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Dear Parents,

This week's news

I have enjoyed a lovely time in Maple Class this week and was very impressed by how they were able to explain their understanding of their shape work. Year 1's are taking a real pride in their work which is great to see and their learning behaviour was fantastic. Well done everybody. Safer Internet Day has been a very important focus of our safeguarding work this week. We would appreciate it if you would reinforce this by asking the children the important messages they have learned.

Class News

Maple: We have been learning about how to keep safe on the internet through the stories of 'Penguinpig' and 'Smartie the Penguin'. We helped them make the right decisions and created our own characters too.
Cedar: We have been enjoying reading fantasy stories and using our imagination! We have focused on what information to show and keep private in e-safety.
Damson: We have been learning about how to use and share images online safely during Safer Internet Day 2017. Also, in maths, we have been solving problems and working systematically.
Oak: We have been creating emojis and are now playing online safety board games which we will be making. In numeracy we have been finding missing angles of triangles, quadrilaterals and hexagons as well as revising properties of shapes.

This Weeks Awards

Celebration Assembly
9.05 Thursday 2nd February.

Truly Brilliant

Maple: Cormac
Cedar: Matilde Neve
Damson: Isabella B
Oak: Will Peskett, (Kris Huus last week)
Mrs Patterson: Annie, Stefan, Imogen, Lois
Amazingly Wicked: Amy, Sophia S, Ben A.
Silver: Cormac, Nell, Faye, Pippa, Nicole, Mackala, Mya D, Stefan, Jay, Emily, Felix

Bronze: Maddison

Raising the Roof: James White, Chloe
Megastastic Multiple Challenge: Mya D, Hannah W (Damson), Callum, Stefan, Loann, Daisy, Jay, Freya
Mathelete of the Week: Foundation: Evan
Key Stage 1: Amy S
Key Stage 2: Zachary
Mathlete class: Damson
Online Safety Poster Competition: Eddie, Faye, Maya R, Ellie B, Maddison, Ben P, Annie

Head of Green Leek Federation Recruitment

The last month has been a busy one for the governing body who have been working on the advertising campaign to recruit the next Head of the Green Leek Federation. Thank you to everyone who has taken the time to tell us their wishes. We have sought the views of pupils, staff and parents and many of the 'post its' received reflected the views of governors who have produced a comprehensive candidate pack and advert. A number of 'post its' have been used in the advert and pack. The advert for the role goes live nationally on the 10th February with a closing date of the 10th March. Prospective candidates will be encouraged to visit both schools and Mrs Patterson has willingly agreed to conduct the tours. Interviews are scheduled for late March over a 2 day period and will comprise desk top tasks, a presentation, interviews and observations with both schools involved. With a panel of 7 people conducting the interviews it will be a thorough process. I am confident that we will find the right candidate for our Federation who shares our vision, ethos and values.
Kimberley Lunn Chair of Governors

Parents Consultation Evenings

Parents evenings take place on Monday 13th February and Thursday 16th February. Slips with appointment times have now gone out.

Sport

Cross Country

The Central Area Cross Country Qualifier Race will take place on Saturday 4th March at Southam College. The top 18 runners will represent central area in the county race on 25th March. The number of children we are able to take to Southam is being limited by the organisers this year and so we will be selecting our fastest Year 5 and Year 6 runners. Runners must be available for both dates. Letters with more details have gone out today.

Netball

The Year 6 tournament is today at St Nicholas Primary School.

Sainsbury's Active Kids 2017

Vouchers are now available at Sainsbury's until 30th June 2017. Please help us collect for cooking and sports equipment. We are a very sporty school and these vouchers are a great help in enabling us to continue adding to and replacing worn out equipment.

Diabetes UK Burton Green Fundraising Day

We have an important school link with Diabetes UK who support some of the medical support we are able to provide in school. We would like to support their work on:

17th February Retro Sport Workout

Come dressed in your niftiest sportswear: sweatbands, shell suits, leg warmers, footless tights etc to be ready for our 'Keep Fit Retro workout'. Bring a £1.00 donation to raise money for Diabetes UK. (More generous donations welcomed)

World Book Day March 2nd

Although it is still just over a month away we are already beginning to think about how we can mark this day, this year and give you lots of notice to prepare your costume.

We have decided to have 'The Hobbit Day'. Come dressed as a character from 'The Hobbit'. I can't wait to see all 105 of you dressed this way!

Friends of Burton Green

Making a difference!

Next meeting 22nd March at 8pm. The Virgins & Castle in Kenilworth. All welcome.

MUM's Night Out Thursday 9th March at the Queen & Castle 8pm. All welcome.

Big Hero 6 Experience Friday 10th February 6-8pm Tickets - £5 (including refreshments). Burton Green School pupils are invited to join a Big Hero 6 Experience night, to be held in Maple Class, where they will watch the film and enjoy treats and drinks just like at the movies. Dressing up as a character from the film is welcome, or simply come in your pyjamas/onesies. Feel free to bring along beanbags, floor cushions or blankets to make yourself comfortable. All we ask is that parents remember to collect their children at 8pm promptly!

Cake Sale 23rd March Damson Class

Our next cake sale of the term is on the 23rd March. Funds raised support additional class experiences and are greatly appreciated.

Easy Fundraising

Help us by collecting free donations when you book holidays and travel.

Join: Head to [easyfundraising](http://easyfundraising.com) and search for us to start raising.

Book: There are over 300 travel retailers on board, pick the one you want and get booking.

Raise: After you've made your booking, the retailer will make a donation to us at no extra cost whatsoever!

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Sunday Special - Burton Green Village Hall

New café style church service, with activities for all the family. Starts on the 19th February at 10:30 am, toast and drinks provided.

Burton Green Bonus

Contact Mrs Caz Thompson 07580 253402 between 7am and 7pm daily.

Half Term Sports Camp booking forms have been sent out. Please note online payments can only be made once your booking form has been received by the school office. Many thanks!



February 6 th	Internet Safety Week
February 8 th	1.30-3.00 - Y6 - Netball Tournament St Nicholas
February 10 th	6-8pm Big Hero 6 Experience
February 13 th	3.40- 7.00 Parents Evening
February 14 th	Green Leek Year 6 visit to JLR Gaydon
February 15 th	Last swimming for Damson class
February 16 th	5.00-7.30 Parents Evening
February 17 th	Diabetes UK Retro Workout- come dressed in your retro sports gear Break up for half term
February 27 th	Return to School Spring Fever Week
February 28 th	Dental Survey Reception and Year 1
March 1 st	Wednesday Open Assemblies begin Year 6 swimming to prepare for swimming gala Green Leek Reception Wellie Wednesday The Wildlife Trust at All Saints' Green Leek Year 5 Amazing Maths at All Saints'.
March 2 nd	World Book Day
March 6 th	7pm Green Leek Performance and Standards Committee at Burton Green
March 9 th	Mum's Night Out at the Queen & Castle 8pm
March 8 th	Cedar Class swimming begins
March 22 nd	12.15 Green Leek Reception visit to Herbert Art Gallery Toy workshop 8pm Friends of Burton Green at the Virgins and Castle
March 23 rd	2.30pm Mother's Day Assembly Cake Sale Damson Class
March 24 th	Reception Special Ladies tea party.
March 27 th	KDPSA Year 5 Tag Rugby tournament
March 28 th	9.05 Dance Assembly
April 4 th	1pm KDPSA Swimming Gala
April 6 th	9.30 Easter Assembly led by Damson Class 1.30 Easter Eggstravaganza
April 7 th	9.05 Glow Drama Performance 'A Mission to Planet Egg' Break Up for Easter holidays
April 24 th	Return to School

