

# **FRIDAY FLYER** 11 February 2022

### Moments of the Week:







#### Messages from Staff: EdShed Champions This Week

	Spelling	Maths	
School Champion	Ettalie	Isabella	
SSB Champion	Cordell	Harley	
CHB Champion	Jasmine	Oscar	
ADB Champion	Esther	Isabella	
HB Champion	Ralf	Hazel	
SB Champion	Ella May	Florence	

#### House Points

House	Andromeda	Orion	Pegasus	Phoenix
Points	769	817	780	759

#### Adonis Blues Educational Visit to Africa Alive

Adonis Blues had their trip to Africa Alive Tuesday. What a beautiful, sunny day to explore different predators and learn all about their habitats, diets and behaviours. **Silver Studded Blues Educational Visit to the Imperial War Museum, Duxford** 

## Years 5 and 6 enjoyed a wonderful trip to Duxford on Thursday. They were able to view a range of WW2 planes which really brought their learning in the classroom to life!

#### Home Learning

Thank you to all families that have supported the children with their home learning task this half term. There is always a real buzz in the classes when the children bring these in to school. The children share their tasks with the class and they are celebrated by the staff team. The home learning is also displayed in the class.

#### Internet Safety Day

Please see attached poster showing how children celebrated Internet Safety Day 2022. Staffing

Unfortunately our Site Manager will be leaving the school at Easter due to change in her personal circumstances. We are therefore advertising for a Site Manager and details are available on our website. We are delighted to announce Ruta Matuleviciene will be joining the Catering Team as MDSA from Monday 28 February. The interviews for Miss Markham's maternity cover were also successful and we will share details with you soon.

#### World Book Day

We are celebrating World Book Day on Friday 4 March. This is a special year as we celebrate 25 years of this event. The theme this year is reading for pleasure. So at MPA the children can dress up as a character from their favourite book. If your child does not

like dressing up they are asked to decorate a wooden spoon as their favourite book character. We will send further details to you next week.

#### House Challenges

Teams of two children from each house will be taking part in a Valentine's Bake Off on Monday with the cupcakes being shared with KS2 children during the afternoon. KS1/EYFS children will take part in team games organised by House Captains during the week. Each team will earn 20 house points for their team!

#### A Chance To Shine Cricket.

After half term we have secured funding for a cricket project for the children in Holly Blue, Adonis Blue, Chalk Hill Blue and Silver Studded Blue classes. These sessions will take place every Wednesday after half term. The first session is Wednesday 2 March. Can we ask that children wear their PE kits to school on Wednesdays please.

#### Football Week

The upper KS2 football tournament took place today. We will announce the winners and present the trophy next Tuesday. Well done to all who took part and clearly demonstrated the MPA learning power of collaboration.

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#### Menu Week 2 <u>Monday</u>

Small Blue's Visit to Suffolk Owl Sanctuary. House Challenge Bake-Off. KS2 Andromeda and Pegasus to Return Library Books. **Tuesday** Small Blues PE. <u>Wednesday</u> KS1 Andromeda and Pegasus to Return Library Books. Silver Studded Blues and Chalk Hill Blues PE. Thursday Last Day of Half Term. Adonis Blues PE. **Friday** PD Day - No Children in

## **Upcoming Dates**

School.

21 - 25 February Half Term. 28 February Children Return to School. w/c 28 February Marvellous Middles. 1 to 3 March Year 6 Residential Trip to to Thorpe Woodlands. 4 March World Book Day Wednesdays PE Kit for Cricket.

### **Sporting Fixtures**

#### <u>9 March</u>

Football Match vs. Nacton <u>16 March</u> Netball Match vs. Nacton <u>18 March</u> Football Match vs. St. Johns.