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Learning together and worshipping together

Dear Parents/Carers,

The girls' science day at Queens school in Chester was full of fun and learning.



A Maths day is coming soon for girls in years 2 and 3 - Saturday, 22nd March. Your daughter will experience a morning filled with engaging activities designed to ignite curiosity, sharpen problem-solving skills and spark a love for mathematics. For more information, please email admissions@thequeensschool.co.uk

This half term we have also taken part in the Bob Marley Young Voices worldwide singalong.

They learned the song; they learned the moves... then it was time to celebrate Bob Marley's 80th Birthday with over 250,000 other singers across the globe!



In Class 1, they have been learning about people who help us in the community and children have loved learning about the roles of doctors and nurses and how they help keep us healthy. They were lucky enough to have a visit from a real nurse (one of our mummy's) who talked to them all about her job as a nurse at a hospital. Our PCSO will be coming in for a visit soon.



Class 2 have been very busy using their amazing English skills. As their book, 'The Lion Inside', came to a close, the children excitedly wrote their final piece. This was their opportunity to showcase everything they have learned in our English unit and they did this beautifully. We are very excited for you to see their work at Parents' Evening.

As part of DT, they have enjoyed examining and tasting a wide range of fruit and veg. It was wonderful to see how adventurous the children were tasting everything. They took this knowledge forward to make their own fruit or vegetable salad.

They have also immersed themselves in geography learning about Kenya (building on their knowledge of Uganda), and how life in Kenya contrasts to life in the UK. Our latest artistic creation was to make an African necklace.



In Class 3, they have really been enjoying their book: Escape from Pompeii. They have some wonderful work to share at parent's evening too. In history, they have been learning about the ancient Romans and their forest school session focused on this - they made Roman aqueducts to transport water, then made Roman numerals by using nails and string.



Everyone had fun on World Book Day – we all dressed as an adjective! I don't know who invited Shrek, Fiona and Donkey to school!





It was difficult for us to judge the Book in a Box competition winners – all the entries were amazing. Thank you all for the efforts that everyone went to. The winners were: Class 1 Sebastian, Class 2 Poppy, Class 3 Eva, Class 4 Jack. We hope they enjoy their book prizes.



In Class 4's forest school, they extended the work they have been doing in the classroom and learnt about how mountains are created and the features of mountains and made their own mini-mountain ranges, labelling the features. These were very intricate and several resulted in Headteacher's golden stickers!



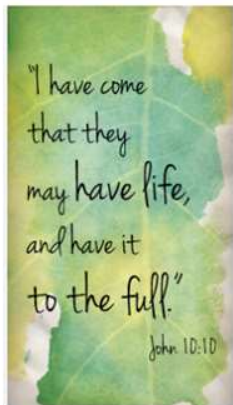
Our new Nerf Club, run by NAR sports, is on a Monday after school and is sure to have the children having lots of fun! I'm not sure it will be any quieter than Karaoke club that the children have also been enjoying this term!

Our KS2 children have been performing really well at the Bishop Heber Sports events – Netball and Handball were this half term. It was a very strong team that played handball – some fabulous strikers and defenders - and we came 2nd!! As always, it was good to see our children playing well as a team.

There is lots more planned for the rest of this term – follow up Dogs Trust workshops, Whitchurch Tennis club sessions, Red Nose Day, Athletics Challenge Day, and of course our very first COLOUR RUN to link in with RE learning about the Holi festival. And that is all before our Easter celebrations – Class 3 play and the Easter service at St Chad’s on the last day of term.

Look out for updates about these events in the next newsletter.

Please see the calendar on our school website <https://www.tushingham.cheshire.sch.uk/events> to find out events that are coming up.



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