

# The Weekly comet

## Diary Dates!

### Easter Shine-Time

All families are welcome to join us at 2.15pm on Monday 1st April for our Easter celebration at Christchurch led by Reverend Simon

### Drama Festival Celebrations

All families are welcome to join us on Friday 5th April at 2.30pm to celebrate our children's achievements at the recent Peterborough Drama Festival.

### School Nurse Clinic

Our School Nurse will be in school on Monday 29th April in the morning to speak to parents about any general health concerns/worries you may have regarding your child.

Please contact the school office if you would like to speak with the nurse so a slot can be booked for you. Your talk with the nurse will be in a confidential area.

### Easter Holidays

School finishes at 3.15pm on Friday 5th April and re-opens at 8.45am on Wednesday 24th April.

### Attendance

Our Attendance for this week is 95%

Classes achieving 95% and getting an attendance star are:-

Armstrong Class	97.86%
Rosen Class	97.67%
Seacole Class	97.67%
Nightingale Class	97.59%
Hillary Class	95.71%
Attenborough Class	95.67%

Well done to Armstrong Class who are the Attendance Cup winners.

Hillary Class are the first class to achieve 20 stars and will be rewarded with cookies & milkshake!

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## Message From Mrs Marks

We have been blessed with some lovely weather this week and the first signs of Spring are beginning to emerge. Each class have been busy creating special Mothers Day cards in preparation for this weekend, thank you to all the lovely Mums/female carers who joined us on Friday, we hope you enjoyed your visit! We are all looking forward to our 'Journey to the Past' day next Wednesday, where we will be having a focus on History. Each team has planned a range of activities linked to their topics that all relate to learning about the past, we can't wait to share our learning with you.

### EYFS

We have had a great week this week planning a birthday party for Mog the cat. We have written lists for what we need, written party invitations and created some lovely cards. We have explored different 2D and 3D shaped presents in Maths and have sorted the presents into heavy and light so that they can be posted!

### Year 1

This week we have been focusing upon measures in our Maths. We have learnt about capacity, using the vocabulary to describe how much liquid is inside different containers. We also thought about how long it would take us in seconds to do different tasks like building a cube tower, writing our names etc. We have continued to describe story characters in our English writing using a range of appropriate adjectives.

### Year 2

In dance, we have been thinking about 'magical friendships'. We have observed how penguins move and have used what we noticed to create movements such as waddle, flap and slide. We used transitions to join these movements together to create a short dance which we performed to each other. Some of us are beginning to compare the movements of a snowman and wondering how we could express their friendship when they meet!