

# FRIDAY FLYER

24 January 2020

# MPA Moment of the Week:

It was a delight listening to the clarinet lesson this week. The children were reading music, playing in time and they sounded fantastic. We are really proud of how their musical skills are developing.



# What's happening next week:

Dinner Menu Week 1

## All week

Chinese New Year - Small Blues

### Wednesday

Silver Studded Blue Parents Evening 3.30-5.30pm. There are 5 minute appointments to see Miss Scrutton allocated.

### Friday

Parent Council Meeting @ 2.00pm

Boys football home match against Birchwood Primary @ 2.45pm

# Messages from staff:

## **School Shoes**

Please can you ensure that your child is wearing appropriate footwear. Black shoes are the school uniform. During the winter months children can wear black ankle boots. Trainers are not part of school uniform unless the child has a medical condition.

# Children's Mental Health Week

It is Children's Mental Health Week from Monday 3 February to Friday 7 February. We are planning a series of activities for the children based around the theme "Find your Brave!" These will be shared with you next week in the Friday Flyer. Mrs Hudson will be leading a drama / dance workshop for the children on Thursday 6 February based around the song "This is me!" from The Greatest Showman.

## **Reading for Enjoyment**

We are launching a new initiative to expand the children's reading experiences and hopefully encourage more children to visit the local library. Details will be shared after our assembly on Monday. We are hoping that this will create a real buzz!

### **Parent Council**

The Parent Council are meeting on Friday 31 January at 2.00pm. We currently do not have a representative for Years 5 and 6. If you would be interested in joining please speak to Miss Churchman. Parent councillors will be in touch over the next week to raise issues to discuss at the meeting.

# Plant to Plate

We have got a box in the foyer ready to collect the Plant to Plate tokens in the East Anglian Daily Times and the Evening Star. Please tell friends and family to save their tokens and donate to the school. If we manage to collect more than 1,000 tokens we will receive a pack worth £130 including strawberry runners, pumpkin seeds, tomato planters, sunflower seeds, potato planters, herbs, a planting kit and compost. Small Blue class will be using the seeds to complete their 11b411 Promise.

# **Educational Visit to The Owl Sanctuary**

Miss Elsdon is organising a visit for Small Blue and Adonis Blue to Suffolk Owl Sanctuary. A letter will be sent early next week with further details about the trip.

Small Blue will be celebrating Chinese New Year next week with a variety of activities inside and outside. This will include Chinese restaurant role play, re-telling of the New Year Story, Dragon dancing and making Chinese decorations.

### **Cooking Equipment**

Children are loving their weekly cooking sessions. We were wondering if anyone had a set of digital weighing scales they would like to donate for the children to use in the kitchen.

# **UPCOMING DATES**

### 3 – 7 February

Children's Mental Health

### **5 February**

Blue 11.00 - 12.00 noon

### 7 February

Small Blue and Adonis Blue Educational Visit to Suffolk Owl Sanctuary

### 11 February

Safer Internet Day

# 13 February

Silver Studded Blue

# 17 - 21 February

Half Term

24 February

PD Day

25 February

Children return to school

<u>26 February</u> Marvellous Middles

**Small Blue** - Visit from

# Silver Studded Blue -

27 February

Adonis Blue – Visit from

28 February

Holly Blue - Knight

2 March

School Choir Snape

3 March

World Book Day

# **SPORTS FIXTURES**

**Boys Football** 

**6 February** 

2 football matches @

3.30pm vs. St.Mary's

Please support our team.

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