



# Norton Sub Hamdon Church School

Monday 11th March 2024

Last week was an opportunity to celebrate story-telling and books. On Wednesday, Junior pupils and staff enjoyed the Norton Village Pantomime Puss in Boots. It was a fun-filled performance and we are extremely grateful to the Norton Pantomime Committee for this special event for our schools. Then on Thursday, we celebrated World Book Day. I was so impressed with the fantastic and creative costumes and the opportunity to learn about great books old and new.

How fitting that pupils in Willow Class enjoyed the story Handa's surprise by Eileen Brown which is filled with wonderful descriptions of fruit and some cheeky animals! In Birch Class, in their unit on Digital Wellbeing, pupils have been learning about risks online and what to do to stay safe. Hazel Class have moved their focus from rivers to mountains as they learn about the formation of the five different mountain types. In Rowan Class, pupils have been considering life after abolition of slavery and that even though slavery had been made illegal, it continued in many countries.

We look forward next Monday to the parents' afternoon/evening. Please do make sure that you have an appointment to speak with your child's classteacher.

This Friday it's Comic Relief. Children are invited to wear red clothes (non-school uniform) that day donation for Comic Relief. Pupils are welcome to bring in a red nose from home that day.

Finally, please see the poster advertising the Easter Competitions; making bonnets and/or gardens.

Have a successful week. Mr Caswell

Our half term Core Value: **Perseverance**

British Value Focus: **Mutual Respect**

## Upcoming Dates

**Mon 11th March** –Easter Bonnet./Easter Garden Competition launch

**Thurs 14th March**—Parent and Headteachers Forum 2pm—3pm

**Fri 15th March** - Comic Relief (wear red for the day)

**Mon 18th March**—New date Parents Evening 1.30-6.30pm

**Tues 19th March**—Year 1 and 2 Trip to Tiverton Museum

**Wed 20th March** - Stanchester Wow Day (Year 5)

**Wed 20th March**—Netball Tournament Sherborne Prep School (Y6)

**Wed 20th March** - Cross Country, Yeovil Recreation Ground, 4-5pm

**Friday 22nd March**—FONS Easter Fair

**Mon 25th March** –9-9.30am Awards Assembly

**Tues 26th March** - Primary Festival of Dance

**Weds 27th March**—Deadline for entries to Easter Bonnet/Easter Garden Competition.

**Weds 27th March**—2-3pm Easter Service at the Church, Easter Bonnet Parade and Competition results.

## Clubs

### **Breakfast Club**

Every day from 7.45am with breakfast option until 8.30am.

### **Afterschool clubs 3.15—4.05**

Monday — Gardening

Pro-Coaching  
dodgeball

Tuesday — Pro-Coaching  
Gymnastics

Wednesday — Pro-Coaching  
Multi-sports

Thursday — Music and Drama  
*(5pm pickup available Mon,  
Tues and Wed)*

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