

# The Pochin School Newsletter 16<sup>th</sup> February 2024

Dear Parents and friends,

Just a few dates for your diaries:

School Book Sale – Tuesday 27th February – Wednesday 6th March

This will be after school every night in the village hall. We would encourage all families to attend and help your children spend their £1 world book day vouchers with us. Last year the book sale raised over £400 worth of books for the school. These books are found in your children's class libraries!

#### World Book Day – Thursday 7th March

The school council has requested the school celebrate world book day by dressing up, having a book swap and a competition. Children can enter by decorating a shoe box or a small carboard box in a book theme (please see the poster below).

#### Comic Relief - RED NOSE DAY - Friday 15th March

The school will be fundraising for comic relief this year with a number of fundraising initiatives.

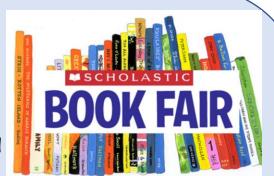
- Wear something that makes you laugh £1 to dress up in something fun!
- Enter a joke into the school joke competition for £1. The winner will get a fun prize!

#### Mad March Hair Day – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March

This is a PTA fundraising event. Children can donate £1 to the PTA to wear crazy hair to school for a day!

### Parents Evening - Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> - Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February

Doors will open at 3:30pm to allow parents to come in for the first appointment that starts at 3:45pm. The PTA will be running a book sale in the village hall from 3:15-3:45pm this will then move to class 4 for browsing.







## Head Teacher Awards

The following children have worked extremely hard and this has been celebrated by the pupils receiving awards in front of their peers. 8<sup>th</sup> Feb - Aarav C, Jiya, Freddie, Harriet M, Ariana, Honey Rae 15<sup>th</sup> Feb - Ella, Amaiya, Raghav, Safeeya, Niyah, Theo



## **Diary Dates**

February:

Wishing everyone a happy Half



26<sup>th</sup> - School opens 27<sup>th</sup> - Book Sale in the village Hall starts for a week 27<sup>th</sup> - Parents Evening 28<sup>th</sup> - Parents Evening

#### March:

7<sup>th</sup> - World Book Day 15<sup>th</sup> - Red Nose Day £1 donation 19<sup>th</sup> - School Easter Service at St Mary's Church 8:50am 22<sup>nd</sup> - Mad March Hair Day £1 donation 22<sup>nd</sup> - School closes for the Easter School Holidays

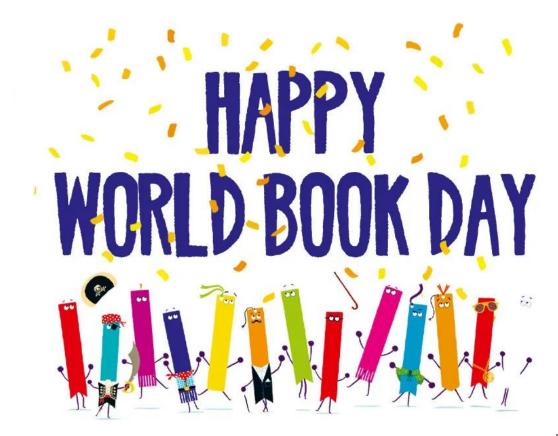
April: 8<sup>th</sup> - School reopens for Summer term

May: 13<sup>th</sup> - Key Stage 2 SATS week (year 6 pupils) 20<sup>th</sup>- Year 6 Aztec visit 25<sup>th</sup> - School closes for Half term

## Term holiday!

## School Dinners 2 main choices with sides, bread and dessert

Mon- Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Pasta Salad Tues - Chicken & Bean Fajitas/Vegetable Fajitas with wedges Wed - Roast of the Day/Quorn Roast with stuffing, roast potatoes and gravy Thurs - Creamy Chicken & Brocoli Bake/Veggie Bolognaise with Garlic bread Fri - Pork Sausage/Cheesy Bean Pastry with chips and tomato sauce Jacket potatoes available, (please email the office by 9am Monday to order for the week ahead stating which date and filling your child would like)





Wrap a book up that you no longer read to swap with a friend!





## **Competition time!**

## Create a display in a box inspired by a book or a story!









Dress up like your favourite book character!