



## Parent Newsletter

### Spring Term 6 – Wednesday 22nd February 2023

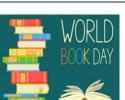
Welcome back to Spring 2! The children have settled back into school quickly and have certainly enjoyed the warmer weather that we had at the beginning of the week.

As you can see below, next week is World Book Week, with lots of activities for us all to enjoy. Classes have also had their Zoom calls with Brian Moses, the poet, this week. It was good to pop into classes to see the interactions between him and the children composing poems together.

Mrs Stepney and I are currently trying to decide what we will wear next Thursday for World Book Day!

#### Paula Ayliffe and Sarah Stepney

World Book Week



We are looking forward to an exciting book week beginning the **27**<sup>th</sup> of February. We look forward to a fun week of reading and enjoying books.

Here are some of the activities the children can get involved in:

#### Brian Moses Zoom

All children have taken part in a workshop and Q and A with Brian Moses this week. We ask for a £2 donation for this via parent pay too. Brian's books are also available to order on ParentPay.

#### **Extreme Reading**

This year, rather than sending in a photo of reading in extreme places, please send in a photo of sharing a book with others. Maybe you will read with your grandparents, friends or your pet? Please email them to: <a href="mailto:rbarnes@mayfield.cambs.sch.uk">rbarnes@mayfield.cambs.sch.uk</a> no later than Monday 27th Feb.

#### Dressing Up (Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> March)

We invite children to dress up as their favourite book character on WBD.

# World Book Day Lunch (Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> March)



Enjoy a special celebratory lunch of burger/ veggie burger and fries with baked beans or salad. Followed by chocolate chip cake or a fruit selection.

	Bake as a Book/Sale (Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> March) Bake a cake or cookies that look like the front of a book! All bakes will be sold after school to help raise funds for books in classes.	
	<ul> <li>Book Swap (Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> March)</li> <li>The PTA will be running a book swap at school.</li> <li>Onate a children's book (or more!) to school. Please leave it in the box outside the school office.</li> <li>Teachers will take their class to the book swap so each child can choose a book.</li> <li>Donations from £1 for the sale will be gratefully received via Parentpay. Donations will go towards phonic readers and books for class bookshelves.</li> <li>After school, any remaining books will be sold in the playground from 50p-£1, so bring a bag to fill up!</li> </ul>	
Dinner Money Balances	Please ensure that all dinner money balances up to date and kept in credit. Should you require an updated balance you can email Mrs Khan on skhan@mayfield.cambs.sch.uk Letters are sent home regularly to those with outstanding balances.	

WC 27 <sup>th</sup> February	World Book Week (see activities above)
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> March	World Book Day – Dressing Up
WC 20 <sup>th</sup> March	Parent Teacher Consultations