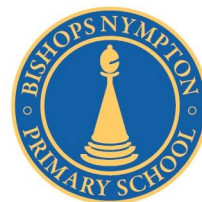


## Your Weekly

# UPDATE

Spring 2017 WEEK 7



Week Ending: 24th February 2017

### WORLD BOOK DAY - DRESS UP AND MAD HATTERS TEA PARTY

On Thursday 2nd March we will be celebrating 'World Book Day'. The children may come into school dressed as their favourite book characters. We will not be asking for donations for this dress up day and will be just enjoying it for fun. To add to the World Book Day celebrations Mrs Kennealy is offering a special 'Mad Hatters Tea Party' menu on Thursday (see overleaf for full menu).

### PANCAKE DAY

To celebrate Pancake Day the kitchen will be serving pancake instead of the advertised pudding. This will be served with a selection of topping, fruit and yogurt will also be available as usual.

### CLASS 1 OUTDOOR LEARNING

Class 1 will not be have Outdoor Learning for the rest of this term. This is due to the poor weather that we are experiencing and feel it is not appropriate for them to be outdoors, along with the amount of kit needed as they also have Pro-coaching on this day. The children will now have a PE session with Pro-Coaching followed by a RE lesson with Mrs Westbury-Wells on Thursdays.

### PROPOSED TRENCH WORKS

As part of Bishops Nympton Heating refurbishments works it is proposed to have a ground trench (service duct) dug across the road. This is to link new services from the school to the main building. The trench will be dug at an agreed date and during a school holiday in 2017 to minimise disruption to the school. Access for pedestrians will be maintained at all times and the trench shall be covered over at the end of each day. However due to the restricted width of the road, access for cars will not be available for approximately 60 hours. If you have any queries, concerns or objections regarding this proposal then please call 01392 351 009 or 07850 932 254 to talk to Mr David Grace or NPS (SW) Ltd or email david.grace@nps.co.uk

### OFSTED INSPECTION

Parents will be aware that the school received its Ofsted inspection on Wednesday this week, we would like to thank all the parents who took time to respond online to the parent surveys. The outcomes will be published very soon.

### TIME PEAKE SPACE PROJECT

Following on from our last exciting space science day, Jo Richardson our 'Space Ambassador' will be return to school on Friday 3rd March to involve the children and parents in more workshops. We would very much like parents to be involved in the day and you are welcome to join us for the assembly and your child's workshop. A run through of the day will be:

9.30 - 10.00am	Assembly in the hall (children and parents)
10.00 - 11.15am	Key Stage 1 - workshop 'train like an astronaut' (in the hall) with Jo Richardson (Class 2 & 3 will be providing workshops in their own classes with their class teachers)
1.00 - 3.00pm	Key Sage 2 - workshop 'Blast Off 2' (in hall) with Jo Richardson.

If you have children in both groups you are more than welcome to attend both sessions. We hope that you will find the projects as inspiring as the children do.

### PTA CAKE SALE

The PTA wishes to thank everyone who sent in and purchases cakes for the recent cake sale. A fantastic £121.60 was raised from this event.

### FERRET RACING

Tonight at Bishops Nympton Parish Hall will see the PTA's ferret racing. Great fun for all, 8 exciting races, refreshment, hot food, bar and a chance to have a bet on the tote. First race starts at 7.30pm all welcome.

## Amethyst Achiever Awards

Class 1 achiever: George L-W

Class 2 achiever: Lucy D

Class 3 achiever: Alex A

## House Points

Totals so far this term

Ruby	571
Emerald	515
Amber	534
Sapphire	485

### FUTURE DATES AND EVENTS

Mon 13th - Fri 17th February - Half term break.  
Group 2 Swimming Lessons Wed 22nd Feb to 29th March (not including 15th March, Heatree Trip Week)  
Tuesday 28th February - Pancake Day  
Thursday 2nd March - World Book Day - Dress up as favourite book character & enjoy a mad hatters tea party for lunch  
Friday 3rd March - Space Science Day  
Wed 15th - Fri 17th March - Years 4 & 5 - Heatree Residential Trip  
Monday 20th March - School Open Afternoon  
Tuesday 21st & Thursday 23rd - Preschool Parent consultation days  
Thursday 23rd March - Parents Evening 1  
Thursday 30th March - Parents Evening 2  
Thursday 30th March - Preschool Open morning  
Friday 31st March - Last day of term & Easter celebration in parish church in afternoon

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Are Celebrating World Book Day With A

# Mad Hatters Tea Party

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2017

Main:

A selection of Jam, Egg & Cheese Sandwiches,  
Sausage Rolls, Mini Scotch Eggs, Cocktail  
Sausages, Breadsticks, Cherry Tomatoes,  
Cucumber, Pepper & Carrot Sticks

Dessert:

A Selection of Mini Puddings

Jam Tarts, Victoria Sponge, Chocolate Squares &  
Fruit Kebabs

