Spring Term Number 8 Week ending 8<sup>th</sup> March 2024





Dear Parents and Governors

# Learn – Achieve – Enjoy

"Exceptional Pastoral Care" (Ofsted, September 2018) KEY DATES

DATE	EVENT	
Mon 11 <sup>th</sup> March	Y5 performing at the Royal Albert Hall 7-10pm	
Tues 12 <sup>th</sup> March	Y5 children come in at 12pm (siblings with evidence of ticket of attendance the previous evening)	
Tues 12 <sup>th</sup> March	Y2 at the Science Museum	
Thurs 14 <sup>th</sup> March	Y6 at Science Museum	
Thurs 21 <sup>st</sup> March	School closes at 1pm due to Parents PM	
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> March	PARENTS PM 1.30-7.30pm	
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup> March	Mufti Day in return for Easter Eggs	
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> March	Easter Bonnet parade 9am (Parents welcome weather permitting)	
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> March	Y5 at Wimbledon Bookfest (after Easter Bonnet parade)	
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> March	Last day of Nursery	
Tues 26 <sup>th</sup> March	PTA Easter themed Film Night 3.15-5pm (Limited spaces!)	
Wed 27 <sup>th</sup> March	WINNING HUMMINGBIRD TEAM MUFTI	
Wed 27 <sup>th</sup> March	End of Spring term- school finishes at 1.30pm	
Thurs 28 <sup>th</sup> March	INSET DAY FOR STAFF	
28 <sup>th</sup> March – 12 <sup>th</sup> April	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS	

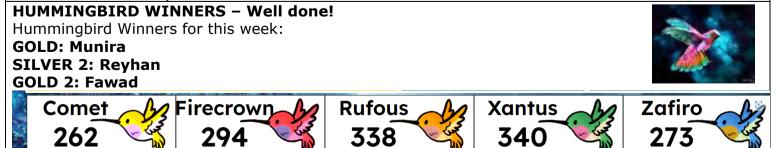
### HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

We have had a very fun week celebrating our love of books this week at school. On Wednesday the children and staff looked fantastic in their Book Week costumes. Our Governors visited this week and enjoyed a range of reading experiences including assembly, Yarning circle Anansi stories and reading in the library. The hot chocolate, teddies and slippers were also popular. The Masked Reader was a popular activity for the children and staff. Thank you Mrs Danaher for organising a great week.

# CHILDREN OF SERVICES PERSONNEL

Dear Parents

Are you a current service member of the armed forces? If so, did you know the school can receive additional funding? If you have a child or children in the school, please speak to a member of the school office. Thank you



## **READING KINDLE WINNERS**

Every child in Y1-Y6 who has 5 adult signatures Wednesday to Wednesday, has their name entered into a raffle. Three winners are selected in assembly to win our Kindles for a week. This week's winners are:

- Y1 & Y2 Timothy
- Y3 & Y4 Boe
- Y5 & Y6 -Fawad



Well done everyone and keep reading! Mrs Danaher, Literacy Leader

# LEARNERS OF THE WEEK

Congratulations this week's Learners of the Week

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CLASS	LEARNER OF THE WEEK		HIGH 5 – VALUE WINNER	
	NAME	REASON	NAME	REASON
Yellow	Zain	For his amazing attitude to learning this week. Well Done	Khaliyah	Resilience-for working so hard with your writing this week. Well done.
Red	Kija	For her fantastic art sculpture using playdough and other materials.	Emilly	Respect – for always showing respect towards her friends and adults.
Green	Rio	For his amazing Mr. Stink illustration.	Teddy H	Responsibility – for the improvement in his presentation.
Blue	Unais	For his beautiful recreation of book front cover.	Borislav	Challenge. For great work with sorting and grouping rocks in Science.
Purple	Aayan	For writing an exciting introduction for a non-chronological report, with support. In Literacy	Arthur	Challenge – for always thinking carefully before he answers questions.
Silver	The Whole Class	For incredible learning and teaching of P.E. skills to Year 1 and Year 4 children through their MSSP Sports Leader Training Day.	Adam	Respect – For showing kindness, care and demonstrating lots of bubbly fun when working with Year 1 children in P.E.
Gold	Ryan	For his amazing World Book Day costume: Peter from The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe	Alex	Challenge – for creating a mini book in four languages!

# MATHS TIMES TABLE ROCK STARS CHAMPIONS

Each week in assembly, we celebrate children on the TT Rockstars leaders' board. Children in Year 2-6 compete in this competition. All children In Y2-6 are expected to complete a minimum of 30 minuter PER week and this is checked every Wednesday ready for our celebration assembly on Thursday. This week's winners are:

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Improved Speed	Name	
1 <sup>st</sup>	Joel	
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Alec	
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Sviatoslav	

Improved Accuracy	Name
1 <sup>st</sup>	Talvin
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Dunya
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Adrian



Most Correct Answers:	Name
<b>1</b> <sup>st</sup>	Alessio
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Gabriell
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Sviatoslav

Well done everyone! Mrs Green, Maths Learning Leader

## THEMED SCHOOL DINNER DAYS

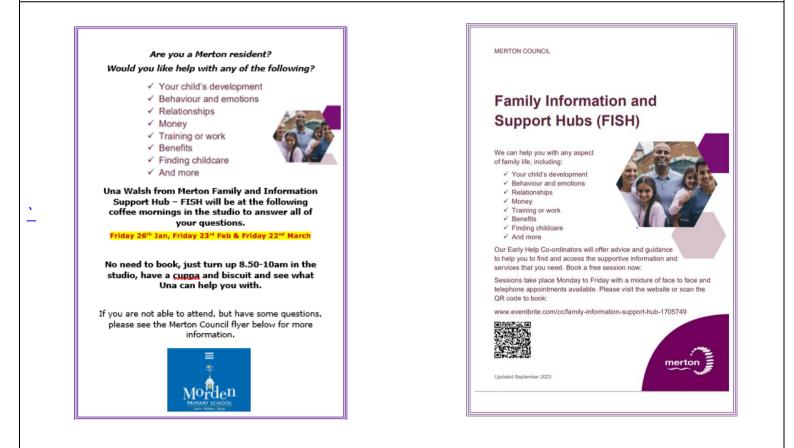
We are excited to announce two upcoming themed school dinner days that promise to bring a delightful twist to our school dinner experience! Our kitchen staff have been hard at work creating fun menus that will not only tantalise taste buds but also ignite imaginations. If you normally have a packed lunch and would like to order one of these themed school dinners please email <u>info@morden.merton.sch.uk</u> and remember to confirm which menu you would like. School dinners are free to all Morden Primary children.

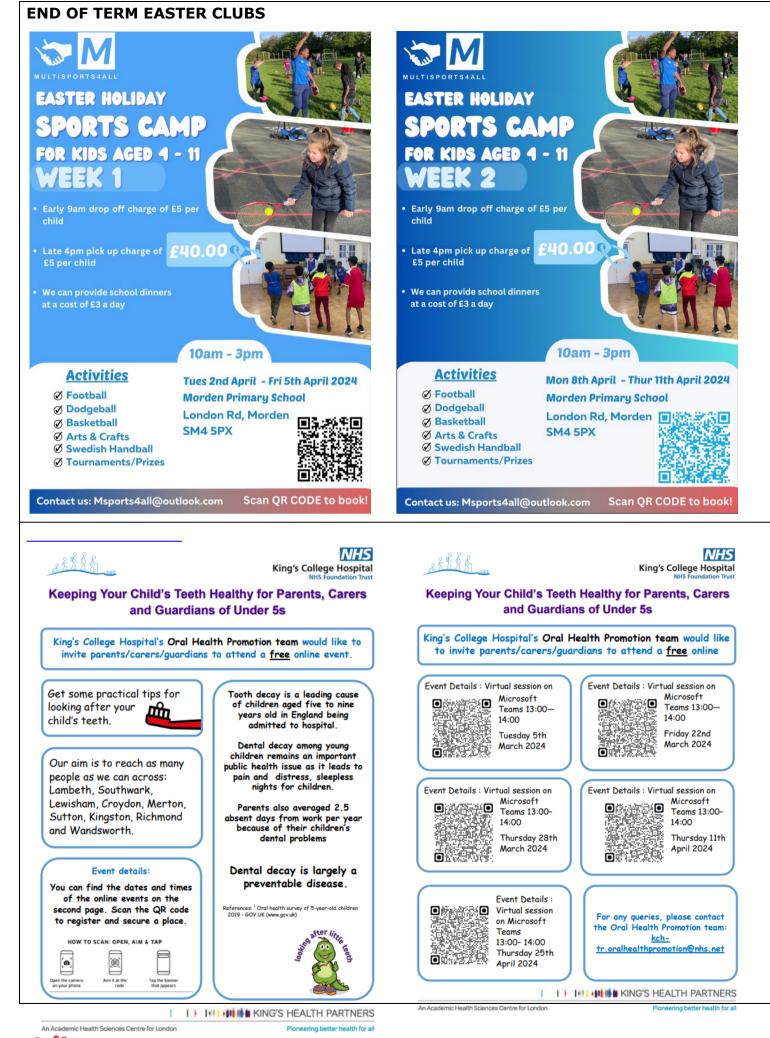
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### **MOTHER'S DAY RAFFLE**

The Mother's Day raffle has been a great success!!!! We raised £226.50 for the Mufti Day and £410 from ticket sales which is a grand total of £636.50!! Thank you very much for your support.





P. Blow, Headteacher