Dear Parents

Bourne in Lights - Saturday 19th March

Tomorrow is the Bourne in Lights event hosted by South Kesteven District Council. The evening will be an opportunity for families to enjoy a range of creative activities and exhibits. Some of our children in Year 4 have worked with local artist Helen Grahame to make a lantern for the event. These lanterns should be brought from 3:00pm onwards to North Street where the organisers will show children where to hang them for the collective display.

Sports Report from Mrs Anderson

This week we saw the last cross-country of the academic year, with the team travelling to Spalding Rugby Club for the Ayscoughfee Hall annual event. Again, the weather was not kind to us but we showed great grit and determination across the 4 age groups. The Y3/4 girls' team came a fantastic second in the team event, with some fantastic individual places in a very strong field.

The Y3/4 boys came 6^{th} out of 8 teams, the Y5/6 girls team came 4^{th} out of 7 teams and the 5/6 boys came 5^{th} out of 7 teams. The children gave everything they had in terrible conditions. Their support for each other was outstanding throughout, demonstrating the Westy Way - well done to you all. Keep training and coming to cross country club if you can; new faces are always welcome too (Monday and Friday at 8.15am).

A huge thank you to the parent helpers who came along on the bus to support us; we really appreciate it.

School Information

Our Stars

A huge 'congratulations' to our special stars this week. To achieve this award children have tried very hard to excel in an area of their learning or behaviour. Our stars this week are:

Reception	Freya Dickinson	Jasper Bussey	Matilda Moore	
Year 1	Jacob Abel	Shayden Jubb	Sofia Hadzaj	
Year 2	Bettie Scott	George Skinner	All of 2C for their amazing assembly	
Year 3	Rosie Lock	Ellison Trawford	Ella Roberts	
Year 4	Jack Bloomfield	Sacha Thornton	Charlie Jackman	Elizabeth Lawrence
Year 5	Harry Easey	Christina Tait	Harry Wood	
Year 6	Makayla Abel	Lauren Burgin	Madeline Eagle	Evie Sharpe-Grose

Amazing Achievements

Well done to the following:

Daniel Peachey has achieved his Yellow Stripe in Tae Kwon Do

Ava Winterton has achieved her Yellow Belt in Tae Kwon Do

Daniel Kearns and Matthew Peachey have achieved their Blue Belt in Tae Kwon Do

Attendance

Congratulations to the following classes who were winners for the week commencing 7th March.

Gold Trophy Mr Mulhern's Class (98.21%)
Silver Trophy Mrs Arnold's Class (98.00%)

Attendance Ted Mrs Bull's Class (97.87%)

Mrs Scotney & Mrs Woodcock's Class (95.30%)

School Led Clubs - Week commencing 21st March

A courtesy reminder that there are no school led clubs in the week commencing 21st March due to parents' evenings – this includes the before school cross country. External paid clubs will run as normal.

Parents' Evening - 22nd & 24th March

If you haven't already done so, please ensure you book an appointment via Parentmail to see your child's teacher - the link to do this was sent to all parents via Parentmail.

Summer Uniform

Children will be able to wear their summer uniform of green polo shirts and summer dresses when we return from the Easter break on Wednesday 20th April. If you are thinking of purchasing sandals during the Easter break, we would ask that children do not wear open toe sandals for school.

Year 5 - Rescheduled Radio Shows

In Year 5, the children have been fortunate to have weekly sessions with Paradigm Arts, learning to become journalists and how the same skills can be applied to different media. This project is based around their topic of space which has really inspired many of them. It has been wonderful to see the pupils going above and beyond in their learning by carrying out further research at home and producing some extra work to share. The classes all produced a radio show before half term which has been rescheduled to be broadcast on Siren FM (https://www.sirenonline.co.uk) on the following dates at 2pm:

- 5D Monday 21st March
- 5L Wednesday 23rd March
- 5M Thursday 24th March

Tune in on those days to find out more.

School Lunches

All of the weekly menus for next term are now available on the meals website, so you can order well in advance. A copy of the menu and upcoming 'Theme Days' has been sent out by Parentmail and added to the school website. Tuesday 29th March is the deadline for ordering meals for the first week back after Easter please don't miss this! This includes our first theme day lunch on Friday 22nd April for St. George's Day. The children will be able to have sausage & baked bean casserole with mashed potatoes, peas & carrots followed by mixed berry jam sponge & custard for dessert. Quorn sausage & baked bean casserole with mashed potatoes, peas & carrots is the vegetarian option. All of the other regular options will be available on the day. The kitchen will not be able to accommodate for any unordered meals.

Understanding Your Child - Are you free on a Wednesday evening?

Do you find your child's behaviour puzzling or frustrating on occasions? Angela Pinchin and Jacqueline Clark are planning another course titled 'Understanding Your Child.' We are sure all parents may benefit from this reflective course that covers relationships, managing emotions, reducing conflict, sleep, eating, anxiety, anger tantrums – and of course, boundary battles!

It is a relaxed and accepting group, suitable for anyone involved with children aged 0 - 18 and everyone is welcome. It will run on a Wednesday evening 6.00 - 8.00 p.m. for 9 weeks, commencing 27^{th} April 2022. The cost is £3 per week to cover expenses. Please let us know if you are interested as there will

be limited spaces or e-mail angela.pinchin@bournewestfield.lincs.sch.uk. Parents who have attended past courses thoroughly recommend it!

Oracy Challenge - Odd One Out: Begin by naming three items - two that are connected in some way and one that is not (you can make this as easy or as hard as you would like) and ask a friend or your grown up to choose the odd one out. Ask them to explain why they think it is the odd one out too!

Friends of Westfield - Follow us on Facebook - https://www.facebook.com/FriendsWestfieldBourne Mother's Day Sale - Wed 23 March. A chance for the children to treat the special lady in their life be that their Mum, Step Mum or Nan. Children can choose a special gift for £2 which includes a free card. We don't want to give the game away too much but there are about 10 different gifts to choose from of varying colours and designs (stock dependent) so they'll be able to choose the most fitting one for their special someone. Please remember to send children in with their money on the day, in a named envelope, and they will be taken to choose their gift during the school day.

Design a logo competition - Don't forget your entries need to be in by **Friday 25 March**. Please design your logo entry on an A4 sheet of paper, write your name and class on the back and hand it in to your class teacher. All entries will be passed on to the FOW committee who will choose their favourite logo and award a prize to the winner.

Bourne Westfield School Lottery

Congratulations to Mrs Hammond who was the winner of the school lottery last week. The winnings increase as more people join - if you want to join for just £1 per ticket per week and have a chance of winning the weekly draw, then please go to www.yourschoollottery.co.uk, search for Bourne Westfield and follow the on screen instructions.

Miss K Atkinson Headteacher