A home for learning, laughing, caring & trying



# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

### Week commencing Monday 31st March 2025

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#### Absence reporting

If your child is unable to attend school due to illness, please inform the school office by 9.30am on 917 9881.

Please remember that if your child has sickness or diarrhoea they should not return to school for 48 hours.

### **IMPORTANT MESSAGES**

#### **Eid Stay & Play**

Join us on Tuesday 1st April from 3.45pm until 4.45pm for fun crafts and activities to celebrate the 'the festival of breaking the fast' - Eid al Fitr. The cost to attend is £3.50 per family. Please let us know here if you will be attending: Eid Stay & Play

#### **Easter Homework**

Don't forget to make and bring your Easter bonnet or decorated Easter egg to wear/show in our Easter parade on Friday 4th April.

#### **Wrap Around Care**

Please ensure that accounts for Breakfast Club, After School Club, Friday Fun Factory, Nursery and Extra-Curricular Clubs are brought up to date by the end of term. The booking system is now live for the Summer term. Please ask if in doubt.

#### Win Free Friday Fun Factory Sessions

Would you like to access free milk, uniform, school supplies, Extra-Curricular Clubs and discounted school trips? Find out if you are eligible by contacting Nottinghamshire County Council <u>Free School Meals & Milk</u>. Successfully register by 31<sup>st</sup> March to be entered into a prize drawer for a chance to win a free block of Friday Fun Factory sessions. See poster attached.

#### Film Night - Inside Out 2 Friday 25th April

Book your place via School Gateway - tickets cost £6 and include a hot dog and popcorn. Select Clubs / Film Night / Choose your food / Add to basket / Check Out

#### **Governor vacancies**

The Governing Board currently has two vacancies. The Board welcomes diversity and actively seeks volunteers from individuals of all backgrounds to represent the diversity of our school community. You do not have to be a parent to volunteer, so please let Grandparents, neighbours etc. know too. If you have any questions please get in touch: <a href="mailto:governor@totonbanksroad.notts.sch.uk">governor@totonbanksroad.notts.sch.uk</a>

#### Change to menu

We have a couple of changes to the menu for next week. Please see the special menu attached for details.

#### **Easter Holiday Club**

Places are still available for the Rattle & Roll Holiday Club during the Easter Holidays. Free places are available for children in receipt of Free School Meals Pupil Premium. Contact Nottinghamshire County Council on 0800 500 8080 to confirm eligibility.



# GOLDEN STARS

Well done to this week's Golden Stars!

Mrs Taylor Ka Ching (Oak)

Birch Rosie
Chestnut Saanvi
Cherry Raiden
Maple Everleigh

Oak Ivy & Marceline

Willow Erin

Midday Supervisors Ewan (Birch)

Please return your Golden Star Trophy by Wednesday

# **RAINBOW**

### **STARS**

This week the TA's Rainbow Stars are



Birch Lila
Chestnut Zachary
Cherry Bobby
Maple Kirby
Oak Freddie
Willow Penny

**WELL DONE!** 

WHATS ON THIS WEEK	
MONDAY	Choir (notified children only)
TUESDAY	Eid Family Stay & Play (3.45pm – 4.45pm)
WEDNESDAY	
THURSDAY	
FRIDAY	Stay & Read (8.45am – 9am) Easter Bonnet Parade Maple Class library visit (2pm)

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY...

Dates / times are subject to change. \*More information to follow.

7th -17th April – Rattle & Roll Holiday Club

22<sup>nd</sup> April – Global Week

25th April – Film Night – Inside Out (Pre-booked children only)

5th May - Bank Holiday Monday - school closed

8th May – School Council Meeting (3.15pm – 4.15pm)

11th June – Reception September 2025 new starters Parent Information Evening

19th June – Sports Day (from 1pm)

20th June - INSET Day - school closed to pupils

## **CLASS ATTENDANCE**

week ending 28th March 2025

**★**Congratulations Willow – 99.2%!**★** 

Birch – 97.4% Chestnut – 98% Cherry – 93.2% Maple – 89.1%

Oak – 96.3%

"I like making a potion & a fishing rod."

Farida - Birch

"I've enjoyed handwriting & making my writing really small." Robin - Cherry

"I love playing football with Oscar, Elliott, Joshua & Bodhi."

#### **WOW Moments!**

Complete the WOW form to tell us about your child's out of school achievements within the last week; we would love to help them celebrate!



Be Kind

# KIDS QUOTES

SCHOOL DINNERS
WINTER MENU CYCLE
SPECIAL
Click here for menu



Breakfast Club
£6.00 per day
Pay via School Gateway App or childcare vouchers
'NCC Banks Road Infants School'.

"I loved all the squelchy mud on the Toton Trail." Henry - Maple

"I love playing & phonics."

Arran – Chestnut

"I like doing tennis in P.E. with my friends." Harrison - Oak

**TERM DATES: Spring 2:** 24.02.25 – 04.04.25 **Summer 1:** 22.04.25 –23.05.25 **Summer 2:** 02.06.25 –25.07.25 **INSET DAYS:** 3<sup>rd</sup> September, 20<sup>th</sup> June, 28<sup>th</sup> July, 29<sup>th</sup> July



