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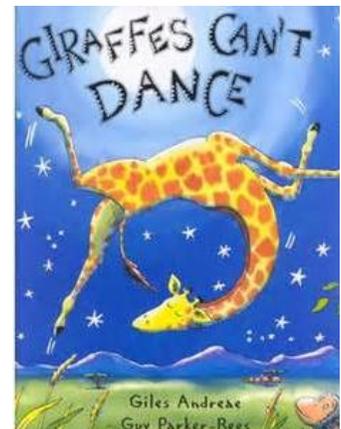
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Anti Bullying Week



This week we have been marking Anti Bullying Week. From writing letters to other classes about how to solve bullying problems to learning all about Gerald the Giraffe who couldn't dance, we have been using our literacy and PSCH lessons to explore what Bullying is and what we can do to stop it from happening. A highlight of the week was the International Day of Tolerance assembly with Moya Wilkie (one of our newly elected parent governors) who came to speak to the children about the importance of promoting tolerance at a local level as well as developing laws and rules. The activities this week have led to lots of meaningful discussions in all of our classes and we have been very impressed with the mature way in which the children have engaged with this topic. Well done for all your hard work this week everyone.



Article 19

Every child has the right to be protected from all forms of violence, abuse and neglect.

A message from the Chair of Governors

What's happened since the Film Night?

Our third film night was another big success, with lots of parents coming together to discuss what was good about the school and what could be made even better. The feedback is still being analysed, but the main way of finding out what is happening as a result is by joining the Film Night mailing list.

The feedback is being discussed by the governing board and projects have and are being identified that will take forward the themes from the night, give parents an opportunity to be directly involved and also to answer some of the queries raised. To find out more and be the first to hear about the opportunities please sign up for the mailing list (you can unsubscribe at any time) at <http://bit.ly/SPPSFilmNight>



Today, we rounded off our fantastic Anti Bullying Week by wearing **Spots in School** in aid of **BBC Children in Need**, which supports charities in helping hundreds of children across the UK. Many thanks to everyone who donated £1 to wear Spots in School. Through your generous support of this fantastic cause we managed to raise £165.85!

Year 5/6 Tag Rugby Tournament

On Tuesday, students from Years 5 and 6 participated in a rugby tournament at King George's Park. Our rugby team worked really well together to battle through 6 very tough games. Mr Wilson was very impressed with the superior defence skills of Israel and Zayn and the goal scoring talent of Harvey, as well as the fantastic long runs by both Yahmari and Myia. Our next sporting event will be the Maurice Fulcher Cricket Tournament on 5th December for our Year 5/6 team.



Check out the
Rights of the Month highlighted in **blue**



Dates for the Diary

Next Week

Tuesday 22 nd November	FoSP meeting 7.00pm-8.30pm	Parents welcome
Wednesday 23 rd November	Reception class 2017 open morning 1 (meeting and tour of the school)	Prospective parents

Coming Soon

Tuesday 29 th November	Autumn term Parents evening 1	Please book an appointment with your child's class teacher
Wednesday 30 th November	Reception class 2017 open morning 2 (meeting and tour of the school)	Prospective parents
Tuesday 6 th December	Autumn term Parents evening 2	Please book an appointment with your child's class teacher
Wednesday 7 th December	Nursery class 2017 open morning (meeting and tour of the school)	Prospective parents
Wednesday 7 th December	Winter fete at 3.30pm	Everybody welcome!
Tuesday 13 th December	Autumn term Parent evening 3	Please book an appointment with your child's class teacher
Wednesday 14 th December	Children's Christmas lunch	-
Thursday 15 th December	KS1/2 Christmas performance at the Ascension Church - 2pm	Parents welcome
Friday 16 th December	FS Nativity for parents (in school) 9.30am	Parents welcome
Monday 19 th December	FS Nativity for parents (in school) 2pm	Parents welcome
Tuesday 20 th December	Christmas parties and Santa in the afternoon	-
Wednesday 21 st December	Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day Last day of term - 2pm finish	-



We are desperately in need of help to prepare for our Winter Fete taking place in less than three weeks time. We need volunteers to wrap gifts/tombola items, help organise our raffle, prepare floats for the stalls, make cakes, seek donations from local businesses and generally assist us with the work that goes on behind the scenes in order to get the fete ready. Some of these tasks might seem menial but they are vital. We will also need plenty of help on the day setting up and running stalls.

For further information or to help, please contact the School Office.

We thank you in advance for helping to make our 2016 Winter Fete a success.