

Fulfen Newsletter

Leading the way to a brighter future

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Foreword

This final week of the term has been another busy one with lots of exciting learning happening across the school!



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Well done and thank you to all children and staff who participated so enthusiastically in the activities that were planned as part of Children's Mental Health Awareness Week.

Mr Chapman and Miss Ryan are extremely excited to announce that on Monday 28th February we are having a special visit from Natalie Pritchard (a best-selling children's author) to celebrate World Book Day Week. She will be working with the children and officially opening our new library!

During the visit, Natalie will be presenting a special story-telling session followed by a mini quiz. She will also be inspiring children to write and illustrate their own sea creature stories and then children will get the chance to ask Natalie any questions during a special Q&A session.

Darren Ennis and Diane Evans (two local councillors) will also be visiting the school and the Express and Star will be documenting this special occasion.

We would like to take this opportunity again to thank you all for the books you have donated and the sponsorships you raised. With your help we now have a jaw-dropping library that is sure to take the children's breath away. We cannot wait for the children to share this experience with you!



Stars of the week Darcie Leasley, * Delilah Rose, Ollie Thomas Heming, Emma Manning, Chloe Collis, Kinson, Emily Mansell, Rosie Ward, Kayla Lyon, Max Ranson, Noah Chloe Hackitt, Lyvia London Lee, Lara Doherty, Chloe Warner, Gorman, Ebony Higgins, Hancox, Alex Wilkinson, Leo Ritchie, Sky Webster, Rowan Keight, Brandon Lex Bott, Bella Maisy Moore, Olivia Hickman, Jaycob Chawner, Cockayne, Casey Tonks, Newman, Jaxon Wright, Jemima Budge, Joseph Jack Davies, George Nolan Lloyd, Jessica Talbot, Rhys Freeman, Corfield, Lewis Adams Fisher, Evie Vale, Luca Sadie-Mae Caffery, Lexie Clarke, Lexi Higgins, Lilly Koller, Evan Mason, Bott, Freya Phillips, Johnson, Eryn Willets, Leland Barber, William Romany Meszaros, John Nolan Trickett, The whole of 4CH Sarayah Dingle

Love of Learning... - dream big, have a thirst for learning and achieve your ambitions...

ncouraging .. to be supportive of and others and value everyone's ideas.

Adaptable... - being versatile, creative and being prepared to take risks.

Determination... - being resilient when the going gets tough..

Covid Update

Just a reminder that for anyone who tests positive for Covid-19, the isolation period can be reduced to 5 full days, providing your child receives 2 consecutive negative tests on days 5 and 6 and doesn't have a temperature. After 10 days, there is no need to test and your child can return to school on day 11.

It has been fantastic to see so many children sending in their home learning whilst isolating! Keep this up! To ensure that pupils who are self-isolating can continue to learn at home, home learning for each year group can be found on the school website: <u>http://www.fulfen.staffs.sch.uk/page/home-learning/82472</u>

Work can be sent in electronically or brought in upon return to school. We encourage children to do what they can while they're at home so that learning can continue as much as possible.



Mental Health & E-Safety

Last week was extremely busy, as teachers and children celebrated National Mental Health week and Safer Internet Day. This focused on how we grow and develop and also explored respectful relationships online. It builds upon our ongoing e-safety lessons and culture throughout the school and children enjoyed the age-related activities and activities that were shared.



Throughout the school, we looked at ways we can stay healthy and happy, both physically and mentally. This week was so important to help build our children's emotional well-being. The week was rounded off with our "Wear a SCARF to school day" on Friday, which was to officially launch our SCARF PSHE scheme. SCARF stands for: Safety, Caring, Achievement, Resilience and Friendship. It was so lovely to see all the brightly coloured scarves around school – it certainly brightened up a wintry, February day!



The children will have the opportunity to apply to be a friendship and kindness ambassador or a respect and safety ambassador. The children need to list the qualities they feel they have to be a good role model for the school. We hope to have plenty of applicants!

Film Club Success!

Mr Morton, Miss Cartwright and Miss Green have been exploiting the talent in Y5 and Y6 and have produced some amazing films in their film club. Two of their creations are now on the school website (under Parents > Film Club): the 'Vitamin Rap' and a moving production about bullying. Please follow the link to watch the films!

http://fulfen.staffs.sch.uk/page/film-club/119786

Dates for your diary

28th February – Natalie Pritchard Author Visit 3rd March – World Book Day 18th March – Red Nose Day 23rd March – Year 2 Trip to the Sea Life Centre



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