

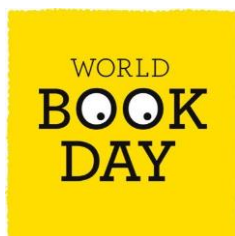


Bowness-on-Solway Primary School Newsletter



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Friday 4th March 2022



World Book Day

We love books at Bowness School! For *World Book Day*, children had early 'bedtime stories' – they wore pyjamas and enjoyed hot chocolate whilst favourite tales were shared. Your child has been given a *World Book Day* token which can either be exchanged for a *World Book Day* book or used as a money-off voucher.

Covid Update

From Thursday 24th February, the Government removed the legal requirement to self-isolate following a positive test. We are still strongly encouraging adults and children who develop one or more of the 3 main symptoms to get a PCR test and stay at home until the result is known. PCR testing is still available throughout March.

Adults and children who test positive will continue to be advised to stay at home and avoid contact with other people for at least 5 full days, and then continue to follow the guidance until they have received 2 negative test results on consecutive days.

In school, we are encouraging frequent hand-washing including at the start and end of the day. This is replacing the use of hand sanitiser.

Toddler group



Toddlers

A reminder that toddler sessions take place at school every Thursday from 1pm. We ask for a contribution of £1 towards tea and coffee. There are lots of toys to play with and it's great for young ones to meet other children. It's also a nice social opportunity for adults.

1,900th Anniversary of Hadrian's Wall

What a pleasure it was to have a visit from the Romans! Children really engaged with the occasion, adding to their knowledge of local history. Some children even got to dress up as Roman Centurions! Thanks to Bill Knowles and the Solway Coast Business Group for arranging the afternoon. Thanks also to Trevor Grahamslaw who was on professional photographer duties.



Contacting School

Please contact the school office on 016973 51384 if your child is going to be absent or late. *Class Dojo* can be used for other dealings with class teachers.

Charity Fundraising

Our staff member Elaine, together with parent Deborah Smith are raising vital funds for Eden Valley Hospice by walking 10,000 steps a day throughout March. You can sponsor them at www.justgiving.com/fundraising/Deborah-Smith74

Competition Time!

Keep an eye out on the school's Facebook page for a competition! All you have to do is *like* and *share* the school flyer to be in with the chance of winning one of three prizes including some fun family games. We would really appreciate any shares!