



BIRCHANGER BUZZ

Learn to Love, Love to Learn

Friday 26th January, 2018

Serita Solomon

On Wednesday we were lucky to be visited by the GB hurdler who lead an afternoon of sporting activities for all of our children.

Once all of the exercising was over Serita talked to the children during assembly. She answered many questions from our children and did a demonstration of her training techniques

Please could any sponsorship money be returned to school by Wednesday 31st January.



Star of the Week

Our Stars of the week for 2018 are:

Dragonfly class: - Ivy S

Hedgehogs class: - Matilda R.L

Badgers class: - Sara S

Squirrels class: - Oscar J

Owls class: - Amariah W

Well done to those children



Parent to parent session

Here is some advance notice of our next parent to parent session which will be held on 28th February at 2pm. This group is run by you for you and gives any parent a chance to come in and have a chat. Please could you let us know if you would like to attend as then we will know how many coffee cups to get ready!

Church news



Our church, St Mary's, has organised a beautiful display board to go at the back of the church and it will show some of the children's work. When the board is full of work we shall let you know so that you can call in at the church and see it.

Buttons !



We shall shortly be sending out some details

about a Reflection Day that the school is holding on the 21st February.

As part of this day the children are going to re-create the cross which stands in the entrance hall.

We estimate that we shall need over 600 buttons to create a colourful replacement for our current cross.

We would like to invite any members of our school community and village community to contribute to the cross by donating some buttons for us to use. For us to be able to stick the buttons on paper they need to be flat, uncovered and with 2 or 4 holes. They can be any size and remember that you can choose any colour that you like!

We shall keep a record of all contributors so please could you send your buttons in to school in a named envelope so that we know who you are. Grandparents, Aunties and Uncles and friends are all invited to give their own donations if they would like to.



Can you help?



Please could you make time to review some websites for us over the weekend? We shall

send out the form to give you some guidance. Your opinion is very important to us.

Nails

If your child wears nail varnish over the weekend please could you remove it before school on Monday.

Thank you

Library books

Over the next few weeks there will be some disruption to the library as we clear the books ready for some redecoration. This may mean that your child does not bring a library book home whilst we have to rehome the library books in any space that we can find! However, once the painting has been finished we will have a much better space for the children to relax and read.



Our new-look library will be a lovely new home for £1,000 of library books that the PTA have given us for all of the children to enjoy. This donation of books is in addition to the £300 that the PTA has given to each class so a huge thank you goes to them and to everyone who has contributed to their fundraising.

You will have an opportunity to see all of these books next month during assembly and of course when your child brings them home!.