

# Sebert Wood Primary School

## Parent/Carer Update



March 10th 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

We've had a real buzz in school this week with children excited about the book fair. Incredibly, we sold nearly £1700 worth of books across four days! It is a joy to get new books into children's hands and to create further excitement around reading. We have raised over £900 through commission on every book sold, which helps us to restock our school book supply – thank you very much to those who were able to support us. Anyone who has ordered a book will have these delivered to their child's class on Monday.

Next week our parent consultation events take place. Teachers will share a mid-year report of how your child is doing at school and this is a great way for us to work in partnership with you. School governors will also be present in the library should you have any questions or feedback for them.

Next Friday is Comic Relief day and our Fit Friday. Children should come to school wearing something sporty and something red if possible. If it is cold or wet please make sure they are dressed for the weather. Class teachers will collect any donations for Comic Relief. We will also hold a Huff and Puff exercise event on the playground at 9:15am parents are invited to come and watch or even join in!

Tonight FOSWS hold their Quiz Night, and we look forward to seeing many of you there. Our continued thanks to the FOSWS volunteers for their hard work in arranging events such as these and securing vital funds for the school.

Have a great weekend

Mr James Tottie (Acting Headteacher) and Mr Jamie Winch (Acting Deputy Headteacher)

### Proposed National Strikes

Next Wednesday and Thursday the National Education Union are striking. As with other recent strikes we do not foresee that this will impact teaching at our school. We will notify you if this changes.

### Parents Evenings

Booking has now closed on on-line, but please do contact the School Office if you want to make an appointment and we can do this for you.

The Staff and Governors look forward to welcoming you in to school on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> March 4-7pm and Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> March 3.45-6.45pm.

### Dates for your Diary

Fri 10 <sup>th</sup> March	7pm FOSWS Quiz Night
Mon 13 <sup>th</sup> March	2pm Reception classes Mothers Day afternoon tea
Mon 13 <sup>th</sup> March	4-7pm Parent Consultations
Tues 14 <sup>th</sup> March	2pm Reception classes Mothers Day afternoon tea
Wed 15 <sup>th</sup> March	2pm Reception classes Mothers Day afternoon tea
Thurs 16 <sup>th</sup> March	3.45-6.45pm Parent Consultations
Fri 17 <sup>th</sup> March	9.15am Huff n' Puff school playground (parents invited)
	Comic Relief Day – wear something sporty & red /non-uniform
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup> March	DRESS DOWN DAY, non-uniform. School Discos

## School Discos



Slips for Disco tickets have gone home with the children now - to be completed and returned by the 17<sup>th</sup> March via the School office or your child's class please.

Tickets will be issued on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March.

## Bike Train

The Bike Train project was set up by EcoCarriers BSE in September 2022 thanks to support from Bury St Edmunds Town Council, Suffolk County Council and Cycling UK. The aim is to encourage parents to cycle to (primary) school with their children. Participation in the Bike Train is free and open to all!

You can find out more about this exciting project after school on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> March as they will be outside Sebert Wood! Please see attached flyer for full details regarding the project.

## Car Park Closed

Please note, the Community Centre car park will be closed on 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> March due to resurfacing and improvement works.

## Lost blanket



Please do contact the school office if you may have dropped me in school this week! – possibly at the Book Fair?

## Tennis Youth Start Course

David Hall Tennis has an exciting opportunity over the Easter holidays for the children offering The *LTA Youth Start Course* which is 6 hours coaching, and the children get a FREE racket, FREE T-shirt and ball set also. Please visit our website for the flyer if this may be of interest to you with full details.