please email me via the school office at [office@fowlmere.cambs.sch.uk](mailto:office@fowlmere.cambs.sch.uk).

Once we know final numbers, I will organise the DBS checks and short training.

## Congratulations to...

- Eric (Class 1) for his First Steps 5 Swimming Certificate
- Nyall (Class 1) for his Octopus 2 Swimming Certificate
- Bonnie (Class 4) for her certificate from a recent stay in hospital
- Andreas (Class 2) for another win at a Royston Rockets BMX race
- Andreas & Christina (both Class 2) for their football trophies shared in assembly this morning

## Reminders


- Tomorrow is Make, Do and Mend morning – we hope to see you there so that we can make a big difference to the school environment.
- Parent Consultations are next week.
- The Annual Parent Questionnaire will go out next week. You will be able to complete it online at the parents' evening too
- School is closed on Friday 14th February due to staff training.
- Children return to school after half-term on Monday 24th February.
- Remember to plan your children's World Book costumes...

## Thank you

Thank you for supporting Ella's Photography Exhibition a fortnight ago – she was really pleased with the turnout and raised over £300. It was lovely to be able to support a former pupil in this way.

Best wishes,  
Mr Philip Atkin,  
**Headteacher**

## Dates for Your Diary

<b>Saturday 8th February</b>	Make, Do and Mend Day
<b>Monday 10th February – Thursday 13th February</b>	Year 6 Bikeability
<b>Monday 10th February</b>	Parent & Child Consultations
<b>Tuesday 11th February</b>	Year 5 Day at MVC
<b>Wednesday 12th February</b>	Science Workshops for all classes
<b>Wednesday 12th February</b>	Parent & Child Consultations
<b>Friday 14th February</b>	INSET Day (School Closed)
<b>Monday 17th February – Friday 21st February</b>	Half-Term
<b>Thursday 27th February</b>	First of 6 Reception Balanceability Sessions
<b>Friday 28th February</b>	Class 4 Botanic Gardens Trip 
<b>Thursday 5th March</b>	World Book Day
<b>Thursday 5th March</b>	PTFA Book Sale
<b>Monday 9th March – Friday 13th March</b>	Science Week
<b>Friday 13th March</b>	PTFA Bags2School Collection
<b>Friday 13th March</b>	Cambridgeshire Music Live Streamed Concerts for Children
<b>Friday 13th March</b>	Year 5/6 Science Visit to MVC
<b>Wednesday 18th March</b>	Tag Rugby Competition
<b>Friday 20th March</b>	Cambridgeshire Music Live Concert and Workshop
<b>Friday 20th March</b>	PTFA Quiz
<b>Wednesday 25th March</b>	Year 5 Big Read and Write 'Meet the Author' Event
<b>Wednesday 1st April</b>	Vision Screening for Reception Year
<b>Wednesday 1st April</b>	KS2 Team Building Afternoon
<b>Friday 3rd April</b>	Last Day of Term

## Summer Term 2020

<b>Monday 20th April</b>	INSET Day (School Closed)
<b>Tuesday 21st April</b>	First Day of Term
<b>Thursday 23rd April</b>	Reception & Year 6 Measurement Programme
<b>Friday 24th April</b>	Bikeability for Year 3
<b>Monday 27th April</b>	Swimming Resus Training (Parents)
<b>Friday 8th May</b>	Bank Holiday (School Closed)
<b>Monday 11th May – Thursday 14th May</b>	Key Stage 2 SATs Week
<b>Monday 18th May</b>	Class Photographs