

# NEWSLETTER: 8<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2019



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## Dates for the Diary

**Every Thursday** Birthday Tea – children only  
**Every Friday** Sparkle & Shine assembly – invitation only

- Tues 12 February Year 5 & 6 NSPCC workshop
- Wed 13 February Nursery Fabulous Finishes – 8.30am & 12.30pm
- Fri 15 February Fabulous Finishes – KS1 @9.30am – KS2 @ 10.00am
- Fri 15 February Coffee morning and Breakfast sandwiches for parents
- Fri 15 February Last day of Spring 1 term
- 18-22 February No school – spring break
- Mon 25 February First day back to school
- Mon 25 February Vision Screening for Reception children
- Tues 26 February Reception Allotment trip – Miss Hamed’s class
- Tues 5<sup>th</sup> March Reception Allotment Trip – Mrs Shaw’s Class
- Wed 6<sup>th</sup> March Year 1 – Trip to Ecclesall Woods
- Thurs 7<sup>th</sup> March World Book day
- Mon 11 March Spook teaching workshops – pupils only (£2 charge)
- Tues 12 March Spook teaching workshops – pupils only (£2 charge)
- Tues 12 March Parents evening
- Fri 15 March Silly Science Day – pupils only - (£2 charge)
- Mon 18 March Arrival of Duckling eggs to school
- Fri 29 March Fabulous Finishes – Times to be confirmed
- Fri 29 March Last Day of Spring 2 term
- 1-12 April No School – Easter holidays
- Mon 15 April First day back to school
- Thurs 18 April Easter Assembly
- Thurs 18 April Donkeys visit Watermead
- Fri 19 April Good Friday – NO SCHOOL
- Mon 22 April Easter Monday – NO SCHOOL
- Tues 23 April Inset day – NO SCHOOL
- Wed 24 April Back to school



## Year 1 – Trip to Ecclesall woods

On Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March, Year 1 will be going on a trip to Ecclesall Woods. On this trip they will attend 2 different workshops, learn how to build dens, have a camp fire and go on a bear hunt. Payment for this trip is due by Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February.

Unfortunately, if we do not receive enough donations from parents to cover the cost of this trip then it will have to be cancelled. Any questions then please speak with the class teachers.



## World Book day

World Book Day is on the 7<sup>th</sup> March 2019 and this year Watermead will be celebrating brilliant books in our own very special way!

We are going to celebrate books that help us to practise the Oasis Nine Habits.

### ***How will we do this?***

Each class will focus on one of the nine habits and spend the week reading, understanding and completing many exciting activities around this chosen habit.

### ***What you need to do?***

We want Watermead to become a 'Sea Of Habits' with, every child dressed in the colour of their classes chosen Habit. Please see below the list of habits assigned to each class/year group.

Patient	Forgiving	Self-controlled
Humble	Honest	Considerate
Joyful	Hopeful	Compassionate

- Nursery - joyful (yellow)
- Reception- Patience (light green)
- Year 1 All- Joyful (Yellow)
- Year 2 Mrs Nutt- Hope (purple)
- Year 2 Miss Hill- Compassion (red)
- Year 3 Miss Read- Honesty (blue)
- Year 3 Miss Drayton- Self Control (lilac)
- Year 4 Mr Bardsley – Forgiveness (turquoise/blue)
- Year 4 Miss Whitelaw- Consideration (orange)
- Year5/6 Miss Mobbs – Humility/Humble (green)

In addition to dressing up in these wonderful bright colours to celebrate World Book Day and linking it to our Oasis Nine Habits we ask that every child brings into Watermead their favourite story/book fiction or non- fiction to share with an adult or another child in school.



This World Book Day we would like to raise money to help **Oasis Mozambique** buy books for their own classrooms. We would like to ask that all children donate £1.00 for this great cause. Please bring **£1.00** on **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March** and hand into class teachers

## School Dinner Money

Just a reminder that all school dinner money needs to be paid for in full to the office on a Monday morning.

The prices are £2.24 per day or £11.20 per week.

**Please ensure you bring the correct amount of money as we do not always have change in school.**



## Cold Weather



As the cold weather is here, can we ask that you please send your child to school with the appropriate indoor and outdoor clothing such as trousers, dress with tights, warm coat, hat and gloves so they can keep warm in school and during outdoor play times.

Please ensure that you put your child's name in everything they bring into school!