



A NOTE FROM MRS HEFFER

The end of term has arrived and what a busy one it has been!

**MR WILKES HAS THE CHILDREN SPELL BOUND** - This week we have had a visit from Glenn Wilkes, who shared the amazing experience he had when visiting Uganda with the Rotary Club to support villages in need of water. Mr Wilkes shared a wonderful slide show of pictures taken during his visit. The children were spell bound and clearly found the presentation thought provoking and enlightening. We are very grateful to Mr Wilkes for sharing the very important work his Rotary Club do for charity.

**THE QUILTING CHALLENGE CAN BEGIN** – Many thanks to those of you who have brought in your chosen piece of cotton fabric for the big quilting challenge. In addition to the donations already received, every child has had the choice of a full range of patterned fabrics to ensure all will be represented in the quilted wall hanging. The staff fabric choices will also be featured in this unique piece of artwork. We look forward to the unveiling at our open day during the Big Village Month.

**BINGO NIGHT IS SURE TO BE A SUCCESS** – Many thanks for all your wonderful donations of chocolate goodies towards the FOPS Family Chocolate Easter Bingo Night that will take place in the Village Hall on Saturday, 18<sup>th</sup> April. We look forward to a fun and successful evening for all the family to enjoy. Don't forget to bring those special bingo stamper pens – a must for any serious bingo player!

**POPULAR FILM NIGHT** – Tonight is the first FOPS Fun Film Night and looks to be a great success with well over 100 pupils attending. Please can I remind you that the children will need to be delivered to the correct classroom external door at 5.45pm for a prompt 6pm start. Mrs Read has prepared registers for each of the four classrooms showing the various films to ensure the children watch the film they have chosen. Every child will need to be signed in as they enter the classroom and signed out before they leave. Please ensure you leave the classrooms via the external doors where an adult will sign each pupil out. We ask for £2 from each child attending towards the cost of a drink and snack during the evening. This will need to be paid on the door if not already paid for at the office. The children have been reminded today to bring something squishy to sit on, something cuddly to hold and to wear comfortable clothing to ensure they can relax and enjoy their film watching with their friends.

**FINALLY** – We all wish you a wonderful Easter and look forward to seeing you all back with us on Monday, 13<sup>th</sup> April.

**Clubs** – there are still a few children switching between clubs, so we will wait until we have a final picture before sending the full list out during the first week of next term. Clubs will start week commencing 20<sup>th</sup> April (2<sup>nd</sup> week back)

**Music tuition** with Music Cornwall will re-commence during the first week back (brass, woodwind, keyboard, guitar, cello etc).

**Gentle reminder:** please may we remind parents to remember that they should speak to Mrs Read to arrange for their child's teacher to telephone them or arrange an appointment after school if you wish to discuss your child's progress etc, rather than try and speak to him / her between 8.45 and 9.00 a.m. when parents are dropping children off? If it is an urgent matter then we will always try to speak with you a.s.a.p, but for general information please either speak with the teacher on a Friday morning or speak with Mrs Read who will arrange a mutually convenient time – as children are coming into class as this time and staff are preparing the children for the day ahead. Many thanks - your help as always is very much appreciated.

**Celebration Assembly:**

Josh White, Maddy Wilson, Zelig Wilkes, Ella Bailey, Noah Harland, Courtney Saayman, William Best and Zane Aslam received Gold, Jonty Bailey, Arthur Long, Heidi Hunt, Thomas Penna, Violet Perkins, Evie McConnell, Silver, and Josh Sharples and Finlay Hudson their Bronze certificates. Mille Cunliffe and Louis Richards received their medal this week. Very well done to you all.