Friday March 29th 2019

Milverton News

Coming up next week

Monday	WAM forms due date
Tuesday	Gymnastics Y3/4
	Mindfulness Y3/4
	Football Tournament Y5/6
Wednesday	Swimming
Thursday	
Friday	Class assembly Maple
	Family Lunch Willow

Diary Dates

Tue 9th Apr	Y1 Phonics Parent meeting
Thurs 11th Apr	Milvertate
Fri 12th Apr	Easter Eggstravaganza
Fri 12th April	**Spring Term Ends**
Mon 29th Apr	Term Begins
Mon 29th Apr	EYFS Dino Day
Fri 3rd May	Class Assembly Willow
Mon 6th May	**Bank Holiday School Closed**
Tue 7th May	Y3 Roman Trip
Wed 8th May	SEND Coffee Morning
Thur 9th May	Y4 Roman Trip
Mon 13th May	Y6 SATs Week
Fri 17th May	Class Assembly Pine
27th May - 2nd June	**Half term break**
Mon 3rd Jun	Shakespeare Day
Wed 5th Jun	EYFS Farm Visit
Wed 5th Jun	Y5/6 Black Country Museum
Thur 6th Jun	KS1 Football
Fri 7th Jun	Class Assembly Hazel
Mon 10th Jun	Y4 Times Tables Check
Wed 12th Jun	School Photographer
Fri 21st Jun	Infant Sports Day
Mon 24th Jun	Junior Sports Day
Fri 28th Jun	School Reports out
Mon 1st July	Y1/2 Cotswold Park visit
Tue 9th July	Y1/2 Welcome meeting
Wed 10th July	Y3/4 Welcome meeting
Thur 11th July	Y5/6 Welcome meeting
Sat 13th July	Milverton Summer Event
Thur 18th July	**Summer Term Ends**
Fri 19th July	**Teacher Day School Closed**

Cross Country Finals

The Cross Country County Finals took place on Saturday with 5 children (unfortunately our 6th runner, Sam B, was unwell so was unable to take part) from years 5 and 6 running for the Central Area team. Everyone ran brilliantly and the Central Area boys and girls' teams won overall! In the girls' race, Bella came in 12th position, Izzy 17th and Maddie 18th. For the boys, Sam C came 27th and Jesse was 29th. It was a tough race competing against the best race runners from across the county so they should all be really proud of their achievement.

This run marked the end of the cross country events for this academic year so if your child still has their numbered t-shirt then please return it to Mrs Smith so that it can be used for future events.

An enormous thank you to Mrs Smith for giving up her weekend mornings to enable everyone to take part and a big well done to the runners for such a fabulous season!

Spring Music Evening

On Thursday evening we were treated to a special musical performance. Our Spring Music evening was a superb event with over 40 children getting the chance to perform in front of a packed house. The audience were well entertained with piano, keyboard, clarinet, guitar, brass and flute instrumentalists. I was blown away with the confidence shown by our performers on the night.

Parents made kind donations on the night to help raise much needed funds towards some new instruments for school.

A big thank you to Mrs Page, our music teacher, who organised the show. Children and parents left the building buzzing with excitement after their performing to such a large audience. Well done to everyone!

WAM Reminder

Summer 1 forms out now and due back before Mon 1st April

Look out for new exciting clubs this term:
Forest School Archery, Netball, Coding Club, Double Football, Street Fusion, mindfulness and Mini Movers.

WAM Performances

As we try to develop our WAM provision we have tried to include performances for different clubs, at Easter the following performances will take place:

WAM Drama Club performance 'Easter Eggstravaganza'- **Friday 12th April, 9.10am in the Main Hall.**

Easter Eggstravaganza

Our **Easter Egg-Stravaganza** is planned for Friday 12th of April - The last day of this Spring term. We will be holding the same competitions as last year.

Paint an Egg Competition

- You must paint a real egg
- The backdrop with the egg must be smaller than 20cm in all dimensions
- Any theme is allowed
- The four age ranges are EYFS, Y1 and Y2, Year 3 and 4, Year 5 and 6
- Prize for the winners!

Easter Bonnet Parade—EYFS, Y1 and Y2

- decorate an Easter bonnet in the style of your choosing
- Can be made on any hat or head covering
- We will parade the entries around the playground
- A prize for the winners!

Egg Tombola

- Children buy tickets to try and win the eggs!

Please donate an egg or two for the festivities
there will be a box in school reception

Learner of the month

Evelyn

Sportsperson of the month

Bella

Creative Chipmunk

Ivy

Making a difference

Neve

Congratulations to our 'Star Learners' this week

Hazel	Kate
Willow	
Cherry	Leo
Apple	Newton
Pear	Matthew
Elm	Jacob
Pine	Izzy
Maple	Zach
Chestnut	Harry
Oak	Lexie
Ash	Reece

SEND

On Wednesday we held an information session for parents of children with SEND. If you were unable to attend, the information slides from the session are on the school website under *Parent Meetings and Workshops.*

This was an extremely positive session and discussion followed about how as a community we can provide support for parents and so we will be trialling a series of coffee mornings, starting in the Summer term. The idea is that you can pop along, after drop off and meet other parents of children with SEND, have a coffee and a chat and we will discuss, going forwards if there are common themes parents would like a little more support with and whether we can invite specialists to share their expertise.

The first of these coffee mornings will be on Wednesday 8th May, 9.00-10.00 in the dining hall. Come along if you can!

Anyone for Tennis?

Next Term Tony's Tennis will start back on the first day back, Mon 29 April, and to run for 10 weeks. No session on the Bank Holiday Monday or the half-term.

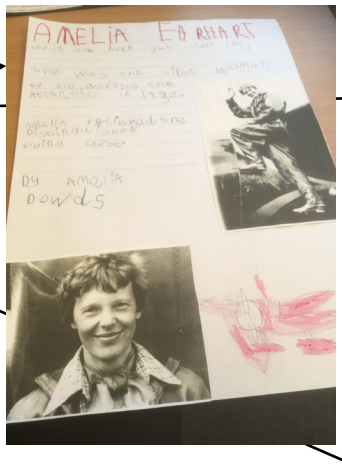
For those of you looking for some different activities at Easter;
Easter Tennis Camp: Week 1, Mon 15th to Thu 18th April / Week 2 Tue 23rd to Fri 26th April.
The camp runs from 9am – 2pm* (* a 3pm late pick-up is available). You just need a packed lunch.
The camp is open to children aged 4 (at school)-14 and all standards are welcome. If the weather is bad, we'll go in the squash courts. Full details can be found here:
http://www.leamington-tennis-squash.co.uk/tennis/tennis-junior-holiday-camps/

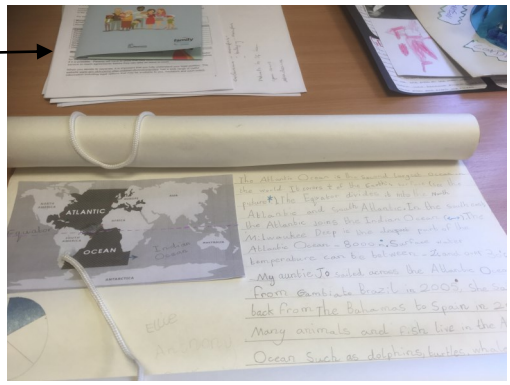
Mad Scientists

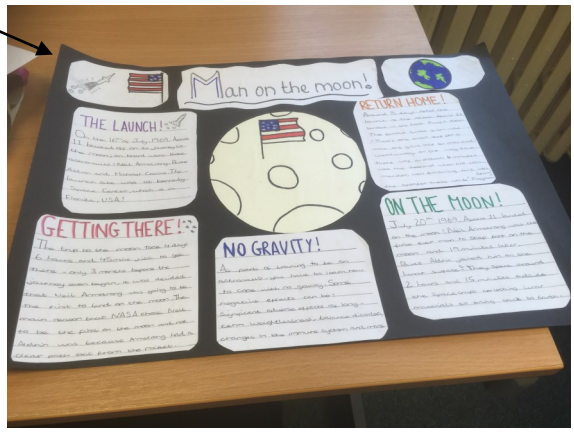
We ran a science competition this half term within our cluster group. Our winners were chosen by members of our learning council and the following winners were selected in each phase of the school. Well done to everyone who entered as we had a fabulous range of entrants and a really high standard of competition.

The winners were :

Amelia in Year R
Ellie in In Year 1/2
Umar in Year 3/4
Imogen in Year 5/6







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FRIENDS OF MILVERTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

Diary Dates

Fri 5th Apr	Jnrs Cookies & Donuts
Fri 12th Apr	Easter Eggstravaganza
Fri 12th April	**Term Ends**
Sat 13th July	Summer Circus

Milverton Summer Event

Roll Up! Roll Up!
The Circus is coming to Milverton!
We are pleased to announce that on Saturday 13th July, Happy's Circus will be performing their big top show!
More details on venue and ticket prices to follow shortly.

- **5th April, Donations of cookies and donuts**
- **12th April, Donations of Easter Eggs for tombola**
- A box will be provided by the main office for Easter egg donations from Monday 25th March until Friday 12th April (11am)
- Class Reps - if you are interested in being a 'Point of Contact' between FOMPS and your child's class please email us on fomps@outlook.com
- Ideally we would like to parents for each class. Can anyone spare a morning or afternoon to come into school with a laptop and carry out research on what grants are available to the school? Please contact us on fomps@outlook.com

We are raising funds for:

Playground Equipment Phase 3

Key Stage 1 Climbing Equipment

For Summer 2020

In discussion:
...putting together a 'Parent Working Directory ' which lists jobs and skills parents of the school have for us to utilise.
...A new angle on the 'Grow a pound' scheme - news to follow.
...Fair Trade School?

parentkind.org.uk
is brimming with articles for parents, to help you support your child's school life and learning, and it's open to everyone!

What have the FOMPS bought for the school?

2016/17 - I pads

2017/18 - Changing Rooms

2018/19 - KS2 Climbing

SAVE THE DATE

The Circus is coming to town
for Milverton's Summer Fair

Saturday 13th July

More information to follow

Notices

COOKIE & DONUT SALE

Friday 5th April
at 3:20pm

Under the shelter in the Infant playground

£1
per item

DONATIONS APPRECIATED
(please leave in main office from Thurs 4th)

All money raised will go towards the school

Thank-you - FOMPS team

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Vacancy

Looking for occasional work close to home?

Would you or anyone you know like to be an

School Crossing Patrol for Milverton Primary School

Join our team now and make a real difference!

Full training and uniform provided

Please call 01926 412661 or email scp@warwickshire.gov.uk for further details.

Application forms are available to download on our website.

www.warwickshire.gov.uk/schoolcrossingpatrols

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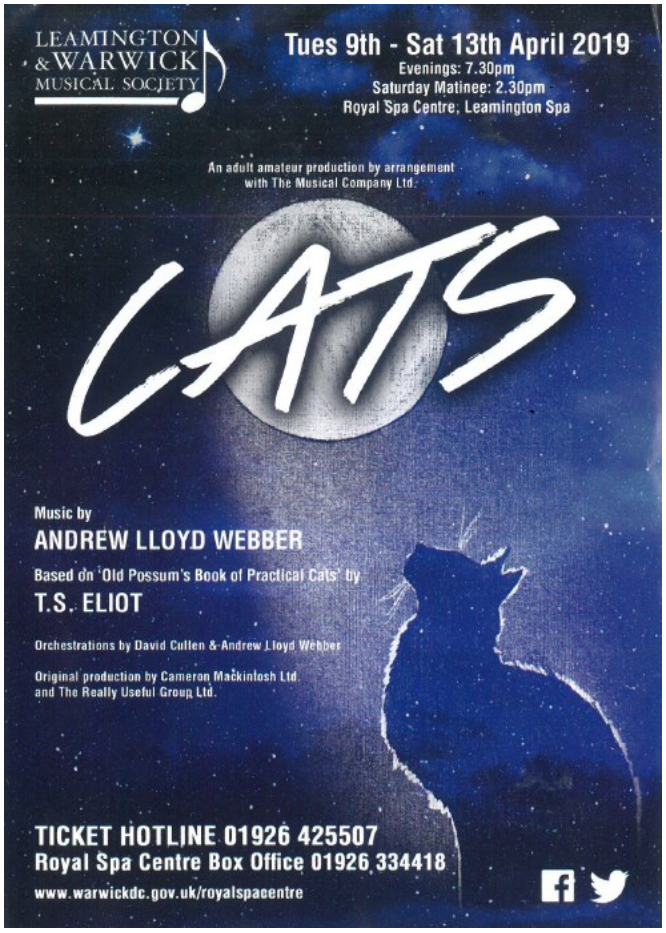

Our school vision and aims

MILVERTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

Where the Journey Begins

A journey ...

... that prepares children to find success in whatever they choose to do.

... as part of a nurturing, caring community that encourages children to enjoy life and love learning.

... full of challenge and exciting experiences that develop resilience, strength and determination.

... through a memorable curriculum to develop confident, creative and curious minds.

... that guides children to celebrate individuality, to appreciate differences and to respect others.

... that allows children to mature into empathetic people caring for themselves, for others and for the world around them.

... that empowers children to explore and become free-thinking individuals.

... that inspires children to reach for new horizons.