

Spring 1 Newsletter



12th February 2016

Term Dates

Half Term	15th–19th February
INSET Day	Monday 22nd February
Easter break	25th March–12th April
INSET Day	Monday 11th April

Dear Parents

Wishing you a happy half term. We have lots to celebrate and to look forward to.

Music

The children have had lots of fabulous fun this half term. Year 4 are continuing their sound bites experience and will be performing to parents at the end of term.

Year 3 are practising their pieces for the Recorder Extravaganza on 9th March at Central Hall.

Our brilliant community choir performed at the Orchestra of the Age of the Enlightenment at the Turner Sims Concert Hall. Please feel free to join them on Thursdays after school.

Sports

Well done to 4K for

completing their swimming programme. 4H are looking forward to starting theirs after half term. The 'Edubase Project' starts soon. This links maths and sports. Our clubs continue to be very popular. Year 5 will be completing leader and volunteering training to become Sports Ambassadors

E-Safety Day

This was a huge success with each class undertaking their own project on how to stay safe on-line. Have a look at our blog to see each class' work.

Seeds from Space

We are delighted to have

been successful in our bid to grow Seeds from Space. The seeds will have been on an amazing journey with Tim Peake

Family Learning

Thank you to all parents who attended the Reading in Reception workshop and to those who enjoyed the Maths Basic Skills workshops.

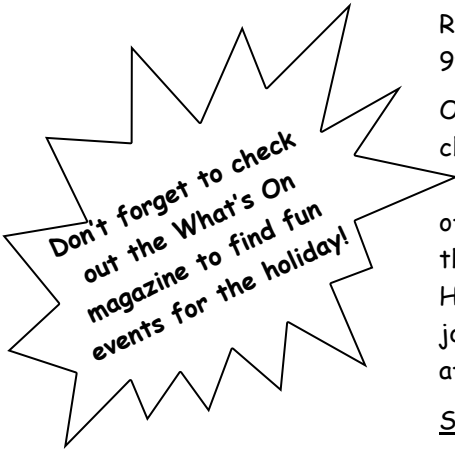
Family FUNS starts again after half term.

Friends of Shirley Warren

A huge thank you to our PTA who ran two very popular film nights this half term. They've raised over £500 since September!

All our school trips are subsidised using this money.

They are meeting on 25th February at 9am to plan the next events—if you'd like to join them.



Attendance

* Well done to all our families for your commitment to good school attendance. Class 4H had the best attendance this half term at 97.6% and the school attendance continues to be above our target of 96%.

Things to look forward to...



World Book Day - we will be celebrating with a fabulous after school stories and PJs event on Wednesday 2nd March

Sports Relief 18th -20th March.

Bake Off events coming your way.

**See you on Tuesday
23rd February!**