



THE BUZZWORD

Friday, 10th March 2017

“Releasing The Potential Within All”

Welcome! This week’s theme in assemblies has been enjoyed by the children – ‘Healthy Living’. They have been able to animatedly discuss the importance of healthy balanced diets, exercise and sleep. It would be great if they could continue discussions with you at home as well.



Essex Library Loan Service

We are very lucky to have access to a large range of topic relevant books from the Essex Library Loan Service, and the Book Bus, which the children use in school.

They have recently carried out an audit and notified us that we have MANY books that have not been returned to them. While some of these have been found around school we wonder if some have inadvertently gone home in book bags?

We ask you all to check at home, the books are quite recognisable as they have an “SLS” sticker on the spine of the book. If you find any please return to school as soon as possible.

Thank-you for your help.



Essex County
Fire & Rescue Service

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Year 3 had a visit from Essex Fire and Rescue this week to promote safety in the home, specifically electrical safety and what to do in a fire - including having a pre-prepared escape route and using the “3 OUTS” rule which is,

GET OUT,

STAY OUT,

CALL THE FIRE BRIGADE OUT.



Kitchen News

Next week we will be on Week 3 of our Winter menu.

Infant Music Festival

Year 2 children will be attending the Infant Music Festival on Tuesday of next week in the morning.



Great news, last week we raised £167.00 from World Book Day to spend on books for the children in school. Thank-you to everybody for their kind donations.

Author Visit at G.B.H.S.

Year 5 have the amazing opportunity to meet and listen to the author John Townsend speak about Science and his books on Wednesday of next week at G.B.H.S. The purpose of the visit is to promote a love of Science and although there will be books available to buy on the day at a cost of between £5.99-£7.99 there is no expectation that pupils will buy a book.

Our children will be escorted to the High School and supervised by our staff BUT will need to be in school for 8.30a.m. that day. Thank-you.



Happy Birthday

**Shay W,
Maria P,
Ethan F,
Kate W**

Lunchtime Awards



EYFS - Lille M,
Year 1 - Jessica H,
Year 2 - Amber M.

Well done for being chosen for your superb attitude and manners at lunchtimes.

Times Table Awards
Year 3.

Aymee C – 4X, Chloe L – 5X,
Bliss W, Mana S-S and Daisy J – 6X,
Grace M – 8X, Mya W – 9X.



Wow! We have only had 15 children late this week, what a great effort.

Year 3 have the best attendance closely followed by Year 4, who will it be next week?



Be a Reader” Class award
Great work **Maple Class** who have won the “Be a Reader” trophy this week, for collecting the most Reading Stars, 97% of the class achieved their Reading Star.



Isabella B and Oscar C have gained their Pen Licence this week.



Team Points
Superb work Goldfinches for collecting the most team points this week.

Star of the Week

Lucas S – for saying and writing a super wolf fact and painting an amazing wolf picture.

Alfie M – is the Year 1 star for always making sure his work is neat and well presented. He is trying so hard with his handwriting and it's looking beautiful.

Cate R – for excellent progress in reading and writing this term.

Chloe L – for putting 100% effort into her writing and trying hard to improve her sentences. Well done Chloe, you always work hard and your teachers are very proud of you.

Chloe K – well done Chloe for always trying your very best. You never complain and always have a smile on your face, you are an excellent example of what a good learner looks like.

Hiranya D – for consistently good effort and high levels of achievement, whatever the subject.

Emma F – for always showing enthusiasm, determination and a will to succeed. In addition to this, Emma designed and constructed an outstanding model of an Anderson Shelter. Well done!

Playleader

Our “Thrilling Thursday” group of Playleaders, Amy C, Katie W, Faith F, Jake C, Kayne C and Reece J have been chosen by Mrs Honour for their excellent work in Key Stage 1 during lunchtime yesterday.

Achievements

Our children who take part in Music lessons from Stave House are progressing really well and the following children have recently passed exams:-
Oliver G achieved a Pass in Music Performance – Stave House Music Award -1,
Jessica H achieved a Pass with distinction in Music Performance – Stave House Music award -2,
Jessica McL achieved a Pass with distinction in Music Performance – Stave House Music Award -1.
Erica D received a certificate for taking part in the Chelmsford District Scout Council Swimming Gala.



Essex Fire and Safety

Essex County Fire and rescue Service recommend that each floor of your home has a working fire alarm which should be tested weekly. They can provide smoke alarms free of charge. To arrange a free home fire safety visit from one of their technicians phone 0300 303 0088 or email via the website www.essex-fire.gov.uk.



A frame from a car seat/pushchair was left in Orchard Close the other day. Does it belong to any of our parents?

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Headteacher***