



**North Marston Church of England School  
School Hill  
North Marston  
Bucks MK18 3PE**

**Challenging each other to love learning and truly care.  
"Love never gives up" 1 Cor. 13**

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08.03.24

Dear Parents/Guardians,

**Birthdays**

Happy birthday to Isaac in Y2, Tilly Rose in Y5 and Anum and Elliot in Y6 who celebrated their Birthdays this week.

**Certificates**

Congratulations to these children who have received certificates this week:

**YR- Hugo** for reading words around the classroom.

**Y1-Bethany** for doing so well in every lesson this week. Because Bethany always tries her hardest and listens so carefully she is producing better and better work all by herself.

**Y2-Harry** for challenging himself to use a varied and exciting vocabulary and for showing a love of all learning.

**Y3-Ava H** for great logic and reasoning, backing up her predication in science with prior learning experiences.

**Y4- Lochy** for his scientific thinking when predicting which liquids would freeze first. He backed his answers up with good reasoning.

**Y5- Max** for having the courage to have a go at any task given to him and always doing his complete best. He has been listening to advice on how to improve.

**Y6- Riley** for hard work and focus which has led to him improving and developing his skills.

**World Book Day**

Thank you to everyone who joined us for our books for breakfast event and also came to see what the children have been learning this week. On **Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March**, Alison the owner of the bookshop in Buckingham is coming into school to read with children and talk about their favourite books. **After school she will be running a book fair** which you can visit in the school hall and purchase children's books. (Art club will still be running in the YR classroom)

**Comic Relief**

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March is Comic Relief Day. The children are invited to come into school wearing mufti clothes and wearing red. We ask that a donation of £1 is brought to school towards this charity. No football kits please.

**School Website**

Please take a look at our school website [www.northmarstonceschool.co.uk](http://www.northmarstonceschool.co.uk).

**There are many documents and policies for you to access as parents including the school complaints procedure which you should follow if you have any concerns.**

The calendar on the website is updated regularly so if you are unsure about events or activities please check this.

Please use the website as your first port of call for dates and information of events.

There is another area which has been added in the parents section which contains useful links to events and activities and other sources of local information.

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**Safer Internet advice**

We are aware that as more learning is provided online and the children have increasing access to the internet, we need to ensure that we keep them safe online. Please follow these links for further information and advice.

[Parents and carers - UK Safer Internet Centre](http://www.thinkuknow.co.uk) [www.thinkuknow.co.uk](http://www.thinkuknow.co.uk)

**Celebration Worship**



All parents are welcome to join us for our time of worship on Friday afternoons at 2.40pm. If your child has achieved an award outside of school they are welcome to bring it into school to share their success with us at this time too. You will be notified the day before if your child is to receive a certificate, but they will not be told prior to the assembly. This term the classes will be sharing their learning on the following dates; 8.3.24-YR, 15.3.24-Y5/6, 22.3.24-Y3/4, 28.3.24-Easter Service. The dates for next term are in the calendar on the school website.

**Second hand school uniform**

Good quality second hand uniform is available for anyone to purchase at £1 per item or £2 per item with the school logo. A list of the available stock has been updated. Contact the school office if you would like to buy any uniform. We currently have an abundance of stock so please don't send in any more donations for now.

**Food allergies**

Please be mindful that we have children in school with nut and other food allergies.

**We ask that you do not put items with nuts or nut products such as peanut butter or Nutella into lunchboxes.** Any break time snack which KS2 children bring must be fresh fruit or veg.

**Dates**

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March- Paralympian online Q&A Y5/6

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March- Book fair after school

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March- Red Nose Day- wear red

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March- PTA cake sale 3.10pm

Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March- Y3/4 production 6.30pm

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March- Y3/4 production 6.30pm

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March- Easter service in church 2pm

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March- break up for Easter holidays

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March- charity cake sale after school- See flyer on the school notice board.

Best Wishes,

Cathy Gouldstone and all the staff at North Marston School.

**Our value for this term is Justice In school we take our turn to help out with jobs.**

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