

Manor Field Infant and Nursery School - Newsletter Friday 17th May 2019

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Team GB Athlete Visit

The children had an active morning with Eden Francis, the GB team shot and discus athlete. Thank you to all those children who raised sponsor money for the event. A grand total of £676 was raised which was well above our target of £425. Eden congratulated the children on all of their efforts.

Collection After School

Can we remind Parents that collecting children directly from the school office will only be permitted in exceptional circumstances that have been previously authorised by the Head of School. If you need to collect a child early for any medical or dental appointment, please see the school office for a medical form.

Zumba Club

Does your child enjoy keeping active and having fun? Mrs Kirk will be running a Zumba club for Year One and Reception children every Thursday after school in the hall for six weeks, finishing at 3.45pm.

Children will need to wear PE kit and trainers or plimsolls for the club. We still have places available, so if your child would like to join, please sign up at the school office. The first session will be on Thursday 23rd May.

Lego Token Collection

Thank you to everyone who has helped collect the Lego tokens for our school. We have collected a total of 4260 tokens. A fantastic amount Well done everyone !

Dates for your Diary:

Zumba Club Starts;

Thursday 23rd May

Last Day of Term;

Friday 24th May

Year 1 Sea Life Centre:

Tuesday 18th June

Class Attendance We are aiming for 100% attendance:

Acorn - 98%

Conker - 94.23%

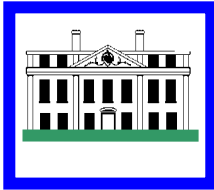
Hawthorn - 92.13%

Walnut - 93.33%

Beech - 97.08%

Chestnut - 97.22%





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Philosophy for Children

Philosophy for children is a teaching approach with aims to develop and foster children's critical thinking skills in a caring and supportive way. Children take part in class discussions and activities which help them to express themselves, build vocabulary and treat others who have different opinions to them with respect. Every Friday, we will publish on our newsletter a philosophy based question. Please talk about this over the weekend with your child; we will then discuss the questions as a whole school during Collective Worship each Monday.

This week, our philosophy question is:

Could a robot replace a teacher?

We look forward to hearing the children's ideas!

Crisp Packets

Walkers has launched the nation's first Crisp Packet Recycling Scheme, turning empty crisp packets into new useful things. As a school, we will be collecting any empty crisp packets. For every 400 packets we collect, we can raise £2.00. The PTA will be collecting the packets regularly and using the funds raised. A great project to be a part of. A collection box will appear very soon!

Lost Property

We have a collection of Water Bottles and Hats that have been handed in to the office. Please check to see if they belong to your child.

Year 1 Sea Life Centre Trip

Reminder: Permission slips and money to be returned by Wednesday 5th June.

Head Teachers Awards

Seb-For making a ladybird on his own, counting carefully to make sure it had symmetrical spots.

Amari-Lee-For working really well with your friends to make different junk models.

George-For asking really interesting questions at the church.

Faye-For her excellent questions during the church trip.

Jack-For excellent work in Maths and Reading this week.

Sidney-For trying his best in all our work.

Birthday Collective Worship for Reception, Year 1 & 2

On **Friday 24th May** at 1.15pm in the school hall, we will be celebrating birthdays that fall between **19th-25th May**