



## Whole School

**Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> February, 8.00 a.m.:** Staff meeting.

**Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February: Bellevue Annual Teaching Review:** A team of governors and senior leadership staff from schools within the Bellevue Group, led by Mr David Williams, Bellevue Education Director, will visit the school to look at all aspects of our teaching and learning, pupil development and pastoral care.

**Diary Date: Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March: World Book Day:** Children from Nursery to Year 6 will take part in this day-long celebration of reading and books. All children are asked to think about the book they would like to bring and their favourite character (from a book please!), that they would like to dress up as for the day.

**Admissions:** If you have a sibling who is eligible for entry to Forest in September 2020 (Nursery) or September 2021 (Kindergarten), please be advised that there are only a few places remaining for this year group. Please contact the office if you wish to register your child for a place.

**Fit Bits:** Please may we suggest that pupils do not wear Fit Bits to school. We have had three children lose them over recent months. Although we have managed to track some of them down, it is a concern for parents. We are presently looking for an orange Fit Bit, with Star Wars characters and a name on the front. Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

## Upper School

**Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> February, 1:00 – 2:45 p.m.:** Children who have received a letter in Year 4 will compete in the **ISA Under 9s Water Polo** competition in Rochdale. **Trafford Primary School Games Swim Gala Finals, 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.:** Children who qualified in Years 4 and 5 will swim in the Finals at Sale Leisure Centre. **Fit Club** will take place at [John Leigh Park](#) again. *No Kiddy Cook this week (Ms Geddes will refund all parents for this lesson.)*

**Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February, 4:00 – 5:00/5:30 p.m.:** **Girls Football Tournament at Timperley Sports Club** for girls in Years 5 and 6 who have received a letter. **Bowdon Music Festival, 6.30 to 8.30 p.m.:** The Main and Chamber Choirs will sing at this annual festival at the Bowdon Parish Centre.

**Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February, 3.20 p.m.:** **Year 5 Open Classroom** for all Year 5 parents.

**Diary Date: Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March, 6:00 – 8:00/8:15 p.m.:** **Bellevue Northern Music Festival, Concert Hall, Royal Northern College of Music:** Forest Prep Pupils in Year 5 and Year 6, the Main and Chamber Choirs and Percussion Club will perform in this bi-annual celebration of music in our Northern schools, organised and led by our Director of Music, Susan Wellings. [Click here](#) to view the letter and order tickets. **[Please note the deadline for ordering tickets is next Friday, 28<sup>th</sup> February.](#)**

## Lower School

## Pre-Prep

**Weekly Newsletter:** [Click here](#) to view this week's messages to parents from the Nursery and Kindergarten teams.

**Diary Date: Monday Morning, 2<sup>nd</sup> March: Pre-Prep Gauntlet Birds of Prey Visit.** The staff in Pre-Prep are very much looking forward to a fascinating morning with the children, birds and animals. Please [click here](#) for further information and to give permission for your child to take part in the morning.

## Weekly Honours

### House Champions

**Congratulations to this week's champions:**

<b>Chorlton</b>	<i>Ewan (Year 3)</i>
<b>Jordan</b>	<i>William (Year 2)</i>
<b>Kersal</b>	<i>Charles (Year 1)</i>
<b>Mimwood</b>	<i>Nazmi (Year 4)</i>

### Pupil of the Week

**Well done to this week's chosen pupils:**

<b>Nursery</b>	<i>Charlotte</i>
<b>Kindergarten</b>	<i>Christian</i>
<b>Reception</b>	<i>Aiden</i>
<b>Year 1</b>	<i>Oliver</i>
<b>Year 2</b>	<i>Barnaby</i>
<b>Year 3</b>	<i>Benjamin Fs</i>
<b>Year 4</b>	<i>Rory</i>
<b>Year 5</b>	<i>Farukh</i>
<b>Year 6</b>	<i>Livvie</i>

### **'Camembear' French Award**

**Toutes nos félicitations à:**

<b>Nursery</b>	<i>Benjamin</i>
<b>Kindergarten</b>	<i>Joshua</i>
<b>Reception</b>	<i>Lilia</i>
<b>Year 1</b>	<i>Luca</i>
<b>Year 2</b>	<i>Satya</i>

## Parents Association

### **PA Blue Bag Day**

If you had a good clear out over the half term holiday, please save your clothes and textiles to bring to school on **Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March**.

'Blue Bags' are being sent home today with all the children (we always have more in the office if you need them).

All donations raise funds for the Parents Association. Please [click here](#) for further details and information on when to bring the bags to school.

## Thanks and Good Wishes

### **Altrincham Boys Football League**

Mr Francis reported that the boys played really well in yet more inclement conditions, drawing one and losing one match. They also played exceptionally well in a friendly match. *Well Done boys!*

### **Trafford School Games Swim Gala Finals**

The children who qualified from the heats have already made us very proud. *Good Luck* in the Finals on 26<sup>th</sup> February.

### **ISA Under 9s Waterpolo Competition**

*Good Luck* to those pupils in Year 4 who are taking part next week, under the watchful eye of 'coach Hyde'.

### **Altrincham Girls Football League**

We hope the girls in Years 5 and 6 enjoy playing in the matches at Timperley Sports Club on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February.

**Message from our Deputy Head Pupils:** We hope you had a great, relaxing holiday. Thank you, Jax and Isabel.

## Weekly Menus

**Next Week's Menu:** Week 2, to view the daily menus [click here](#) and scroll down to the 'Spring 2020 Menus' link.