## **NSPCC Online Safety Help**

The NSPCC came into school the week before half term and did a great assembly with the children all about keeping themselves safe. Following this we sent home a pack they had given us for children and parents to work through and hopefully get a little sponsorship for.

The NSPCC are coming back next week so if you have raised some money or would like to make a donation please send the money in on Monday.

While they were here they told us about a new service they have just set up with the phone company O2. This service is about giving advice and support to parents around online safety.

With children accessing online material at a younger age it is important for us as parents to be confident we are doing everything possible to ensure they do not access by accident any inappropriate material.

The service the NSPCC has set up can help parents with things like setting up parental controls on computers and other devices, adjusting privacy settings, social networks and gaming. You do not need to be an O2 customer to access the advice it is free to anyone.

You can either go to nspcc.org.uk/O2 to find a lot of useful information or phone 0808 800 5002 to have someone talk through with you how to do different things to keep your children safe while online.

# **Upcoming Events**

#### 8 November 2016

Children to watch Pantomime

#### 9 November 2016

2pm Year R Food tasting afternoon

4-7pm Parents Evening

#### **10 November 2016**

Year 2 Winchester Military Museum

4-6pm Parents Evening

#### 11 November 2016

Remembrance Day Lunch

#### **15 November 2016**

- 9-10am Parents in to watch RWI
- 1.30pm Year 2 Tank making

#### 16 November 2016

- 1.30pm Year 2 Tank making
- 2.45pm Year 2 Assembly

#### 17 November 2016

1.30pm Year 2 Tank making

#### **29 November 2016**

Year 1 Milestones Museum Trip

#### 30 November 2016

2.45pm Year 1 Assembly

# Parents coming to watch a Phonics, Reading and Writing session 15<sup>th</sup> November

On Tuesday the 15<sup>th</sup> November we would love it if you could come into school and join in with your child learning to read and to write. The phonics program we use as a school is called Read Write Inc. and it is your child doing this that we want to show you.

If you are able to come please come into school in the morning with your child and once the register has been done the children will take you to their group and will show you how we learn to read and write in school.

We hope that this opportunity will help you to understand what your child does in school and how you can support them at home.

The session will start at 9:00 and will finish at 10:00. For this session unfortunately younger siblings will not be able to join us as we have found it can be impossible to teach with little ones running around the classroom.

# **New Governors**

Can we say a very big thank you to all the people who put their names forward to be a school governor. We needed to find a number of new governors and we had significantly more people volunteer than we had positions. It is lovely to know that so many people want to help the school continue to improve.

Thank you also to all of you who took the time to read the information the different volunteers had written and then vote for the one you wanted. Again we had a very high number of voting slips returned.

I am very pleased to announce that following the election we have four new governors who are:

Mr Matthew Fasham Mrs Jenny Ibbs Mr Paul Glaysher Mrs Louise Waby



### Stars of the week



## 14<sup>th</sup> October 4<sup>th</sup> November

Alfie Keet
Darcy Churcher
Liam Boswell
Lauren Charlton

Joshua Young Benjamin Ayres Isla Bowler Parker Catt

# **Cost of School Trips**

While paying for school trips is voluntary, unfortunately the school is not able to cover the entire cost of the trip. We do rely on parents making a contribution. Without these contributions the trip would have to be cancelled.

We do try and keep the costs as low as possible as we realise the financial impact they can have, especially if you have more than one child.

Any contribution is welcome even if it is not the full amount.

Thank you

# **Class Dojo**



Class Dojo is the system we use in school to reward positive behaviour. It is a computer based program that the teachers put up on the whiteboard in the classrooms every day. It looks like a screen full of friendly monsters, with green numbers next to them.

The idea of Class Dojo is to reward children when they show one of the eight learning behaviours we focus on in school. The children get one point each time they show one of these behaviours or show good manners. These points add together for the individual child and combine to give a whole class score. The class with the highest number of points wins a special trophy in Celebration Assembly every Friday.

Each week we reset the points in the class to zero so that every week becomes a chance to show what a great learner you are.

Ask your child if they got any points today and if so what they got them for.