

Overton St Helen's Primary

School family news

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WHAT A WEEK!

It's been quite a remarkable week this week at Overton St Helen's with singing, World Book Day AND an Ofsted Inspection. I spoke to all the children in our celebration worship this morning, to let them know how incredibly proud I have been of their hard work. The Inspector was impressed with the attitudes to learning that she saw; she observed our pupils focused in their lessons and engaged in the learning that was taking place. As the inspector left yesterday she told me that it was clear our school is full of joy and she asked me to thank the children for making her feel so welcome. It will now take about a month for the official report to be produced but of course, as soon as we have it I will share this with parents. Thankyou for all the support and good wishes that have been passed on to us.

THANKS WILLOW CLASS!

We ended the day yesterday with a pop-up performance from Willow Class, of the songs they have been learning with Mrs Bowden from the Lancaster Music Centre. After Willow Class had sung, we all learnt a different song and sung it together. We even managed a bit of drumming accompaniment! Mrs Bowden wanted to give the Music Centre a small plug too - they meet to sing, drum and make music together every Thursday evening. Have a look for them online if you are interested in getting involved.

WORLD BOOK DAY

It was a great World Book Day yesterday - thanks for supporting us and adorning your children with such great costumes. Photos of our day will be on our Facebook page shortly.



THANKS OSFA

Thanks OSFA for an brilliant Movie Night enjoyed by our younger classes last night. Next Thursday it is the turn of KS2 - booking slips are available on the school entrance if you want to book a place.

LRGS INSPIRUS

Next Thursday will be the last 'Inspirus' session at Lancaster Grammar School, for those pupils in Year 4 who have been involved.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Thurs 9th March—KS2 Movie Night
Fri 10th March - ELM CLASS ASSEMBLY 1.50pm
Wed 15th March - Teachers' industrial action Day 3
Thurs 16th March - Teacher's Industrial action Day 4
Fri 17th March - ELM, HOLLY and MAPLE CLASS outdoor activity trip to Borwick Hall
Fri 17th - Mother's Day tea and coffee afternoon
Mon 20th March - Lancaster Singing Festival - ELM CLASS
Wed 22nd March - Lancaster Singing Festival - BEECH CLASS
Fri 31st March - OSFA cake stall after school (ELM to supply cakes) + Easter Egg tombola!
Fri 31st March - School closes for Easter holidays



STAR OF THE WEEK

Star of the Week awards this week go to Thomas in Maple Class, Emily K in Holly, Emily C in Elm, Archie in Willow Class, Rose in Beech and Harry in Oak for enthusiasm in their learning, being polite, focused and showing excellent behaviour. Well done!
All our children have been real superstars this week. And deserve a well earned rest this weekend - well done to all.



Week beginning: Mon 6th March
Dinner Week: 3