

## Welcome back

I hope you all had a lovely half term and have come back refreshed for a new term. We have lots of exciting things to look forward to this term including an author visit from Brian Moses, World Book Day and a FOBSA disco. Keep an eye on the newsletter for regular updates.

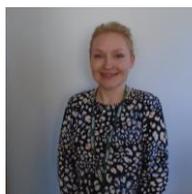
## Community Chef

On the 14<sup>th</sup> February a Community Chef came in to work with Year 5 and 6. The children all enjoyed the visit and tried lots of new ingredients and recipes based about the themes of Egypt and WW1 and WW2.



## Welcome to Mrs O'Niell

Mrs O'Niell has come to join us to work in our reception. She has lots of office experience and is excited to join our team. There are lots of new faces for Mrs O'Niell to get to know but I'm sure you will join us in welcoming her to our community.



## Headteacher Awards



All these fantastic children received Headteacher's awards this week:

Nikola in Leopards Class for some fantastic fraction problem solving.

James W, Olivia, Isaac, Marli and Wanda in Koalas Class for writing excellent myths.

All of Eagles Class for outstanding poems.

Jacob in Koalas Class for using a word mat to support spelling.

Kuley and Alisha in Eagles Class for amazing drawing.

Preishanth and Alex in Panthers Class for making their own fraction wall to help improve their understanding of using the bar method.

Calen and Arlo in Panthers Class for creating a well-planned and presented game on converting fractions.

Katy in Panthers Class for a huge effort this year in improving her spelling and handwriting.

AJ in Koalas Class for amazing writing.

James W. in Koalas Class for fantastic writing about the spaceship.

Well done all of you, I look forward to seeing who will get celebrated this week.

## Dates for your diary

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> February- Brian Moses (Author) visit for reception, Year 4 and 6

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March- Parent coffee morning to find out about pupil premium

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March- Zebra class assembly

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March- World Book Day- come dressed up as a character from a book which has been adapted into a film

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March- Mufti day

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Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March- Year 1 sports festival

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## Changes to Milk

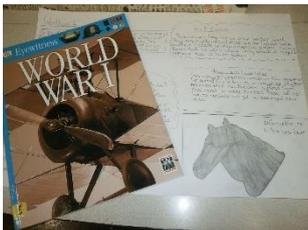


Children who are 4 and under or are in receipt of pupil premium funding are entitled to free milk every day. Some children enjoy this very much while others are not choosing to drink it.

Consequently we are regularly left over with too much milk. To try to reduce this waste we are going to change how we managed the milk. Children in foundation stage or children who buy milk will still have their milk delivered to their classroom. If children who pay for the milk do not drink it, it will be sent home.

Children in receipt of pupil premium will be able to ask for a token from their teachers every day they want it and collect their milk from the fruit trolley at playtime.

## A week in Hawks!



They have been writing non-chronological reports about WWI and have found out some interesting facts.

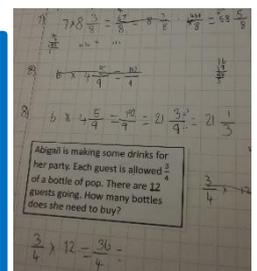


Some of the class have been cooking- they made a delicious vegetable soup. They also had a fun session with the community chef who taught them about rationing during the war and cooked some WW2 recipes which the children enjoyed tasting- the spam fritters were very popular!



In Games, Hawks and Eagles had a basketball intra house competition. It was very exciting and Phoenix House won.

This week Hawks have been working hard in their maths lessons multiplying and dividing fractions!



Well done Hawks!

