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Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

I can't believe we are already at the end of this half term. What a busy few weeks it has been! As we move into next half term, we look forward to our **EYFS celebration of work event on 3rd March**. This will be from 2:00pm. We also look forward to holding our **spring term consultation meetings after school on 10th and 11th March**. More details about how to book an appointment for this will be sent out via Arbor after half term.

Well done to everyone in Mars house for earning the most house points. Children in Mars all enjoyed reward time in the hall together on Wednesday.

Have a fantastic half term break! If you are celebrating the Lunar New Year, I hope you enjoy the celebrations! We look forward to seeing everyone back in school on Monday 23rd February.



Mrs White
Executive Headteacher





Mental Health and Wellbeing Week

As part of **Children's Mental Health Week**, we've been focusing on what matters most, the wellbeing of our children! Earlier this week, a group of children had an amazing time at a wellbeing event at Climb Quest MK, run by the Milton Keynes Sports Partnership.

Our children showed incredible **resilience and perseverance** as they took on new challenges, pushed themselves out of their comfort zones, and supported each other every step of the way.

Working together



Parents and schools share the same goal: **supporting children's education**. Sometimes questions or concerns arise. The best way to resolve concerns is through clear, respectful communication. Click here to view the Parentkind guide to school complaints. This guide gives you clear steps to share your views and resolve issues quickly and positively. This guide aims to help Parents and Carers resolve concerns quickly, easily and positively. We are increasingly seeing Parents and Carers demanding to meet with specific staff at specific times and this in not always possible to accommodate. Please work together with us, using the appropriate channels to resolve any queries quickly and constructively.

Golden Book

Wagtails: Karen and Ella

Robins: Morgan and Arnold

Starlings: Nancy and Adelina

Woodpeckers: Levi and Lance

Kestrels: Cooper and Isla

Finches: Maisie and Dhrumin




MILTON KEYNES BREAKERS BASKETBALL
DISCOUNTED TICKETS
CODE: SCHOOLS35
WWW.MKBASKETBALL.CLUB
WORTHING
THUNDER
SATURDAY 14TH FEBRUARY
17:00PM
CITY OF BIRMINGHAM
ROCKETS
SATURDAY 21ST FEBRUARY
17:00PM
BRITISH CHAMPIONSHIP BASKETBALL
GAMES AT BLETCHLEY LEISURE CENTRE



World Book Day

Thursday 5th MARCH



We're excited to celebrate World Book Day with a focus on the beautiful animal-themed stories of award-winning author and illustrator Catherine Rayner.





Children are invited to come to school in animal-themed fancy dress.



All children will receive a World Book Day token to exchange for a special World Book Day book or to get £1 off a full-price title at participating retailers.

SAVE THE DATE!

EVS SUMMER FAIR

SATURDAY 13TH JUNE

11am-1pm



More info to follow..

Emerson Valley

Spring Term dates

These dates are for both Merebrook and Emerson Valley unless otherwise indicated. NEW EVENTS IN RED.

3rd March 2026	**Snapdragons to Campbell Park** **EYFS celebration of work 2:00pm**
4th March 2026	**Cherry Blossoms to Campbell Park**
5th March 2026	**World Book Day**
6th March 2026	**Sunflowers to Campbell Park**
10th and 11th March 2026	**Parent Consultations from 3:40pm**
11th March 2026	Friends of EVS Mother's Day Shop
13th March 2026	**Bluebells to Campbell Park** **CHoMS Mother's Day shop at Merebrook**
17th March 2026	**Robins to Westcroft library**
18th March 2026	**Kestrels to Westcroft library**
20th March 2026	**Red nose day:** non-uniform day **Year 5 pizza party and sleepover** from 5:30pm
25th March 2026	**Year 5 performance to parents** 2:30pm
27th March 2026	**Rocksteady concert to parents** 2pm
13th June 2026	**EVS Summer Fair** from 11-1pm. All invited!