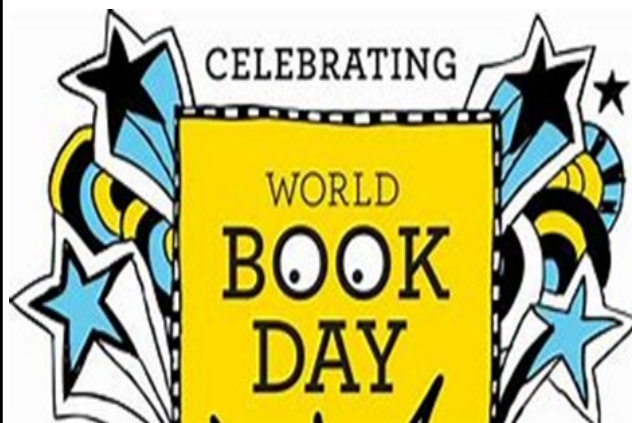




# School Newsletter

Monday 24th February 2020



We will be celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March and as part of our celebrations we invite all the children to come into school dressed as their favourite book characters. This year's theme continues on from the success of last year with 'Share a story' so we will be promoting reading throughout the week with lots of shared reading across all the classes and we hope at home too. We also invite you to join us in school from 3pm on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March to come and share a story with your child in their class. We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible to celebrate reading with us!

## Star Celebrations

The following children were recognised in our celebration assembly on Friday for their learning, attitudes and demonstration of our values and ethos. Well done!

**Willow, Xanthe, Jonah, Lola, Sam M, Alfred, Hector, Leo, Amber, Alex I, Kaitlyn.**  
Also for their Eco house: **Dolly, Ed, Matilda, Teagan, Amber, Ethan, and Saoirse**

## Class Attendance

Well done **Sharks** class for the highest attendance last week with **96.6%**

Weekly Policy:



## Online Safety

The policy this week is our online safety policy. Please pay particular attention to appendix 1 for children EYFS and KS1 and appendix 2 for children in KS2. We will be sending out hard copies of these acceptable use agreements over the next couple of weeks.

**94.4%**

Whole school attendance last week:

Government expectation: 96%

Persistent absentee: below 90%



Students past and present will be performing in this event:

The Sidways Shapes is made up of current students from our school. Whilst the Velveteen Vigilantes is formed by students who left in 2015.

Do come and show your support!

Please be aware that Local Food Links have had an issue with their payment system. Parents who pay through PayPal will find that money has gone from their account but that no food has been ordered. If this issue applies to you then please contact Local Food Links who are very sorry about the inconvenient but will rectify this situation ASAP. 01308 428912



### Charmouth Challenge 2020 update

Registrations for the Charmouth Challenge 2020 are live and runners are beginning to book!

**Saturday 4th July 2020 10am (Challenge) 10.15am (fun run)**

This is the biggest annual fund-raiser for our school and helps fund many of the activities our children enjoy throughout the year. The event attracts runners from around the country (runners from Holland in 2019!) and so there is a real benefit that a lot of these funds raised are from people not connected with the school

There is a team of parents focused on the planning, organising and promoting of the event, but we need your help to reach the maximum number of runners and supporters!

If you use social media, then please like our pages:

[www.facebook.com/Charmouthchallenge](http://www.facebook.com/Charmouthchallenge)

[www.instagram.com/CharmouthChallenge](http://www.instagram.com/CharmouthChallenge)

[www.twitter.com/CharmouthChall1](http://www.twitter.com/CharmouthChall1)

Please share this info with as many friends and family as you can. The more people connected to our social media pages and interacting with them (Like and share posts regularly, tag interested friends/family) the more potential runners find our event. Which brings in more funds for our school, with no real advertising costs.

If you run a local business and you would like to contribute as a sponsor, then we would love to hear from you.

You may want to donate a fixed sum, or you may have some skills/expertise which could help keep our costs down (so more ££'s can be spent on our children!). Either way, we support each sponsor to give them as much business exposure as they want via social media, and on the day. Every penny helps us to provide the best school experiences for our kids.

Email [organiser@charmouthchallenge.co.uk](mailto:organiser@charmouthchallenge.co.uk) if you could help and we can give you further info.

Thank you for your help with making 2020 the best year ever for the Charmouth Challenge!

### Key Dates

**Friday 28th Feb** - PTA non-uniform day—£1 donation

**Tuesday 3rd March** - Y6 Woodroffe Taster Day

**Thursday 5th March** - World Book Day

**Friday 20th March** - PTA *Springo*

**Friday 3rd April** - Last day of term - Family picnic

**Friday 8th May** - May Bank holiday

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